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COMPLAINT CASE NO. 0408 OF 2020

Shri Harjinder Singh, (9814962645)
S/o Amarjit Singh
Village & Post Office Chak Saidoke,
Tehsil Jalalabad West, District Fazilka-152024

...Complainant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Secretary,
Punjab School Education Department,
Civil Secretariat-2,
Sector 9-A, Chandigarh.

Public Information Officer,
O/o Director, Punjab,
Education Recruitment Directorate,
Near Gurudwara Sacha Dhan Sahib,
(Microsoft Building), Phase-3B-1,
S.A.S. Nagar-160055 (Mohali).

...Respondent

HEARD Through CISCO WEBEX – VC/TELEPHONE

PRESENT: None on behalf of the Complainant.

Sh. Onkar Singh, Sr. Assistant O/o Secretary, Education, Punjab on behalf of the Respondent.

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 15.03.2020 whereby the Complainant has sought information as mentioned in his RTI application. He filed complaint in the Commission on 03.07.2020 under Section 18 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act) and Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 01.10.2020.

The Complainant is absent from today's hearing.

The Respondent states that information sought by the Complainant is not available with the PIO and same has been transferred to the concerned Branch i.e. PIO O/o Director, Education Recruitment Directorate, Punjab, Near Gurudwara Sacha Dhan Sahib, (Microsoft Building), Phase-3B-1, S.A.S. Nagar-160055 and copy to the Complainant.

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In view of the above, the Respondent – PIO O/o Director, Education Recruitment Directorate, Punjab, Near Gurudwara Sacha Dhan Sahib, (Microsoft Building), Phase-3B-1, S.A.S. Nagar-160055 is impleaded as Respondent No. 2 and directed to provide the information relating to RTI application (Enclosed) dated 15.03.2020 of the Complainant, before the next date of hearing, failing which strict action will be initiated against him as per provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

The Respondent – PIO O/o Secretary, Education is directed to retrieve the information from the Respondent No. 2 and provide to the Complainant and file a written reply in response to the Notice of the Commission, on the next date of hearing, failing which strict action will be initiated against him as per provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

The case is adjourned to **25.11.2020 at 01:00 PM through CISCO WEBEX MEETING ID No. 913428845**. Both the parties are directed to present their case accordingly. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Chandigarh
01.10.2020

Sd/-
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COMPLAINT CASE NO.0454 OF 2020

Shri Gurpal Singh, (9888370064)
2317/4, Sawan Nagar,
AMRITSAR.

...Complainant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Commissioner,
Municipal Corporation,
AMRITSAR.

...Respondents

HEARD Through CISCO WEBEX – VC/TELEPHONE

PRESENT: Sh. Gurpal Singh, Complainant.
None on behalf of the Respondent.

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 03.10.2019 whereby the Complainant has sought information as mentioned in his RTI application. He filed complaint in the Commission on 20.07.2020 under Section 18 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act) and Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 01.10.2020.

The Complainant is absent from today's hearing.

The PIO has not appeared for today's hearing, inspite of the Notice of the Commission. This shows his disregard to the Commission. The absence of the PIO is viewed seriously and it has also affected hearing and disposal of the case.

In view of the above, the Respondent – PIO is directed to present this case personally and file a written reply in response to the Notice of the Commission, on the next date of hearing, failing which strict action will be initiated against him as per provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

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COMPLAINT CASE NO. 0454 OF 2020

The case is adjourned to **25.11.2020 at 01:00 PM through CISCO WEBEX MEETING ID No. 913428845**. Both the parties are directed to present their case accordingly. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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APPEAL CASE NO.1782 OF 2020

Commodore Vijay Kumar Gautam (Retd.) (9478516777)
S/o Shri Shanti Saroop Sharna,
682, Sector 8-B,
Chandigarh-160009

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Senior Superintendent of Police,
HOSHIARPUR.

First Appellate Authority
O/o Senior Superintendent of Police,
HOSHIARPUR.

...Respondents

HEARD Through CISCO WEBEX – VC/TELEPHONE

PRESENT: Commodore Vijay Kumar Gautam (Retd.), Appellant.
ASI Rajinder Singh O/o S.S.P., Hoshiarpur along with
S.H.O. Sh. Ramesh Kumar Sharma for the Respondents.

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 27.01.2020 vide which the Appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 06.03.2020 and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on 03.07.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act) and Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 01.10.2020.

The Appellant states that incomplete information has been provided to him by the Respondents.

The Respondents states that requisite information has already been supplied to the Appellant vide letter no. 10694, dated 17.02.2020 and no other information available in the record. Copy of the same sent to the Commission also.

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The Appellant further states that he is not satisfied with the provided information.

In view of the above, the PIO is directed to ensure that the information in respect of the RTI application dated 27.01.2020 is furnished to the Appellant. However, if this information is not available on record, the PIO shall file an affidavit on oath stating the same, before the next date of hearing, failing which strict action will be initiated against him as per provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

The case is adjourned to **25.11.2020 at 01:00 PM through CISCO WEBEX MEETING ID No. 913428845**. Both the parties are directed to present their case accordingly. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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APPEAL CASE NO.1784 OF 2020

Shri Sukhchain Singh, (9463518565)
Sonam Mohalla,
Fatehgarh Chirian, Teh. Batala,
District Gurdaspur.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Deputy Director,
Local Government Punjab,
AMRITSAR.

First Appellate Authority
O/o Director,
Local Government, Punjab,
Municipal Bhawan, Sector 35-A, Chandigarh.

...Respondents

HEARD Through CISCO WEBEX – VC/TELEPHONE

PRESENT: Sh. Sukhchain Singh, Appellant.
Sh. Vijay Kumar, Sr. Assistant –cum- APIO O/o Deputy Director,
Local Government, Amritsar on behalf of the Respondents.

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 07.02.2020 vide which the Appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 24.02.2020 and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on 03.07.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act) and Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 01.10.2020.

The Appellant states that incomplete information has been provided to him by the Respondents.

The Respondent states that available information has already been supplied to the Appellant vide letter no. DDLG-2020/1436, dated 19.02.2020 and no other information available in the record.

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The Appellant further states that he is not satisfied with the provided information.

The Respondent further states that he is First Appellate Authority and the Appellant should be sought information from the PIO O/o Municipal Council, Fatehgarh Churian, where the actual information sought is available.

After perusal of the case file, it is observed that the Respondent should have transferred the RTI application of the Appellant or asked to file a fresh RTI application with the concerned PIO but both actions were not taken by the Respondent. Therefore, the Respondent is directed to retrieve the demanded information from the concerned PIO and supply the same to the Appellant, before the next date of hearing, failing which strict action will be initiated against him as per provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

The Appellant is also advised to be careful while seeking the information.

The case is adjourned to **25.11.2020 at 01:00 PM through CISCO WEBEX MEETING ID No. 913428845**. Both the parties are directed to present their case accordingly. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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APPEAL CASE NO.1786 OF 2020

Shri Sukhchain Singh, (9463518565)
Sonam Mohalla,
Fatehgarh Chirian, Teh. Batala,
District Gurdaspur.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Deputy Director,
Local Government Punjab,
AMRITSAR.

First Appellate Authority
O/o Director,
Local Self Govt. Punjab,
Municipal Bhawan, Sector 35-A, Chandigarh.

...Respondents

HEARD Through CISCO WEBEX – VC/TELEPHONE

PRESENT: Sh. Sukhchain Singh, Appellant.
Sh. Vijay Kumar, Sr. Assistant –cum- APIO O/o Deputy Director,
Local Government, Amritsar on behalf of the Respondents.

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 18.01.2020 vide which the Appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 17.02.2020 and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on 03.07.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act) and Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 01.10.2020.

The Appellant states that no information has been provided to him by the Respondents.

The Respondent states that requisite information has already been supplied to the Appellant vide letter no. DDLG-2020/1022, dated 10.02.2020 and no other information available in the record.

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The Appellant further states that he is not satisfied with the provided information.

The Respondent further states that he is First Appellate Authority and the Appellant should be sought information from the PIO O/o Municipal Council, Fatehgarh Churian, where the information sought is available.

After perusal of the case file, it is observed that the Respondent should have transferred the RTI application of the Appellant or asked to file a fresh RTI application with the concerned PIO but both actions were not taken by the Respondent. Therefore, the Respondent is directed to retrieve the demanded information from the concerned PIO and supply the same to the Appellant, before the next date of hearing, failing which strict action will be initiated against him as per provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

The Appellant is also advised to be careful while seeking the information.

The case is adjourned to **25.11.2020 at 01:00 PM through CISCO WEBEX MEETING ID No. 913428845**. Both the parties are directed to present their case accordingly. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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APPEAL CASE NO.1787 OF 2020

Shri Sukhchain Singh, (9463518565)
Sonam Mohalla,
Fatehgarh Chirian, Teh. Batala,
District Gurdaspur.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Deputy Director,
Local Government Punjab,
AMRITSAR.

First Appellate Authority
O/o Director,
Local Self Govt. Punjab,
Municipal Bhawan, Sector 35-A, Chandigarh.

...Respondents

HEARD Through CISCO WEBEX – VC/TELEPHONE

PRESENT: Sh. Sukhchain Singh, Appellant.
Sh. Vijay Kumar, Sr. Assistant –cum- APIO O/o Deputy Director,
Local Government, Amritsar on behalf of the Respondents.

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 27.01.2020 vide which the Appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 17.02.2020 and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on 03.07.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act) and Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 01.10.2020.

The Appellant states that no information has been provided to him by the Respondents.

The Respondent states that requisite information has already been supplied to the Appellant vide letter no. DDLG-2020/1020, dated 10.02.2020 and no other information available in the record.

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The Appellant further states that he is not satisfied with the provided information.

The Respondent further states that he is First Appellate Authority and the Appellant should be sought information from the PIO O/o Municipal Council, Fatehgarh Churian, where the information sought is available.

After perusal of the case file, it is observed that the Respondent should have transferred the RTI application of the Appellant or asked to file a fresh RTI application with the concerned PIO but both actions were not taken by the Respondent. Therefore, the Respondent is directed to retrieve the demanded information from the concerned PIO and supply the same to the Appellant, before the next date of hearing, failing which strict action will be initiated against him as per provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

The Appellant is also advised to be careful while seeking the information.

The case is adjourned to **25.11.2020 at 01:00 PM through CISCO WEBEX MEETING ID No. 913428845**. Both the parties are directed to present their case accordingly. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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APPEAL CASE NO.1789 OF 2020

Shri Sukhchain Singh, (9463518565)
Sonam Mohalla,
Fatehgarh Chirian, Teh. Batala,
District Gurdaspur.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Deputy Director,
Local Government Punjab,
AMRITSAR.

First Appellate Authority
O/o Director,
Local Self Govt. Punjab,
Municipal Bhawan, Sector 35-A, Chandigarh.

...Respondents

HEARD Through CISCO WEBEX – VC/TELEPHONE

PRESENT: Sh. Sukhchain Singh, Appellant.
Sh. Vijay Kumar, Sr. Assistant –cum- APIO O/o Deputy Director,
Local Government, Amritsar on behalf of the Respondents.

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 18.01.2020 vide which the Appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 17.02.2020 and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on 03.07.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act) and Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 01.10.2020.

The Appellant states that no information has been provided to him by the Respondents.

The Respondent states that requisite information has already been supplied to the Appellant vide letter no. DDLG-2020/1021, dated 10.02.2020 and no other information available in the record.

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The Appellant further states that he is not satisfied with the provided information.

The Respondent further states that he is First Appellate Authority and the Appellant should be sought information from the PIO O/o Municipal Council, Fatehgarh Churian, where the information sought is available.

After perusal of the case file, it is observed that the Respondent should have transferred the RTI application of the Appellant or asked to file a fresh RTI application with the concerned PIO but both actions were not taken by the Respondent. Therefore, the Respondent is directed to retrieve the demanded information from the concerned PIO and supply the same to the Appellant, before the next date of hearing, failing which strict action will be initiated against him as per provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

The Appellant is also advised to be careful while seeking the information.

The case is adjourned to **25.11.2020 at 01:00 PM through CISCO WEBEX MEETING ID No. 913428845**. Both the parties are directed to present their case accordingly. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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APPEAL CASE NO.1799 OF 2020

Shri Ajay Kumar Mehta (9814646309)
#C-118, East Mohan Nagar,
Chamrang Road, AMRITSAR.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Commissioner,
Municipal Corporation,
AMRITSAR.

First Appellate Authority
O/o Commissioner,
Municipal Corporation,
AMRITSAR.

...Respondents

HEARD Through CISCO WEBEX – VC/TELEPHONE

PRESENT: Sh. Ajay Kumar Mehta, Appellant (On Telephone).
None on behalf of the Respondents.

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 08.01.2020 vide which the Appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 18.02.2020 and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on 07.07.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act) and Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 01.10.2020.

The Appellant states that incomplete and unattested information has been provided to him by the Respondents.

The PIO has not appeared for today's hearing, inspite of the Notice of the Commission. This shows his disregard to the Commission. The absence of the PIO is viewed seriously and it has also affected hearing and disposal of the case.

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APPEAL CASE NO. 1799 OF 2020

After examining the case file, it is revealed that the Respondents has already been supplied the requisite information to the Appellant vide letter no. SG/835, dated 27.01.2020.

The Appellant is advised to point out the deficiencies in writing, to the Respondents. The Respondent – PIO is also directed to the discrepancies, if any, after received from the Appellant, before the next date of hearing remove and he is further directed to present this case personally, on the next date of hearing, failing which strict action will be initiated against him, as per provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

The case is adjourned to **25.11.2020 at 01:00 PM through CISCO WEBEX MEETING ID No. 913428845**. Both the parties are directed to present their case accordingly. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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APPEAL CASE NO.1800 OF 2020

Shri Ajay Kumar Mehta (9814646309)
#C-118, East Mohan Nagar,
Chamrang Road, AMRITSAR.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Commissioner,
Municipal Corporation,
AMRITSAR.

First Appellate Authority
O/o Commissioner,
Municipal Corporation,
AMRITSAR.

...Respondents

HEARD Through CISCO WEBEX – VC/TELEPHONE

PRESENT: Sh. Ajay Kumar Mehta, Appellant (On Telephone).
Sh. Daljit Singh, Superintendent O/o Commissioner, M.C., Amritsar.

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 15.01.2020 vide which the Appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 24.02.2020 and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on 07.07.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act) and Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 01.10.2020.

The Appellant states that incomplete and unattested information has been provided to him by the Respondents.

The Respondent states that requisite information has already been supplied to the Appellant vide letter no. LS/124, dated 07.02.2020.

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APPEAL CASE NO. 1800 OF 2020

The Appellant is advised to point out the deficiencies in writing, to the Respondents. The Respondent – PIO is also directed to remove the discrepancies, if any, after received from the Appellant, before the next date of hearing, failing which strict action will be initiated against him, as per provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

The case is adjourned to **25.11.2020 at 01:00 PM through CISCO WEBEX MEETING ID No. 913428845**. Both the parties are directed to present their case accordingly. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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