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Shri Gurnam Singh, (98146 54981)

S/o Shri Pakhar Singh, Village Detwal, District Ludhiana. PSIC uoissilut

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...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer, O/o Block Development and Panchayat Officer, Block Sudhar, District Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o District Development and Panchayat Officer, Ludhiana.

...Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 3860 OF 2022 (Cisco Webex Proceedings)

PRESENT: Shri Gurnam Singh, Appellant. Shri Sukhwinder Singh, Panchayat Secretary (98553 76351) for the Respondents

ORDER (FIRST HEARING):

The RTI application is dated 12.05.2022 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 04.07.2022 and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on 23.08.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act) and Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 20.12.2022.

2. The Respondent states that requisite information has already been sent to the appellant whereas the Appellant states that incomplete information has been provided to him and he has sent deficiencies to the Bench by email.

3. The Appellant is advised to send these deficiencies in writing to the PIO. The PIO is also directed to remove the deficiencies, if any, received from the appellant and supply rectified information, under intimation to the Commission, before the next date of hearing.

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4. The PIO is again directed to supply remaining information to the appellant. In case information sought by the appellant is not available in the official records, then PIO is directed to file an <u>Undertaking</u> in this regard and produce the same before the Bench, on the next date of hearing, failing which action will be initiated against the PIO as per provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

5. The District Development and Panchayat Officer, Ludhiana 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 **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.

Sd/-Chandigarh(Maninder Singh Patti)20.12.2022State Information Commissioner, Punjab

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

- 1) **The Additional Deputy Commissioner,** Urban Development, Ludhiana.
- Ms. Rupinder Kaur, District Development & Panchayat Officer – cum – First Appellate Authority, Ludhiana.
- 3) Shri Ashok Kumar, Block Development & Panchayat Officer, Block Sudhar, District Ludhiana.