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Shri Ramesh Kumar Gupta, (98554 51751)

(Retd. Inspector), Nagar Council, Gurdaspur, # 498/25, Backside Post Office Colony, Main Gali, Gurdaspur.

....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer, O/o Executive Officer, Nagar Council, Gurdaspur.

First Appellate Authority, O/o Additional Deputy Commissioner, Urban Development, Gurdaspur.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 3937 OF 2022 (Cisco Webex Proceedings)

PRESENT: None for the Parties.

ORDER (FIRST HEARING):

The RTI application is dated 30.05.2022 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 08.07.2022 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 21.12.2022.

2. The Appellant is absent for today's hearing in the Commission.

3. The PIO is also absent for today's hearing, inspite of the Notice/Orders of the Commission. This shows his disregard to the 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/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 **BAILABLE WARRANT** will be issued to him.

5. The matter is adjourned. To come up for hearing on **03.04.2023 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)21.12.2022State Information Commissioner, Punjab

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

1) **The Deputy Commissioner**, Gurdaspur.