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Shri Amritpal Singh S/o Shri Avtar Singh, H.No.263A/13, Gali No.8, Hussainpura East, Amritsar.

.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o Director, Local Govt., Punjab, Municipal Bhawan, Sector-35, Chandigarh.

Public Information Officer,

Superintendent, Local Govt.-1 Branch, O/o Principal Secretary, Local Government, Punjab, Municipal Bhawan, Sector-35, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Director, Local Govt., Punjab, Municipal Bhawan, Sector-35, Chandigarh.

....Respondents

AC No. 1088 of 2022

Present: (i) Shri Amritpal Singh, Appellant- in person.

- (ii) Shri Ramninder Singh, Senior Assistant, Local Govt.-1 Branch- in person.
- (ii) Shri Kuldip Singh, Senior Assistant, and Sh. Parvinder Singh, Clerk, Municipal Services Cell,O/o Director, Local Govt., Punjab, Chandigarh, on behalf of the PIO- in person.

ORDER:

- 1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 27.09.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.
- 2. The case has been heard today. The appellant Shri Amritpal Singh comes present in person before the Bench and states that he has not received information so far.
- 3. Shri Ramninder Singh, Senior Assistant, Local Govt.-1 Branch comes present in person before the Bench and states that information was given to the appellant on 01.10.2021 regarding point No.1. and information on point No.3 relates to the Municipal Services Cell of Director, Local Govt., Punjab.

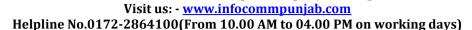
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On the asking of the Bench, Shri Kuldip Singh, Senior Assistant with Shri Parvinder Singh, Clerk comes present in person and states that information on point No.3 has also been supplied to the appellant on 29.09.2021. Shri Parvinder Singh also apprises the appellant regarding the information supplied. On the asking of the Bench as to who has to supply information on point No.2, Shri Ramninder Singh states that information on Point No.1 & 2 is the same. On the asking of the Bench, they assured the Bench that copy of the information will be again given to the appellant today itself after the hearing.

- 4. Though the Bench is convinced that adequate information stands supplied to the appellant, however, the Bench directs the PIO /Superintendent, Local Government-1 Branch, O/o Principal Secretary, Local Government, Punjab, Chandigarh and the PIO, Municipal Services Cell, O/o Director, Local Government, Punjab, Chandigarh to file an affidavit on e-stamp paper separately, within 21 (Twenty one) days, duly signed by the PIO and attested by the Notary Public to the effect that the information as available in the official records in AC No.1088/2022 has been supplied to the appellant. It be further stated that nothing has been concealed therein and the information supplied is true and correct. Original affidavit be sent to the appellant and copy of the same be sent to the Commission for record.
- 5. With the aforesaid directions, **the instant appeal case is disposed off and closed**. Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

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Shri Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia, (RTI Activist), Ward No.18, Street No.2, Kartar Nagar, Amloh Road, Khanna, District Ludhiana-141401.

.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o Secretary, Deptt. Of Local Govt., Punjab, Municipal Bhawan, Sector-35, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Secretary, Department of Local Govt., Punjab, Municipal Bhawan, Sector-35, Chandigarh.

....Respondents

AC No. 3319 of 2021

Present:

- (i) Shri Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia, Appellant- in person.
- (ii) Shri Jasbir Singh, Supdt./PIO and Sumit Kumar, Senior Assistant, Local Govt.-3 Branch, Local Govt. Deptt., Punjab, Chandigarh in person.
- (iii) Smt. Paramjit Kaur, Supdt./PIO and Sh.Gagandeep Singh, Sr. Assistant Local Govt.-4 Branch- in person.

ORDER:

- 1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 27.09.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.
- 2. The case has been heard today. The appellant Shri Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia comes present in person before the Bench and states that he has not received information so far.
- 3. Shri Jasbir Singh, Superintendent and Shri Sumit Kumar, Senior Assistant, Local Govt.-3 Branch, O/o Principal Secretary, Local Govt., Punjab, Chandigarh come present in person before the Bench. Shri Sumit Kumar states that letter dated 13.12.2019 has not been found diarised in the diary register of the Branch and that inspection in this regard was also done by the appellant. He also brings along the relevant diary register.

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4. Smt. Paramjit Kaur, Superintendent and Shri Gagandeep Singh, Senior Assistant, Local

Govt.-4 Branch, O/o Principal Secretary, Local Govt., Punjab, Chandigarh come present in person before

the Bench. Shri Gagandeep Singh states that letter dated 13.12.2019 has not been found diarised in the

diary register of the Branch and that inspection in this regard was also done by the appellant. He also

brings along the relevant diary register.

Post deliberations, the Bench directs the PIOs of Local Governemnt-3 and Local

Government-4 Branch of the Local Government Department to file affidavits separately on e-stamp paper

within 21 (Twenty one) days, duly signed by the PIO and attested by the Notary Public to the effect that

representation of appellant No.8021 dated 13.12.2019 has not been found diarised in the diary register of

Branch and inspection of relevant diary register was also allowed to the appellant. It be further stated that

nothing has been concealed therein and the statement made is true and correct. Original affidavit be sent

to the appellant and copy of the same be sent to the Commission for record.

5. With the aforesaid directions, the instant appeal case is disposed off and closed.

Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

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.....Appellant

Public Information Officer

O/o Director.

District Jalandhar.

Local Government, Punjab, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Director,

Local Government, Punjab, Chandigarh.

....Respondents

AC No. 4387 of 2021

Versus

Present: (i) Appellant- absent.

(ii) Shri Kuldip Singh, Senior Assistant, Municipal Services Cell, O/o Director, Local Government, Punjab, Chandigarh, ion behalf of the PIO/Respondent,

in person.

ORDER:

- 1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 27.09.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.
- 2. The case has been heard today. The appellant Shri Tejinder Singh does not come present either in person before the Bench or through cisco webex.
- 3. Shri Kuldeip Singh, Senior Assistant O/o Director, Local Government, Punjab, Chandigarh comes present in person before the Bench to attend the hearing on behalf of the PIO. He states that the information has been supplied to the appellant vide letter dated 23.05.2022 stating that no verification of educational degrees held by Building Inspectors (Tech.) and Assistant Tow Planners has been got done.
- 4. The appellant admits the receipt of letter dated 23.05.2022 and states that he does not agree with the same as a different stand has been taken by the respondents in the Hon'ble High Court. He refers to the letter of Chief Engineer, Municipal Corporations dated 24.08.2021. However, perusal of said letter does not indicate any such fact of verification of degrees having been got done by the respondents.
- 5. From the perusal of the case file, the Bench observes that the PIO has not filed reply to the show cause notice. However, in view of the submissions made before the Bench by the representative of PIO, the show cause notice is dropped.

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5. Post deliberations, the Bench directs the PIO O/o Director, Local Govt. Punjab,

Chandigarh to file an affidavit on e-stamp paper within 21 (Twenty one) days duly signed by the PIO and

attested by the Notary Public to the effect that the information as available in the official records in AC

No.4387/2021 has been supplied to the appellant. It be further stated that nothing has been concealed

therein and the statement made is true and correct. Original affidavit be sent to the appellant and copy of

the same be sent to the Commission for record.

7. With the aforesaid directions, the instant appeal case is disposed off and closed.

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.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o Chief Administrator, GLADA, Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Chief Administrator, GLADA, Ludhiana.

....Respondents

AC No. 3701 of 2022

Present: (i) Shri Gurmej Lal on behalf of the Appellant- cisco webex.

(ii) Shri Bhupinder Singh, Senior Assistant, O/o GLADA, Ludhiana, on behalf of the PIO/Respondent- cisco webex.

ORDER:

(Heard through cisco webex)

- 1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 28.09.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.
- 2. The case has been heard today. Shri Gurmej Lal comes present to attend the hearing through cisco webex on behalf of Shri Amarjit Singh Dhamotia, appellant and states that no information has been received by the appellant.
- 3. Shri Bhupinder Singh, Senior Assistant, GLADA, Ludhiana comes present to attend the hearing through cisco webex. He states that the information comprising 14 pages has been supplied to the appellant vide letter dated 27.09.2022, sent by registered post, by e.mail and on WhatsApp on 30.09.2022.
- 4. Post deliberations, Shri Gurmej Lal, representative of the appellant is apprised of the version of the representative of PIO and advised to visit office of GLADA and contact Shri Bhupinder Singh Senior Assistant to collect the copy of information from him. Shri Gurmej Lal agrees to it.
- 5. With the aforesaid directions, **the instant appeal case is disposed off and closed.** Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

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.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, , Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, , Amritsar.

....Respondents

AC No. 3671 of 2022

Present: (i) Appellant- absent.

(ii) Dr. Rama, AMHO/PIO & Shri Vijay Sharma, Sanitary Inspector, Municipal Commissioner, Amritsar, Respondent-in person.

ORDER:

- 1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 28.09.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.
- 2. The case was scheduled to be heard today. Shri Chanchal Singh, appellant has not come present to attend the hearing in person before the Bench or through cisco webex.
- 3. Dr. Rama, AMHO/PIO & Shri Vijay Sharma, Sanitary Inspector, Municipal Commissioner, Amritsar, Respondent come present to attend the hearing in person before the Bench. Dr. Rama/PIO states that the appellant was called to office on 15.10.2022 and he was allowed inspection of the entire relevant record. She further states that the information as identified by the appellant has been brought along for handing over to him and produces copy of the same before the Bench.
- 4. Since the appellant is absent, he is contacted on his mobile phone. He is apprised of the version of the PIO and informed that the copy of the information will be sent to him along with the order. He agrees to it.

5. In view of the above, no further cause of action is left in the matter. **The instant appeal** case is disposed off and closed. Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

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.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o Sub Divisional Officer (Urban), PSPCL, Fazilka.

First Appellate Authority O/o Executive Engineer,

PSPCL, Fazilka.

....Respondents

AC No. 3728 of 2022

Shri Baljit Singh, Appellant- in person. Present:

> (ii) Smt. Yamini, SDO, and Smt. Anita Rani, Superintendent, Sub Division, PSPCL, Fazilka, on behalf of PIO/Respondent- in person.

ORDER:

- This order may be read with reference to the order dated 28.09.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.
- 2. The case has been heard today. Shri Baljit Singh, appellant comes present to attend the hearing in person before the Bench.
- 3. Smt. Yamini, SDO, and Smt. Anita Rani, Superintendent, Sub Division, PSPCL, Fazilka, come present to attend the hearing in person before the Bench on behalf of PIO/Respondent. Smt. Yamini states that the information as sought by the appellant has been supplied vide letter dated 27.10.2022.
- 4. On the asking of the Bench, the appellant states that information on point No.3 has not been supplied. Smt.Yamini, SDO states that the said document has not been found diarised in the office and thus, could not be supplied.

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5. Post deliberations, the Bench directs the PIO to file an affidavit on e-Stamp paper, within

21 (twenty one) days, duly signed by the PIO and attested by the Notary Public to the effect that the

information has been supplied to the appellant as available in official records in AC No.3728/2022, except

information on point No.3 as the said document has not been found diarised in their office. It be further

stated that nothing has been concealed therein and the statement made is true and correct. Original

affidavit be sent to the appellant and copy of the same be sent to the Commission for record.

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6. With the aforesaid directions, the instant appeal case is disposed off and closed.

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Shri Manpreet Singh, S/o Shri Davinder Singh, Village Kailpur, P.O:Dakha, Distt: Ludhiana.M-9855100351. PSIC SS

.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer O/o Chief Administrator, GLADA, Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority O/o Chief Administrator, GLADA, Ludhiana.

....Respondents

AC No. 3760 of 2022

Present: (i) Shri Manpreet Singh, Appellant- in person.

(ii) Shri Bhupinder Singh, Senior Assistant, O/o GLADA, Ludhiana, on behalf of the PIO/Respondent- cisco webex.

ORDER:

- 1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 28.09.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.
- 2. The case has been heard today. Shri Manpreet Singh, appellant comes present to attend the hearing in person before the Bench.
- 3. Shri Bhupinder Singh, Senior Assistant, GLADA, Ludhiana comes present to attend the hearing on behalf of the PIO through cisco webex. He states that the appellant has been supplied information on 27.09.2022.
- 4. On the asking of the Bench, the appellant states that he has sought information relating to his complaint dated 21.06.2021 whereas the information supplied relates to the action taken on the complaint made by him in 2022. The respondent states that action taken in both the complaints is the same. The Bench directs the PIO to again send the copies of the notices issued to the concerned owner of the commercial complex to the appellant. The representative of PIO assures to do the needful.
- 5. With the aforesaid directions, **the instant appeal case is disposed off and closed.**Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

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