

PUNJAB STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION

RED CROSS BUILDING, NEAR ROSE GARDEN,

SECTOR 16, CHANDIGARH.

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Shri Raj Kumar, (70871 41448; 98725 70047)
S/o Shri Sham Lal,
R/o Vill. Alampur, P.O. Talwandi Malik,
Tehsil Samana, District Patiala.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Block Development & Panchayat Officer,
Samana, District Patiala.

First Appellate Authority
O/o District Development & Panchayat Officer,
Patiala.

...Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 2985 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 / Reply, if any of FAA	Date of Appeal/Complaint filed in the Commission
30.03.2022	-	02.05.2022	-	23.06.2022

PRESENT: Shri Raj Kumar, Appellant.
None on behalf of the Respondents.

ORDER (SECOND HEARING):

This order may be read with the reference to the order dated 12.09.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.

2. The Appellant states that information sought has not been provided to him.
3. The PIO is absent for today's hearing and he was also absent on the last hearing, inspite of the Notice/Orders of the Commission. This shows his disregard to the Commission. The absence of the PIO is viewed seriously and it has also affected hearing and disposal of the case.
4. In view of the above, the PIO O/o Block Development and Panchayat Officer Samana, District Patiala is directed to appear personally along with the entire records related to the RTI application of the appellant, failing which **WARRANT** will be issued to him.

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5. The District Development and Panchayat Officer, Patiala is also directed to ensure compliance of the order from his respective subordinates, before the next date of hearing.

6. The matter is adjourned. To come up for hearing on **13.03.2023 at 11:30 AM in the Commission**. Both the parties are directed to present their case personally. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

**Chandigarh
22.11.2022**

**Sd/-
(Maninder Singh Patti)
State Information Commissioner, Punjab**

**Copy of above is forwarded to the following for information and necessary action:-
(Regd. Post):**

- 1) The District Development & Panchayat Officer, (By Name)**
– cum – First Appellate Authority,
Patiala.
- 2) The Block Development & Panchayat Officer, (By Name)**
Block Samana, District Patiala.