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Shri Vikram Vaid, (98550 32897)

(RTI Activist & whistle blower), House No. 1527, Gali No. 2, Bagh Rama Nand, Amritsar.

....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o Secretary, Rural Development and Panchayat, Punjab, S.A.S. Nagar (Mohali).

First Appellate Authority,

O/o Secretary, Rural Development and Panchayat, Punjab, S.A.S. Nagar (Mohali).

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 2833 OF 2022

(Cisco Webex Proceedings)

Date of RTI Application	Date of Reply, if any of SPIO	Date of First Appeal made, if any	Date of order, if any of FAA	Date of Appeal/Complaint filed in the Commission
29.11.2021	-	19.02.2022	09.03.2022	16.06.2022

PRESENT: Shri Vikram Vaid, Appellant.

None on behalf of the Respondents.

ORDER (SECOND HEARING):

- This order may be read with reference to the order dated 11.10.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.
- 2. The Appellant states that he has received unattested information relating to point no. 3 of his RTI application.
- 3. The PIO is absent for today's hearing and he was also absent on the last date of hearing, inspite of the Notice/Orders of the Commission. This shows his disregard tothe Commission. The absence of the PIO is viewed seriously as it has affected the hearing and disposal of the case.

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- 4. **LAST OPPORTUNITY** is given to the PIO to provide the requisite information to the appellant, before the next date of hearing and should appear personally through Cisco Webex, on the next date of hearing, failing which **BAILABLE WARRANT** will be issued to him/her.
- 5. The matter is adjourned to **05.04.2023 at 11:00 AM through CISCO WEBEX MEETING ID No. 158 188 4645.** Both the parties are directed to come to attend the hearing accordingly. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Chandigarh 16.01.2023

(Maninder Singh Patti) State Information Commissioner, Punjab

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