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**(Regd. Post)** Sh. Balraj Singh Kahlon (Advocate) (7837200432)  
Chamber No. 402, New Courts,  
Jalandhar

Appellant

Versus

## Public Information Officer

O/o Secretary, Regional Transport Officer,  
District Jalandhar

## First Appellate Authority

O/o Secretary, Regional Transport Office,  
District Jalandhar

Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 4046 of 2020**  
**Heard through CISCO WEBEX**

**Present:** (i) None on behalf of the appellant  
(ii) For the respondent: Ms. Manreet Kaur (Clerk) (9780401380).

## ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated 21.03.2020 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 30.07.2020 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 15.12.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for personal hearing on 02.03.2021 in the Commission but heard through CISCO WEBEX.
2. In today's hearing, respondent, Ms. Manreet Kaur states that she is new joining and requested for some more time to supply the requisite information to the appellant.
3. Neither the appellant is present for today's hearing nor had he sent any reply in this regard. He was also intimated regarding today's hearing through telephonic message by the undersigned bench.
4. After hearing the respondent and examining the case file, one more opportunity is given to the respondent PIO to supply the reply/information as per queries raised by the appellant in his RTI application before the next date of hearing.
5. Appellant, Sh. Balraj Singh Kahlon is advised to represent this case in person or through his representative (s) on the next date of hearing who is well aware about the facts of this case, failing to which case will be decided on merit basis. A copy of this order be sent to him through registered post for his ready reference.

6. To come up on **20.04.2021 at 11:00 A.M.** through **CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

**(Steps to use CISCO WEBEX: Install CISCO Webex->Click on Join Meeting->Enter Meeting Number 1582933632).**

**Chandigarh**  
**Dated: 02.03.2021**

**(Anumit Singh Sodhi)**  
**State Information Commissioner**

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**Sh. George Shubh (9814100191)**

S/o Sh. Rustam Masih

R/o Begowal, Ward No. 12,

Tehsil Bholath, Distt. Kapurthala-144621

Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**

**(Regd. Post)** O/o SSP, Mansa

**First Appellate Authority**

O/o IGP, Bathinda Range,

Bathinda

Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 3694 of 2020**

**Heard through CISCO WEBEX**

**Present:**

(i) Sh. George Shubh through telephonic call.

(ii) For the respondent: ASI Angrej Singh (9417134212).

## **ORDER**

1. The RTI application is dated 21.03.2020 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 30.07.2020 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 15.12.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for personal hearing on 02.03.2021 in the Commission but heard through CISCO WEBEX.
2. In today's hearing, appellant intimated the undersigned bench through telephonic message that requisite information is still pending from the respondent PIO.
3. Respondent, ASI Angrej Singh states that reply as per RTI application has already been sent to the appellant through ordinary post dated 11.09.2020.
4. After hearing the respondent and examining the case file, one more opportunity is given to the respondent PIO to send the reply/information as per queries raised by the appellant in his RTI application before the next date of hearing through registered post under the intimation to the Commission. A copy of this order be sent to respondent PIO through registered post for his ready reference.

**Appeal Case No.: 3694 of 2020**  
**Heard through CISCO WEBEX**

5. Appellant, Sh. George Shubh is advised to represent this case in person or through his representative (s) on the next date of hearing who is well aware about the facts of this case, failing to which case will be decided on merit basis. A copy of this order be sent to him through registered post.
6. To come up on **20.04.2021 at 11:00 A.M.** through **CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

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(Regd. Post) **Sh. Rajinder Singh Bhullar (8847256955, 9814618207)**  
S/o Sh. Nachhatar Singh  
VPO Khemuana, Distt. Bathinda-151201  
Versus  
Complainant

(Regd. Post) **Public Information Officer**  
O/o DC, Bathinda  
Respondent

**Complaint Case No.: 937 of 2020**  
**Heard through CISCO WEBEX**

**Present:** (i) Sh. Rajinder Singh Bhullar, the complainant in person.  
(ii) For the respondent: Sh. Kewal Krishan (SA) (9780100696).

**ORDER**

1. The RTI application is dated 23.08.2018 whereby the information-seeker has sought information as mentioned in his RTI application. He filed complaint in the Commission on 09.12.2020 under Section 18 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 25.02.2021 through hearing in the Commission but heard through CISCO Webex application.
2. In today's hearing, complainant intimated the Commission that requisite information is still pending from the respondent PIO.
3. Respondent, Sh. Kewal Krishan is present for today's hearing states that requisite information could not be supplied to the complainant and reply has already been sent to the complainant.
4. After hearing both the parties and examining the case file, it is observed that demanded information is not a third party information and after the lapse of 2.6 years, demanded information is still not have been supplied to the complainant.
5. Respondent PIO is directed to go through the RTI application once again and supply the requisite information to the appellant within fifteen days from today free of cost before the next date of hearing as per RTI Act, 2005.

6. To come up on **20.04.2021 at 11:00 A.M.** through **CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties through registered post.

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**Chandigarh**  
**Dated: 02.03.2021**

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