

PUNJAB STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION

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Shri Vivek Kumar, (91696 21000)

S/o Shri Tara Chand,

R/o Village Kandhwala Amarkot,

Tehsil Abohar, Distt Fazilka.

....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o Block Development and Panchayat Officer,

Block Fazilka. Abohar, District

First Appellate Authority,

O/o District Development and Panchayat Officer,

Fazilka.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 4048 OF 2022

(Cisco Webex Proceedings)

PRESENT: Shri Vivek Kumar, Appellant.

None on behalf of the Respondents

ORDER (FIRST HEARING):

The RTI application is dated 08.06.2022 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 11.07.2022 and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on 31.08.2022 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 PIO is absent. However, an email has been received by the Bench mentioning therein that requisite information has sent to the appellant vide letter dated 18.11.2022 whereas the Appellant states that he has received incomplete information.

3. The Appellant is advised to point out 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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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.

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

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.

**Chandigarh
21.12.2022**

Sd/-
(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,
Fazilka.
- 2) **The District Development & Panchayat Officer (By Name)**
– cum – First Appellate Authority,
Fazilka.