



Hari Kishan

L/R A.S.I. No. 253/Hoshiarpur,
Quarter No. 352,
Police Lines, Hoshiarpur (Punjab)
(M.- 94650-71571)

....Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,

O/o The Senior Superintendent of Police,
Hoshiarpur (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,

O/o The Inspector General of Police, Pb.,
Jalandhar Range,
Jalandhar (Punjab)

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 4437 of 2022

Present : Sh. Hari Kishan, the appellant in person.
Sh. Rajinder Singh, A. S. I.(M.-9417478832), on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

Heard in the Commission.

2. The RTI request is dated 01.01.2022. First appeal is dated Nil. Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 21.09.2022.

3. The appellant, Sh. Hari Kishan, who appeared in person in today's hearing, states that no information has been given to him by the respondent PIO.

4. Sh. Rajinder Singh, A. S. I, who appeared on behalf of the respondent in today's hearing, states that a reply has already been sent to the appellant vide letter no. 75293 dated 10.11.2022, intimating him that required information could not be supplied to him(appellant) due to 'security reasons' as it is exempted from the liability of public disclosure under the RTI Act vide a Notification no. 2/27/05-1AR/191 dated 23.02.2006 (which shows that RTI Act shall not apply on all forms of correspondence of various units with the security wing) and also submits a reply vide letter no. 75825 dated 11.11.2022. It, alongwith annexure, is taken on record.

5. Heard the parties and examined the documents placed in the case-file, it emerges that part information sought by the appellant through his RTI request is 'third party' information and part information is givable.

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6. Hence, the respondent PIO is directed to provide only counting of the employees demanded through all the queries raised in the RTI request with the directions not to provide Belt number, Name or any other details.

7. With this, the case is **adjourned to 9thDecember,2022(Friday) at 12:00 P. M. for hearing.**

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Dated : 14th November, 2022

Sd/-
(Amrit Partap Singh Sekhon)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab