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Sh.Gurpal Singh Bains, (M-98140-15814)

S/o Late ShNasib Singh Bains,

r/o # 33, Sector-2, Mundi Kharar, Distt Mohali

.....Appellant

..Vs

Public Information Officer,

O/o MC, Kharar, Distt- Mohali

First Appellate Authority-cum-

O/o Regional Deputy Director,

Urban Local Bodies, Patiala

.....Respondent

AC No. 3918 of 2020
(Through CISCO-Webex)

Present: (i) None for the Appellant

(ii) for the Respondent: Sh. Rajwinder Singh, Draftsmen (8295271122)

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 29.07.2020 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 07.12.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 01.03.2021 through CISCO-Webex(Video-Conferencing application).

3. The Appellant is not present today.

4. The Respondent states that the information , as exists in the record has been sent to the appellant.

5. Today is the first date of hearing and the Appellant is not present today. Hence, an opportunity is given to the Appellant to appear before the Commission and state their case.

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6. To come up on 27.04.2021 **at 11:00AM in the Commission office.** Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

Dated: 01.03.2021

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Sh Pawan Kumar Sharma, Advocate (M- 94639-50619)

#585, Phase-2, Mohali-160055

.....Appellant

..Vs

Public Information Officer,

O/o MC, Mohali

First Appellate Authority-cum-

O/o MC, Mohali

.....Respondent

AC No. 3871 of 2020
(Through CISCO-Webex)

Present: (i) Sh. Pawan Kumar Sharma, Appellant

(ii) None for the Respondent

ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated 28.06.2020 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 07.12.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 01.03.2021 through CISCO-Webex(Video-Conferencing application).

3. The Appellant states that no information has been provided to him so far.

4. No one has appeared on behalf of the Respondent today.

5. Today is the first date of hearing and no one has appeared on behalf of the Respondent today. Hence, an opportunity is given to the Respondent-PIO to appear before the Commission and state their case.

6. To come up **on 27.04.2021 at 11:00AM in the Commission office.** Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

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REGISTERED POST

Sh. Sunil Kumar, (M- 98156-97492)

S/o Sh. KewalKrishan, Village Nurpurbedi

DisttRopar

.....Appellant

..Vs

Public Information Officer,

O/o DC, Rupnagar

First Appellate Authority-cum-

O/o DC, Rupnagar

.....Respondent

AC No. 3834 of 2020
(Through CISCO-Webex)

Present: (i) Sh Sunil Kumar Appellant (*in the Commission office*)

(ii) for the Respondent: Sh ShriKant, clerk (9888497183)(through telephone)

ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated 20.08.2020 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 04.12.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).
2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 01.03.2021 through CISCO-Webex (Video-Conferencing application).
3. The Respondent Sh Shrikant states that the information has been provided to the Appellant. They have also filed their reply in this regard vide Commission diary no. 4474 dated 25.02.2021. Copy of the same is taken on record.
4. The Appellant states that the information provided to him is not correct and he is not satisfied with the same. He further states that the Respondent misbehaved with him when he went to his office.

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AC No. 3834 of 2020

5. After hearing both the parties and perusing the case file, it is ascertained that the information provided to the Appellant is not correct. It is also observed that the respondents are being represented by very low level officials who are not in a position to satisfy the commission and the appellant. From the next date of hearing, no person below the PIO or APIO will be allowed to appear.

6. Looking at the lackadaisical attitude of the respondents, The respondent-PIO, Sh. Jaswant Singh, DRO is directed to show cause as to why penalty @ 250/- per day be not imposed upon him under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act 2005 for not sent the correct information to the appellant within the statutorily period. PIO is also directed to file an affidavit in this regard before the next date of hearing. He may also make use of the next date of hearing for his personal hearing as well under the principles of natural justice and explain his conduct and status of the appeal to enable the Commission to arrive at a reasonable /logical conclusion in the matter.

7. To come up on **27.04.2021 at 11:00AM in the Commission office.** Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Dated: 01.03.2021

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