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Sh. Danish Mahajan, S/o Sh. Naresh Mahajan  
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....Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,  
O/o Director, Information and Public Relations, Punjab  
Civil Sectt., Chandigarh

First Appellate Authority,  
O/o Director, Information and Public Relations, Punjab  
Civil Sectt., Chandigarh

...Respondents

### **Appeal Case No. 931 of 2023**

Present : (i) Sh. Danish Mahajan the appellant (*telephonically*)  
(ii) For the respondent : Smt. Sucheta , Sr. Assistant (9646212592)

#### **ORDER**

2. The RTI application is dated 03.07.2022 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 30.01.2023 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 10.04.2023 in the Commission.

3. The appellant is absent today. He was contacted over phone.

4. The respondent states that the information demanded by the appellant is not related with their department.

5. After hearing both the parties and going through case file, it is observed that the respondent has filed reply today in the Commission mentioning therein that the information demanded by the appellant is not related with their department.. *Copy of the same be sent to the appellant alongwith these orders.*

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6. The Commission has examined the reply which adequately addresses the RTI application. Hence, I am of the considered opinion that the Respondent has provided appropriate and permissible reply to the Appellant. *However, the appellant is advised to file a fresh RTI application with the concerned department, in case he so wish.*

7. In view of the above, no further cause of action is left, hence the above said appeal case filed by the appellant is **disposed of and closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

**Sd/-**

**(Amrit Partap Singh Sekhon)**  
State Information Commissioner  
Punjab

**Dated :10<sup>th</sup> April, 2023**