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Shri Pawan Kumar, S/o Sh. Shiv Lal, Village Rupana, Tehsil & Distt. Sri Muktsar Sahib.

--Appellant.

Versus

Public Information Officer O/o BDPO, Lambi, Distt. Sri Muktsar Sahib.

First Appellate Authority: **O/o** DDPO.

Sri Muktsar Sahib. Respondent

Appeal Case No. 3057 of 2021

Present:- Shri Pawan Kumar, appellant is absent.

None present on behalf of the SPIO, O/o BDPO, Lambi, Distt. Sri Muktsar Sahib.

ORDER

Dated: 01.11.2021

Shri Pawan Kumar, appellant filed RTI application dated 20.03.2021 and sought some information from the SPIO, O/o BDPO, Lambi, Distt. Sri Muktsar Sahib. When no information was provided to the appellant by the SPIO, then he filed First Appeal before the First Appellate Authority on 25.04.2021 and then Second Appeal before the Punjab State Information Commission on 02.07.2021. The case was registered and allocated to the Bench. Notice of hearing was issued to both the parties for today through **CISCO Webex Meetings Software.**

Both the parties are absent today.

Shri Pawan Kumar, appellant though is absent today, but he has sent an e-mail to the Commission, which is on the file of the Commission.

I have gone through the e-mail sent by the appellant and he submitted that he has received the sought for information and further requested to close the case.

So, as per the e-mail of the appellant that he has received the sought for information and also requested to close the case, hence the present appeal case is **disposed** of and closed.

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Shri Bittu, S/o Sh. Om Kumar, Village Bholapur, PO Sahibana, Chandigarh Road, Distt.Ludhiana.

--Complainant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o SHO, Police Station Haibowal, Distt. Ludhiana.

Respondent

Complaint Case No.:824 of 2021

Present:- Shri Bittu, complainant/applicant is absent.

None present on behalf of the SPIO, O/o SHO, Police Station Haibowal, Distt.

Ludhiana.

ORDER

Dated: 01.11.2021

Shri Bittu, complainant/applicant filed RTI application dated 10.04.2021 and sought some information from the SPIO, O/o SHO, Police Station Haibowal, Distt. Ludhiana. When no information was provided to the complainant/applicant by the SPIO, then he filed complaint against the SPIO before the Punjab State Information Commission on 28.06.2021. The case was registered and allocated to the Bench. Notice of hearing was issued to both the parties for today through **CISCO Webex Meetings Software.**

Both the parties are absent today.

The applicant though is absent today, but he has sent an e-mail to the Commission and submitted that the SPIO has provided him incomplete information and further requested that complete information be provided to him.

The Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in its Order rendered on 12.12.2011 in Civil Appeal Nos. 10787 – 10788 of 2011 (arising out of SLP © No.32768-32769/2010) has held that while entertaining a complaint under Section 18 of the RTI Act, 2005, the Commissioners have no jurisdiction to pass an order providing for an access to the information.

So, I disposed of the present complaint case with the direction to the First Appellate Authority i.e. Commissioner of Police, Ludhiana that he should call the complainant-applicant within 30 days and personally hear him and resolve the matter involved in the RTI application by passing a speaking order and compliance report be sent back to the Commission. With this observation the present complaint case is **disposed of and closed.**

(Avtar Singh Kaler)
State Information Commissioner, Punjab.

(Regd.) Copy to: Commissioner of Police, Ludhiana – for compliance of the order.

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Shri Bittu, S/o Sh. Om Kumar, Village Bholapur, PO Sahibana, Chandigarh Road, Distt.Ludhiana.

--Complainant

Respondent

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o BDPO,

Ludhiana-2.

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Complaint Case No.:822 of 2021

Present:- Shri Bittu, complainant/applicant is absent.

Shri Gurmel Singh, Panchayat Secretary is present on behalf of the SPIO, O/o

BDPO, Ludhiana-2.

ORDER

Dated: 01.11.2021

Shri Bittu, complainant/applicant filed RTI application dated 28.04.2021 and sought some information from the SPIO, O/o BDPO. Ludhiana-2. When no information was provided to the complainant/applicant by the SPIO, then he filed complaint against the SPIO before the Punjab State Information Commission on 28.06.2021. The case was registered and allocated to the Bench. Notice of hearing was issued to both the parties for today through CISCO Webex Meetings Software.

The applicant is absent today, whereas the respondent is present and he stated that the attested copies of 38 pages of information has been sent to the applicant through registered post on 28.10.2021 and a copy of the same has also been sent to the Commission.

The Commission has received an e-mail sent by the SPIO, which is a copy of letter dated 28.10.2021 along with photo copy of postal receipt dated 28.10.2021.

I have gone through the RTI application dated 28.04.2021 and also gone through letter dated 28.10.2021 vide which the SPIO has sent point-wise information to the applicant.

The SPIO has sent the attested copies of sought for information to the applicant and resolved the matte involved in the RTI application, so the present complaint case is disposed of and closed.

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Smt. Paramjit Kaur, S/o Sh. Dalbir Singh, Ward No.10, Mohalla Deriya Shahkot, Distt. Jalandhar.

Versus

--Complainant

Public Information Officer O/o Senior Suptd. of Police, Jalandhar (Rural).

Respondent

Complaint Case No.:818 of 2021

Present:- Smt. Paramjit Kaur, complainant/applicant is absent.

ASI Surinder Mohan is present on behalf of the SPIO, O/o Senior Suptd. of

Police, Jalandhar (Rural).

ORDER

Dated: 01.11.2021

Smt. Paramjit Kaur, complainant/applicant filed RTI application dated 02.12.2020 and sought some information from the SPIO, O/o Senior Suptd. of Police, Jalandhar (Rural). When no information was provided to the complainant/applicant by the SPIO, then she filed complaint against the SPIO before the Punjab State Information Commission on 28.06.2021. The case was registered and allocated to the Bench. Notice of hearing was issued to both the parties for today through CISCO Webex Meetings Software.

The applicant is absent today, whereas the respondent is present and he stated that the sought for information has been provided to the applicant by hand on 10.09.2021 and compliance has been sent to the Commission also.

The Commission has received a mail sent by the SPIO on 16.09.2021, diarized vide no. 21191, which is a copy of letter no. 94480 dated 14.09.2021 along with a copy of letter no. 91703 dated 06.09.2021.

I have gone through letter no. 94480 dated 14.09.2021 and it is submitted by the SPIO that the sought for information consisting of 76 pages has been provided to the applicant vide letter no.91703 dated 06.09.2021. I have also gone through letter no.91703 dated 06.09.2021 and the applicant has signed on the said letter after receiving the information.

As the SPIO has resolved the matter involved in the RTI application and provided the sought for information to the applicant, so the present complaint case is **disposed of and closed**.

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Shri Ashwani Chawla, Bureau Chief, Sach Kahoon, #2872-B, Sector 42-C, Chandigarh.

Versus

--Complainant

Public Information Officer

O/o Education, Department, Pb.,

Mohali. Respondent

Complaint Case No.:817 of 2021

Present:- Shri Ashwani Chawla, complainant/applicant is present.

Ms. Veena Verma, Suptd, is present on behalf of the SPIO O/o DGSE, PB.

ORDER

Dated: 01.11.2021

Shri Ashwani Chawla, complainant/applicant filed RTI application dated 27.05.2021 and sought some information from the SPIO, O/o Education, Department, Pb., Mohali. When no information was provided to the complainant/applicant by the SPIO, then he filed complaint against the SPIO before the Punjab State Information Commission on 28.06.2021. The case was registered and allocated to the Bench. Notice of hearing was issued to both the parties for today through **CISCO Webex Meetings Software.**

Both the parties are present today.

The applicant stated that incomplete information has been provided to him by the SPIO and he further requested that complete information be provided to him.

On the other hand the respondent stated that the information regarding point no. 2 and 3 of the RTI application has been sent to the applicant vide letter dated 27.10.2021 and copy of the same has also been sent to the Commission for compliance. She further stated that regarding point no. 1 of the RTI application, the applicant was asked to deposit the requisite fee vide letter dated 02.07.2020, but the applicant has not deposited the same till date.

The Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in its Order rendered on 12.12.2011 in Civil Appeal Nos. 10787 – 10788 of 2011 (arising out of SLP © No.32768-32769/2010) has held that while entertaining a complaint under Section 18 of the RTI Act, 2005, the Commissioners have no jurisdiction to pass an order providing for an access to the information.

So, I disposed of the present complaint case with the direction to the First Appellate Authority i.e. Director General School Education, Punjab, Mohali that he should call the complainant-applicant within 30 days and personally hear him and resolve the matter involved in the RTI application by passing a speaking order and compliance report be sent back to the Commission. With this observation the present complaint case is **disposed of and closed.**

(Avtar Singh Kaler)
State Information Commissioner, Punjab.

(Regd.) Copy to: Director General School Education, Punjab, Mohali.

-for compliance of the order.

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Shri Baljinder Singh, S/o Shri Banta Singh, Village Haake Wala, Tehsil & Distt. Ferozepur.

.....Appellant.

Public Information Officer, O/ o Director, Education Department, Punjab, Mohali.

First Appellate Authority: O/o Director, Education Department, Punjab, Mohali.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 2501 of 2021

Present:- Shri Baljinder Singh, appellant is absent.

None present on behalf of Shri Harpreet Singh, SPIO-cum-Asstt. Director, O/o

Director, Education Department, Punjab, Mohali.

ORDER

Dated: 01.11.2021

Shri Baljinder Singh, appellant filed RTI application dated 25.01.2021 and sought some information from the SPIO, O/o Director, Education Department, Punjab, Mohali.

Vs

Today the case is heard through CISCO Webex Meetings Software.

Both the parties are absent today.

I have gone through the order dated 16.09.2021 and on that date Sh. Surinder Singh, Sr.Asstt. was present on behalf of the SPIO and he stated that the information sought by the appellant is related with third party and hence been denied vide letter dated 28.07.2021. But as the appellant sought information regarding the educational qualification of a candidate named Shri Harcharan Singh, S/o Shri Nishan Singh, who got public appointment by using his certificates, so those documents became public documents. So, the SPIO is directed that the information regarding only the educational qualification and the marks obtained by Shri Harcharan Singh, S/o Shri Nishan Singh be sent to the appellant through registered post within a week and a copy of the same be also sent to the Commission.

In compliance to the order dated 16.09.2021, the SPIO has sent a mail to the Commission on 17.09.2021, diarized vide no. 21248, which is a copy of letter dated 16.09.2021. I have gone through the said letter vide which the sought for information has been sent to the appellant by the SPIO.

As the SPIO has complied with the order of the Commission and sent the sought for information to the appellant, so the present appeal case is **disposed of and closed**.

Smt. Jasbir Kaur Arora (Principal),

3439, MIG, Urban Estate-2, Dugri, Ludhiana.



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Public Information Officer, O/ o Principal, Govt. Sr. Sec. School, Alamgir, Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority: O/o Govt. Sr. Sec. School, Alamgir, Ludhiana.

.....Appellant.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 2565 of 2021

Vs

Present:- Smt. Jasbir Kaur Arora, appellant is present.

Smt. Neeru Sethi, PIO-cum-Lecturer, O/o Principal, Govt. Sr. Sec. School,

Alamgir, Ludhiana.

ORDER

Dated: 01.11.2021

Smt. Jasbir Kaur Arora, appellant filed RTI application dated 31.12.2020 and sought some information from the PIO, O/o Principal, Govt. Sr. Sec. School, Alamgir, Ludhiana.

Today the case is heard through CISCO Webex Meetings Software.

Both the parties are present today.

The appellant stated that incomplete information has been sent to her by the respondent as information regarding point no.2 of the RTI application has not been provided.

On the other hand the respondent stated that as was directed vide Order dated 16.09.2021, the information has been sent on the e-mail of the appellant on 21.09.2021 and then again sent through registered post on 18.10.2021. She further stated that that the information regarding point no. 2 of the RTI application has already been sent to the appellant on her e-mail on 16.03.2021.

The Commission has received a mail sent by the SPIO on 22.10.2021 diarized vide no. 23865 which is a copy of dispatch no. 453 dated 18.10.2021 along with photo copy of postal receipt dated 18.10.2021, copy of dispatch no. 452 dated 18.10.2021 and attested copies of information.

I have gone through dispatch no. 453 dated 18.10.2021 and it is submitted by the SPIO that the information has been sent on the e-mail of the appellant on 21.09.2021 and then again sent through registered post on 18.10.2021.

As the SPIO has resolved the matter involved in the RTI application and sent the sought for information to the appellant, so the present appeal case is **disposed of and closed**.

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Shri Vinod Kumar, S/o Shri Chiman Singh, V.P.O. Amarpura (Wahab Wala), Tehsil Abohar,

Distt. Fazilka- 152116.

..... Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer, O/o Financial Commissioner, Rural Development & Panchayati Raj, Vikas Bhawan, Sector-62, SAS Nagar – 160062.

First Appellate Authority, O/o Financial Commissioner, Rural Development & Panchayati Raj, Vikas Bhawan, Sector-62, SAS Nagar – 160062.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 4071 of 2020

Present:-Shri Vinod Kumar, appellant is present.

Ms. Jasveer Kaur, Sr. Asstt is present on behalf of the SPIO.

ORDER

Dated: 01.11.2021

Shri Vinod Kumar, appellant filed RTI application dated 25.09.2020 and sought some information from the PIO, O/o Financial Commissioner, Rural Development & Panchayati Raj, SAS Nagar.

Today the case is heard through CISCO Webex Meetings Software.

Both the parties are present today.

The appellant stated that neither the information nor the amount of compensation of Rs.4,000/- has been provided to him by the SPIO.

On the other hand the respondent stated that the information/reply has already been sent to the appellant vide letter no.6200 dated 28.10.2020, letter no.849 dated 11.02.2021 and vide letter no.1209 dated 22.02.2021. She further stated that the appellant sought action taken report regarding a complaint filed by him and now the inquiry has been completed by the Office of the Deputy Chief Executive Officer, Zila Parishad, Fazika and the same has been received in the office of the public authority. The respondent further submitted a copy of inquiry report date 28.10.2021 along with a copy of letter no. 6200 dated 28.10.2020, letter no.849 dated 11.02.2021 and letter no.1209 dated 22.02.2021.

As the SPIO has sent information/reply to the appellant again and again vide letter no. 6200 dated 28.10.2020, letter no.849 dated 11.02.2021 and letter no.1209 dated 22.02.2021, so the amount of compensation of Rs.4,000/- awarded in favour of the appellant is hereby waived off.

The SPIO is directed to send the inquiry report dated 28.10.2021 to the appellant through registered post today itself and compliance report be sent back to the Commission. With this observation the present appeal case is **disposed of and closed**.

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Shri Sukhwinder Singh, S/o Shri Jagga Singh, Village Lalheri, Tehsil Khanna, Distt. Ludhiana.



Vs

Public Information Officer, O/o Block Development and Panchayat Officer, Block Khanna, Distt. Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority, O/o Distt. Development and Panchayat Officer, Ludhiana.

.....Respondent

..... Appellant

Appeal Case No. 1770 of 2021

Present:-Shri Sukhwinder Singh, appellant is absent.

Sh. Jaswant Singh, J.E. is present on behalf of the SPIO O/o Block Development

and Panchayat Officer, Block Khanna, Distt. Ludhiana.

ORDER

Dated: 01.11.2021

Shri Sukhwinder Singh, appellant filed RTI application dated 06.10.2020 and sought some information from the SPIO, O/o Block Development and Panchayat Officer, Block Khanna, Distt. Ludhiana.

Today the case is heard through CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS SOFTWARE.

The appellant is absent today, whereas the respondent is present and he stated that the sought for information has already been sent to the appellant through registered post vide letter no.3056 dated 09.09.2021. He further stated that the demand draft of Rs.2,000/- as compensation has also been sent to the appellant through registered post on 27.10.2021.

The Commission has received an e-mail sent by the SPIO, which is a copy of letter no.4406 dated 02.11.2021 along with a photocopy of Demand Draft No.002680 dated 27.10.2021 in the name of Shri Sukhwinder Singh, appellant.

I have gone through letter no.4406 dated 02.11.2021 and it is submitted by the SPIO that the sought for information has already been sent to the appellant through registered post vide letter no.3056 dated 09.09.2021. It is further submitted by the SPIO that the demand draft of Rs.2,000/- as compensation has also been sent to the appellant through registered post on 27.10.2021.

As the SPIO has sent the sought for information and the amount of compensation to the appellant and resolved the matter involved in the RTI application, so the present appeal case is disposed of and closed.

Shri Sukhwinder Singh, S/o Shri Jagga Singh, Village Lalheri, Tehsil Khanna, Distt. Ludhiana.



Vs

Public Information Officer, O/o Block Development and Panchayat Officer, Block Khanna, Distt. Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority, O/o Distt. Development and Panchayat Officer, Ludhiana.

.....Respondent

..... Appellant

Appeal Case No. 1771 of 2021

Present:- Shri Sukhwinder Singh, appellant is absent.

Sh. Jaswant Singh, J.E. is present on behalf of the SPIO O/o Block Development

and Panchayat Officer, Block Khanna, Distt. Ludhiana.

ORDER

Dated: 01.11.2021

Shri Sukhwinder Singh, appellant filed RTI application dated 24.11.2020 and sought some information from the SPIO, O/o Block Development and Panchayat Officer, Block Khanna, Distt. Ludhiana.

Today the case is heard through CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS SOFTWARE.

The appellant is absent today, whereas the respondent is present and he stated that the sought for information along with demand draft of Rs.2,000/- as compensation has been sent to the appellant through registered post on 25.10.2021.

The Commission has received an e-mail sent by the SPIO, which is a copy of letter no.4406 dated 02.11.2021 along with a photocopy of Demand Draft No.002678 dated 25.10.2021 in the name of Shri Sukhwinder Singh, appellant.

I have gone through letter no.4406 dated 02.11.2021 and it is submitted by the SPIO that the sought for information and the amount of compensation has been sent to the appellant through registered post on 25.10.2021.

As the SPIO has sent the sought for information and the amount of compensation to the appellant through registered post on 25.10.2021 and resolved the matter involved in the RTI application, so the present appeal case is **disposed of and closed.**

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Shri Bikramjeet Singh, # 10494, Street No. 5/6, Bhagwan Chowk, Janta Nagar, Ludhiana.

.....Appellant.

Vs

Public Information Officer, O/ o DEO (SE), Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority: O/o DEO (SE), Ludhiana.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 2197 of 2021

Present:- Shri Bikramjeet Singh, appellant is absent.

Shri Charanjit Singh, SPIO-cum-Dy. Distt. Education Officer, (SE), Ludhiana is

present.

ORDER

Dated: 01.11.2021

Shri Bikramjeet Singh, appellant filed RTI application dated 23.02.2021 and sought some information from the SPIO, O/o DEO (SE), Ludhiana.

Today the case is heard through CISCO Webex Meetings Software.

The appellant is absent today, whereas Shri Charanjit Singh, SPIO-cum-Dy. Distt. Education Officer, (SE), Ludhiana is present.

The SPIO stated that the appellant has sought information regarding the notification of the Teacher's Transfer Policy 2019, which is not related with the office of the public authority i.e. DEO (SE), Ludhiana, rather it relates with the office of the Director, Education Deptt. (SE), Punjab.

The Commission has received an e-mail sent by the SPIO, which is a copy of letter dated 01.11.2021. I have gone through the said letter and the SPIO has submitted the above mentioned facts in the letter.

I have gone through the RTI application dated 23.02.2021 and also gone through the reply sent by the SPIO. The appellant has sought information regarding the notification of the Teacher's Transfer Policy 2019, which is not related with the office of the public authority, i.e. Distt. Education Officer, (SE), Ludhiana, rather it relates with the office of the Director, Education Deptt. (SE), Punjab, so the present appeal case is **disposed of and closed** with the observation that the appellant is at liberty to file fresh RTI application before the concerned public authority.