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Shri Kulwant Singh, (9878973610)

S/o Shri Pritam Singh, VPO Pohir, Backside Peerkhana, Distt. Ludhiana – 141204

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o Block Development and Panchayat Officer, Block Dehlon, District Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o District Development and Panchayat Officer, Ludhiana.

...Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 3924 OF 2022 (Cisco Webex Proceedings)

PRESENT: Shri Kulwant Singh, Appellant (On Telephone)

Shri Gurinder Pal Singh, Panchayat Secretary on behalf of the Respondents

(88720 62903)

ORDER (FIRST HEARING):

The RTI application is dated 14.12.2021 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 01.06.2022 and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on 26.08.2022 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 supplied to the appellant on 07.09.2022.
- 3. The Appellant is absent. Subsequently, he is contacted over phone and he states that incomplete information has been received by him.
- 4. The Respondent further seeks some time to provide remaining information.

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- 5. The Appellant is advised to point out deficiencies and send to the PIO within week. The PIO is 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. In case information sought by the appellant is not available in the official records, then PIO is directed to file an **Undertaking** 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.
- 6. 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.
- 7. 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 20.12.2022

(Maninder Singh Patti) State 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.
- 2) The District Development & Panchayat Officer (By Name)
 cum First Appellate Authority,
 Ludhiana.