PUNJAB STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION

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Shri Jagjeet Lal, (81950 77090)

S/o Shri Harbans Lal, VPO Kultham, Tehsil Banga, District Nawanshahr – 144501

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o XEN, Electrical Division, Public Works Department (B & R), Patiala.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o Superintending Engineer, Electrical Circle, Public Works Department (B & R), Patiala.

...Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 3814 OF 2022 (Cisco Webex Proceedings)

PRESENT: None on behalf of the Appellant. Shri Rajesh Kumar Chanana, Sr. Assistant (98888 92116) for the Respondents.

ORDER (FIRST HEARING):

The RTI application is dated 25.05.2022 vide which the Appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First

Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 27.06.2022 and Second Appeal was filed in the

Commission on 18.08.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005

(hereinafter RTI Act) and Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 19.12.2022.

2. The Respondent states that some more time be given him to provide the requisite information to the appellant.

3. The Appellant is absent for today's hearing in the Commission without any intimation to the Commission.

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4. **LAST OPPORTUNITY** is given to the PIO to provide the requisite information/reply to the appellant, before the next date of hearing and should appear personally through Cisco Webex, on the next date of hearing, failing which <u>strict action</u> will be initiated, against him.

5. The Appellant is also advised to follow up his case in the Commission, failing which decision shall be taken on merits in his absence.

6. The matter is adjourned. To come up for hearing on **29.03.2023 at 11:00 AM**

through CISCO WEBEX MEETING ID No. 158 188 4645. Both the parties are directed to

present their case accordingly. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Chandigarh 19.12.2022 Sd/-(Maninder Singh Patti) State Information Commissioner, Punjab