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Sh. Ravinder Pal Singh (9814228629)

30, Banda Bahadur Nagar, Jalandhar.

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o MC, Jalandhar.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Commissioner,

MC, Jalandhar.

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 861 of 2022

Through CISCO WEBEX

Present:

Appellant - Sh. Ravinder Pal Singh is present.

Respondent: Ms. Sushma Duggal, ATP –cum- PIO is present from the Department.

ORDER:

1. The RTI application is dated 31.05.2021 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 05.07.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 15.02.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 07.07.2022 but was postponed and fixed for 01.09.2022 and again postponed and the hearing has been fixed for 01.11.2022 i.e. today.
2. In today's hearing, the Appellant, Shri Ravinder Pal is present but his voice is not audible during the hearing of this case.
3. The PIO, Ms. Sushma Duggal requests for an adjournment and assures that the information will be supplied to the appellant soon.
4. The PIO concerned is directed to supply the information/reply as per RTI application to the Appellant within ten days after receipt of this order along with directions to represent this case on the next date of hearing positively, failing which stern action will be initiated against the respondent PIO concerned.
5. Appellant is also advised to point out discrepancy, if any, in writing to the respondent PIO within seven days after receipt of information with a copy to the Commission, failing which it will be presumed that he has nothing to say in this regard.
6. With the aforesaid directions, the matter is adjourned to **25.01.2023 at 11:00 A.M. through CISCO-Webex (Video Conferencing application)**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties. (Steps to use CISCO WEBEX: Install CISCO Webex->Click on Join Meeting->Enter Meeting Number 1582933632).

Dated: 01.11.2022

(Anumit Singh Sodhi)
State Information Commissioner
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