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Sh. Manjit Singh (84274-98620)

S/o Sh. Gurcharan Singh, Village Manno Majra, Tehsil Chamkaur Sahib, District Ropar

Complainant

Public Information Officer

O/o Secretary, Punjab School Education Board, Chandigarh.

Respondent

Complaint Case No.: 411 of 2019

Versus

Present: Sh. Manjit Singh, the complainant in person.

For the respondent:

Sh. J. R. Mahirok (PIO) Ms. Jasdeep Kaur (APIO) Sh. Harpreet Singh (SA) Sh. Ashwani Kumar (SA)

ORDER

- 1. The above mentioned case was last heard on 09.10.2019 and matter was adjourned for further hearing on 11.11.2019. Due to declaration of Holiday by Punjab Government on the occasion of 550th Birth Ceremony of Shri Guru Nanak Dev Ji case was postponed to be heard on 02.12.2019 i.e. today.
- 2. Respondent, Sh. J. S. Mahirok handed over the requisite information to the complainant during the hearing.
- 3. After gone through the supplied information, complainant intimated the Commission that supplied information as per the RTI application but unattested.
- 4. After hearing both the parties and on the assurance of the respondent, the instant complaint case is **disposed of & closed** with the directions to the respondent PIO to supply the attested copy of the requisite information within one week from today.
- 5. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties.

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Sh. Ram Tirath Saini

House No. 587 - C, Sector 21, Panchkula - 134117. (95015-23111) ramtirathsaini@gmail.com

Appellant

Public Information Officer (Education 4 Branch)

O/o Secretary, School Education, Punjab, Civil Secretariat -2, Sector 9, Chandigarh.

Respondent

Complaint Case No.: 593 of 2019

Versus

Present: Sh. Ram Tirath Saini, the complainant in person.

For the respondent: Ms. Sudesh Kumari (PIO).

ORDER

- 1. The above mentioned case was last heard on 16.10.2019 and matter was adjourned for further hearing on 11.11.2019. Due to declaration of Holiday by Punjab Government on the occasion of 550th Birth Ceremony of Shri Guru Nanak Dev Ji case was postponed to be heard on 02.12.2019 i.e. today.
- 2. Respondent, Ms. Sudesh Kumari states that requisite information has already been supplied to the complainant.
- 3. Complainant, Sh. Ram Tirath Saini states that information relates with point b) is still pending from the respondent PIO.
- 4. After hearing both the parties and examining the case file, it is observed that as per the previous order of the Commission dated 16.10.2019 one opportunity was given to the respondent PIO to supply the pending information in connection with point b) of the RTI application and/or file a written reply to the complainant satisfying the RTI application and matter was adjourned for further hearing on 11.11.2019 but respondent PIO failed to do so.
- 5. A last and final opportunity is given to the respondent PIO to comply with the previous order of the Commission dated 16.10.2019, failing to which stern action will be initiated against him.
- 6. Matter is adjourned for further hearing on **07.01.2020 at 11:30 AM.**
- 7. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties.

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Sh. Birchh Bhan (98761-01698)

S/o Sh. Saroop Chand, R/o H. No. 33, Kahangarh Road, Pataran, District Patiala.

Appellant

Public Information Officer

O/o Assistant Excise and Taxation Commissioner, Patiala.

Respondent

Complaint Case No.: 595 of 2019

Present: Nobody on behalf of the appellant.

For the respondent: Sh. Jaswinder Singh (ETO) along with Sh. Daljeet Singh.

<u>ORDER</u>

1. The above mentioned case was last heard on 16.10.2019 and matter was adjourned for further hearing on 11.11.2019. Due to declaration of Holiday by Punjab Government on the occasion of 550th Birth Ceremony of Shri Guru Nanak Dev Ji case was postponed to be heard on 02.12.2019 i.e. today.

Versus

- 2. Respondent, Sh. Jaswinder Singh states that requisite information has already been supplied to the complainant. He presented a copy of the supplied information vide letter no. 1937-38 dated 06.11.2019 along with remarks of the appellant stating that information has been received, which is taken on record.
- 3. Complainant, Sh. Brichh Bhan is not present for today's hearing. He was also absent on the previous hearing held on 16.10.2019.
- 4. As the information stands supplied, no cause of action is left in this case. Hence, this instant appeal case is **disposed of & closed**.
- 5. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties.

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Sh. Jasbir Singh (98882-96107)

Village Bholapur, Jhabewal, P.O. Ramgarh, District Ludhiana.

Appellant

Respondent

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o Civil Surgeon, Tarn Taran

First Appellate Authority

O/o Civil Surgeon,

Tarn Taran.

Appeal Case No.: 3701 of 2018

Present: Nobody present.

ORDER

- 1. The above mentioned case was last heard on 07.10.2019 and matter was adjourned for further hearing on 11.11.2019. Due to declaration of Holiday by Punjab Government on the occasion of 550th Birth Ceremony of Shri Guru Nanak Dev Ji case was postponed to be heard on 02.12.2019 i.e. today.
- 2. Appellant, Sh. Jasbir Singh is not present for today's hearing but an email dated 01.12.2019 has been received stating that requisite information is still pending from the respondent PIO. This email is taken on record.
- 3. Respondent PIO, O/o Civil Surgeon, Tarn Taran is absent without any intimation to the Commission for today's hearing and he was also on the previous hearings held on 02.09.2019 and 07.10.2019.

On hearing held on 07.10.2019, Show Cause notice was issued to the respondent PIO, O/o Civil Surgeon, Tarn Taran by name but respondent PIO has failed to represent this case today.

- 4. One more opportunity is given to the respondent PIO to comply with the previous order dated 07.10.2019, failing to which stern action will be initiated against him.
- 5. Matter is adjourned for further hearing on 20.01.2020 at 11:30 AM.
- 6. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties.

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Sh. R.P. Gupta (94639-90768)

#738/41-A, Chandigarh.

Appellant

Public Information Officer

O/o Chief Secretary, Mini Secretariat, Chandigarh

Public Information Officer

O/o Additional Chief Secretary, Govt. of Punjab, Department of Animal Husbandry, Punjab, Mini Secretariat, Sector-9, Chandigarh

Public Information Officer

O/o Director,

Department of Animal Husbandry, Punjab, Livestock Complex, Sector 68, Mohali.

First Appellate Authority

O/o The Chief Secretary, Govt. of Punjab

Mini Secretariat, Chandigarh.

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 3995 of 2018

Present: Nobody on behalf of the appellant.

For the respondent: Dr. K.P.S. Pasricha (PIO), Sh. Jasveer Singh (SA-cum-APIO)

along with Sh. Kuldeep Singh (APIO).

<u>ORDER</u>

1. The above mentioned case was last heard on 14.10.2019 and matter was adjourned for further hearing on 11.11.2019. Due to declaration of Holiday by Punjab Government on the occasion of 550th Birth Ceremony of Shri Guru Nanak Dev Ji case was postponed to be heard on 02.12.2019 i.e. today.

Versus

- 2. Respondent, Dr. K.P.S. Pasricha states that reply has already been sent to the appellant twice from the department.
- 3. Respondent, Sh. Kuldeep Singh states that he has brought the reply after removing the deficiencies to hand it over to the appellant but he is not present. He submits a copy of the brought reply (after removing the deficiencies) vide letter no. 2669 dated 02.12.2019 signed by PIO along with supporting documents, which are taken on record.
- 4. Appellant, Sh. R.P. Gupta never appeared before the Commission and representative of the appellant, Sh. Rajesh Gupta represents this case who always discusses irrelevant things instead of proceedings of the case concerned with. He is never satisfied in any case even after receiving the complete requisite information as other cases of Sh. Rajesh Gupta pending before the bench of undersigned. It is a matter of routine for this litigant (Sh. Rajesh Gupta) to ask for the change of a bench the moment he senses an adverse decision.

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5. After hearing the respondent and examining the case file, it is observed that two emails

dated 18.11.2019 and 02.12.2019 have been received from the appellant requesting therein to

transfer this case to another bench on the baseless allegations on the Commissioners as well as on

the working of the Commission.

Appellant has made some un-charitable comments against the bench alleging it to be

vindictive and inimical while deciding other appeals this bench had made very candid and

express observations asserting that this bench is bound by an oath of allegiance to the

Constitution of India to discharge its duties without fear or favor. The Commission is duty bound

morally and ethically to take decisions without bias or ill-will against anyone.

6. I am of the considered view that conduct of the respondent PIO is satisfactory and providing

the requisite information time to time to the appellant. Respondent, Sh. Kuldeep Singh is directed to

send the brought reply to the appellant through registered post.

There is no need to transfer this case. A last and final opportunity is given to the appellant to

represent this case in person or through his representative(s) on the next date of hearing, failing to

which case will be decided on merit basis.

7. Matter is adjourned for further hearing on 07.01.2020 at 11:30 AM.

8. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties.

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(Dr. Pawan Kumar Singla) **State Information Commissioner**

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Ms. Rachna Sharma

#1706/12, Street Chhaju Mishar, Chowk Farid, Amritsar

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

(Regd. Post) O/o DC, Ludhiana

Public Information Officer

O/o Tehsildar, Ludhiana (West), Ludhiana

First Appellate Authority

O/o DC, Ludhiana Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 4135 of 2018

Present:

Nobody present.

ORDER

- 1. The above mentioned case was last heard on 09.10.2019 and matter was adjourned for further hearing on 11.11.2019. Due to declaration of Holiday by Punjab Government on the occasion of 550th Birth Ceremony of Shri Guru Nanak Dev Ji case was postponed to be heard on 02.12.2019 i.e. today.
- 2. Appellant, Ms. Rachna Sharma is not present for today's hearing but an email dated 01.12.2019 has been received stating that requisite information is still pending from the respondent PIO. This email is taken on record.
- 3. Respondent PIO is absent consecutively second time without any intimation to the Commission. He was also absent on the previous hearing held on 09.10.2019.
- 4. After examining the case file, one more opportunity is given to the respondent PIO to represent this case on the next date of hearing to clear the facts. A copy of this order be sent to the respondent PIO through <u>registered post.</u>

It is also observed that appellant has not mentioned anything regarding inspection dated 14.10.2019, which was advised to the appellant on previous hearing held on 09.10.2019. She is advised to represent this case on the next date of hearing to clear the facts, failing to which case will be decided on merit basis.

- 5. Matter is adjourned for further hearing on **20.01.2020 at 11:30 AM.**
- 6. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties.

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Sh. Vishal Joshi (99140-59768)

1697/12, Street Chhaju Mishar, Chowk Farid, Amritsar.

Appellant

Public Information Officer

O/o MC, Amritsar

First Appellate Authority

O/o Commissioner, MC, Ranjit Avenue, Amritsar

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 219 of 2019

Versus

Present: Nobody on behalf of the appellant.

For the respondent: Sh. Sanjay Kanwar (Executive Engineer).

ORDER

- 1. The above mentioned case was last heard on 14.10.2019 and matter was adjourned for further hearing on 11.11.2019. Due to declaration of Holiday by Punjab Government on the occasion of 550th Birth Ceremony of Shri Guru Nanak Dev Ji case was postponed to be heard on 02.12.2019 i.e. today.
- 2. Respondent, Sh. Sanjay Kanwar states that requisite information has already been sent to the appellant.
- 3. Appellant, Sh. Vishal Joshi is absent consecutively second time without any intimation to the Commission. He was also absent on the previous hearing held on 14.10.2019.
- 4. After hearing the respondent and examining the case file, it is observed that requisite information has already been supplied to the appellant and no deficiency has been pointed out by the appellant till date. Therefore, no cause of action is left in this case. Hence, this instant appeal case is **disposed of & closed**.
- 5. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties.

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Sh. Amir Chand S/o Sh. Beli Ram, House No. 589, Street No. 2, Ram Vihar, PO Basti, Jodhewal, Raho Road, Ludhiana

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

Cum Superintendent, O/o Deputy Commissioner, Jalandhar

Public Information Officer (By Name)

DDPO, Jalandhar

First Appellate Authority

O/o Deputy Commissioner, Jalandhar.

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 383 of 2019

Present: Sh. Amir Chand, the appellant in person.

For the respondent: Sh. Gurchetan Singh (PS, O/o DDPO, Jalandhar).

ORDER

- 1. The above mentioned case was last heard on 14.10.2019 and matter was adjourned for further hearing on 11.11.2019. Due to declaration of Holiday by Punjab Government on the occasion of 550th Birth Ceremony of Shri Guru Nanak Dev Ji case was postponed to be heard on 02.12.2019 i.e. today.
- 2. Respondent, Sh. Gurchetan Singh handed over a self declaration by Sh. Iqbal Singh dated 17.11.2019 to the appellant during the hearing. He also submits a self declaration to the Commission, which is taken on record.
- 3. After gone through the self declaration, appellant, Sh. Amir Chand states that he is satisfied with the supplied reply by the DDPO, Jalandhar and information is still pending from the respondent PIO, O/o DC, Jalandhar and requested to supply the information.
- 4. After hearing both the parties and examining the case file, a last and final opportunity is given to the respondent PIO, O/o DC, Jalandhar to represent this case in person to clear the facts of this case, failing to which stern action will be initiated against him. A copy of this order be sent to him through **registered post.**
- 5. Matter is adjourned for further hearing on **07.01.2020 at 11:30 AM.**
- 6. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties.

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(Dr. Pawan Kumar Singla)
State Information Commissioner

Public Information Officer (By Name)

(Regd. Post) Cum Superintendent,

O/o Deputy Commissioner, Jalandhar

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Sh. Amar Dass Mann (80544-11287)

S/o Sh. Sampooran Singh, R/o Village Dharpura, Tehsil Abohar, District Fazilka.

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o Principal, GSSS Dharampura, Tehsil Abohar, District Fazilka.

Public Information Officer Sh. Kulwant Singh O/o DEO (SE), Fazilka.

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

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 691 of 2019

Present: Sh.Amar Dass Mann, the appellant in person.

For the respondent: Sh. Atul Arora (Clerk).

ORDER

- 1. The above mentioned case was last heard on 14.10.2019 and matter was adjourned for further hearing on 11.11.2019. Due to declaration of Holiday by Punjab Government on the occasion of 550th Birth Ceremony of Shri Guru Nanak Dev Ji case was postponed to be heard on 02.12.2019 i.e. today.
- 2. Respondent, Sh. Atul Arora handed over reply to the appellant during the hearing. He submits a reply vide letter no. 0001 dated 02.12.2019 signed by him on behalf of the PIO along with supporting documents, which are taken on record.
- 3. After gone through the supplied reply, appellant, Sh. Amar Dass Mann states that he is satisfied with the supplied information and has no objection to close this case.
- 4. As the information stands supplied, no cause of action is left in this case. Hence, this instant appeal case is **disposed of & closed**.
- 5. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties.

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Sh. Punjab Singh, (97290-16622)

S/o Sh. Tehal Singh, Village Theh Banhera, Tehsil Gukla, District Kaithal, Haryana -136034.

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer O/o Director, Land Records,

Jalandhar.

Public Information Officer

O/o Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana.

Public Information Officer

O/o Tehsildar, Samrala.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Director, Land Records, Jalandhar.

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 1247 of 2019

Present: Nobody on behalf of the appellant.

For the respondent: Sh. Narinder Pal Singh (Patwari).

ORDER

- The above mentioned case was last heard on 07.10.2019 and matter was adjourned for further hearing on 11.11.2019. Due to declaration of Holiday by Punjab Government on the occasion of 550th Birth Ceremony of Shri Guru Nanak Dev Ji case was postponed to be heard on 02.12.2019 i.e. today.
- 2. Respondent, Sh. Narinder Pal Singh is present for today's hearing but he is not aware about the facts of this case.
- 3. Appellant, Sh. Punjab Singh is absent consecutively second time without any intimation to the Commission. He was also absent on the previous hearing held on 07.10.2019.
- 4. After examining the case file, a last and final opportunity is given to the respondent PIO, O/o Tehsildar, Samrala to comply with the previous order of the Commission dated 07.10.2019 along with directions to appear in person on the next date of hearing, failing to which stern action will be initiated against him. He is also directed not to send officials who do not know anything about the case.
- 5. Matter is adjourned for further hearing on **20.01.2020 at 11:30 AM.**
- 6. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties.

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Sh. Kuldip Kumar Kaura, (98144-40385)

Retd. Lecturer, # 5 – C, Phase 1, Urban Estate, Focal Point, Ludhiana.

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o DPI (SE), Punjab, Mohali.

Public Information Officer/APIO

Nodal Officer (RTI), DPI (SE), Punjab, Mohali

Deputy Director (By Name) Sh. Subhash Mahajan

O/o DPI (SE), Punjab, Mohali

First Appellate Authority

O/o DPI (SE), Punjab, Mohali.

Appeal Case No.: 1256 of 2019

Respondent

Nobody on behalf of the appellant.

For the respondent: Sh. Babbanjeet Kaur (Technical Assistant) along with Sh.

Surinder Kumar (Lecturer).

ORDER

Present:

- 1. The above mentioned case was last heard on 07.10.2019 and matter was adjourned for further hearing on 11.11.2019. Due to declaration of Holiday by Punjab Government on the occasion of 550th Birth Ceremony of Shri Guru Nanak Dev Ji case was postponed to be heard on 02.12.2019 i.e. today.
- 2. Respondent, Ms. Babbanjeet Kaur states that she has brought the information along with compensation cheque to hand it over to the appellant but he is not present. She submits the following documents, which re taken on record:
 - Reply vide letter no. 377200/2145 dated 05.11.2019 signed by PIO, O/o NCERT, Punjab.
 - Reply vide letter no. 2019/377188 dated 05.11.2019 addressed to the appellant, signed by PIO, O/o NCERT, Punjab along with supporting documents.
 - A copy of demand draft dated 06.12.2019 amounting Rs. 1,500/-.
- 3. Sh. Surinder Kumar orally states that no qualification is fixed in connection with point no. 4.
- 4. Appellant, Sh. Kuldip Kumar Kaura is absent without any intimation to the Commission for today's hearing.

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- 5. After hearing the respondent and examining the case file, respondent PIO is directed to send the requisite information along with cheque to the appellant before the next date of hearing.
- 6. Appellant, Sh. Kuldip Kumar Kaura is advised to go through the reply, once he had received it from the respondent PIO and point out deficiency, if any, in writing to the Commission along with advice to represent this case in person or through his representative(s) on the next date of hearing, failing to which case will be decided on merit basis.
- 7. Matter is adjourned for further hearing on **07.01.2020 at 11:30 AM**.
- 8. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties.

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Sh. Pawan Kumar (62803-57764)

S/o Sh. Birbal, Tilak Nagar, Street No. 8, Sri. Mukstar Sahib-152026

Versus

Appellant

Public Information Officer

O/o Secretary, School education, Punjab, Mohali

First Appellate Authority

O/o Secretary, School education, Punjab, Mohali.

Respondent

Appeal Case No.:1344 of 2019

Present: Nobody on behalf of the appellant.

For the respondent: Sh. Atul Arora (Clerk).

ORDER

- The above mentioned case was last heard on 09.10.2019 and matter was adjourned for further hearing on 11.11.2019. Due to declaration of Holiday by Punjab Government on the occasion of 550th Birth Ceremony of Shri Guru Nanak Dev Ji case was postponed to be heard on 02.12.2019 i.e. today.
- 2. Respondent, Sh. Atul Arora added that requisite information cannot be supplied to the appellant as it contains information relates with Scheduled Caste Certificates and as per the judgment passed by the Hon'ble Punjab and Haryana High Court in CWP-28251-2019 dated 14.10.2019 through which it is clear that Scheduled Caste Certificate cannot be supplied. He submits a reply vide letter no. 0003 dated 02.12.2019 signed by him along with copy of judgment passed by the Hon'ble Punjab and Haryana High Court in CWP-28251-2019 dated 14.10.2019. This reply is taken on record.
- 3. Appellant, Sh. Pawan Kumar is not present for today's hearing but an email dated 02.12.2019 has been received stating that requisite information is still pending from the respondent PIO in this case and another Appeal Case No. 3223/19 was disposed of and closed. This email is taken on record.
- After hearing the respondent and examining the case file, it is observed that Appeal Case No. 3223 of 2019 is pending under the bench of undersigned and fixed for hearing on 11.12.2019. It is observed that supplied reply is satisfactory and no cause of action is left in this case. Therefore, no cause of action is required in this case. Hence, the instant appeal case is disposed of & closed.
- Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties.

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Sh. Amit Kumar (Social Worker) (96468-36001)

S/o Sh. Kewal Krishan, R/o H. No. E6/856, Old Naraingarh, Chheharta, Amritsar

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer O/o MC, Amritsar

First Appellate Authority O/o The Commissioner, MC, Amritsar

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 1660 of 2019

Present: Nobody on behalf of the appellant.

For the respondent: Ms. Harkiran Kaur (ATP).

ORDER

- 1. The above mentioned case was last heard on 09.10.2019 and matter was adjourned for further hearing on 11.11.2019. Due to declaration of Holiday by Punjab Government on the occasion of 550th Birth Ceremony of Shri Guru Nanak Dev Ji case was postponed to be heard on 02.12.2019 i.e. today.
- 2. Respondent, Ms. Harkiran Kaur requested for an adjournment in this case to supply the requisite information.
- 3. Appellant, Sh. Amit Kumar is absent without any intimation to the Commission for today's hearing. He was also absent on the previous hearings held on 03.09.2019 and 09.10.2019.
- 4. After hearing the respondent and examining the case file, it is observed that respondent PIO was also absent on the previous hearings held on 03.09.2019 and 09.10.2019 without any intimation to the Commission. A **Show Cause notice** was issued to him vide order dated 09.10.2019.

A last and final opportunity is given to the respondent PIO to supply the requisite information before the next date of hearing along with directions to represent this case on the next date of hearing. He is also directed to <u>file a reply to the Show Cause Notice</u>, failing to which stern action will be initiated against him.

- 5. A last and final opportunity is also given to the appellant to represent this case on the next date of hearing, to clear the facts, failing to which case will be decided on merit basis.
- 6. Matter is adjourned for further hearing on **22.01.2020 at 11:30 AM.**
- 7. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties.

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Sh. Amit Kumar (Social Worker) (96468-36001)

S/o Sh. Kewal Krishan, R/o H. No. E6/856, Old Naraingarh, Chheharta, Amritsar

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o MC, Amritsar

First Appellate Authority

O/o The Commissioner, MC, Amritsar

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 1661 of 2019

Present: Nobody on behalf of the appellant.

For the respondent: Ms. Harkiran Kaur (ATP).

ORDER

- 1. The above mentioned case was last heard on 09.10.2019 and matter was adjourned for further hearing on 11.11.2019. Due to declaration of Holiday by Punjab Government on the occasion of 550th Birth Ceremony of Shri Guru Nanak Dev Ji case was postponed to be heard on 02.12.2019 i.e. today.
- 2. Respondent, Ms. Harkiran Kaur states that reply has already been sent to the appellant.
- 3. Appellant, Sh. Amit Kumar is absent without any intimation to the Commission for today's hearing. He was also absent on the previous hearings held on 03.09.2019 and 09.10.2019.
- 4. After hearing the respondent and examining the case file, it is observed that respondent PIO was also absent on the previous hearings held on 03.09.2019 and 09.10.2019 without any intimation to the Commission. A **Show Cause notice** was issued to him vide order dated 09.10.2019.

He is directed to represent this case on the next date of hearing along with directions to <u>file a</u> <u>reply to the Show Cause Notice</u>.

- 5. A last and final opportunity is also given to the appellant to point out the deficiency, if any, in the supplied information, in writing to the respondent PIO with a copy to the Commission and to represent this case on the next date of hearing, to clear the facts, failing to which case will be decided on merit basis.
- 6. Matter is adjourned for further hearing on **22.01.2020 at 11:30 AM.**
- 7. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties.

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Sh. Pardeep Kumar S/o Subhash Chander,

1822A/14, Guru Ram Dass Nagar, Putlighar, opposite Railway Workshop, Amritsar -1, Amritsar, Punjab - 143001. (98886-66196)

Appellant

Public Information Officer

O/o MC Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Commissioner, MC Amritsar.

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 2350 of 2019

Versus

Present: Sh. Pardeep Kumar, the appellant in person.

For the respondent: Ms. Harkiran Kaur (ATP).

ORDER

- 1. The above mentioned case was last heard on 16.10.2019 and matter was adjourned for further hearing on 11.11.2019. Due to declaration of Holiday by Punjab Government on the occasion of 550th Birth Ceremony of Shri Guru Nanak Dev Ji case was postponed to be heard on 02.12.2019 i.e. today.
- 2. Appellant, Sh. Pardeep Kumar states that requisite information is still pending from the respondent PIO.
- 3. Respondent, Ms. Harkiran Kaur states that General Registration (GR) number was demanded from the appellant so that requisite information could be supplied but till date it has not been supplied by the appellant.
- 4. After hearing both the parties and examining the case file, appellant, Sh. Pardeep Kumar is advised to provide General Registration (GR) number to the respondent and respondent PIO is directed to supply the requisite information as per RTI Act before the next date of hearing.
- 5. Both the parties are advised to represent this case on the next date of hearing to clear the facts, failing to which case will be decided on merit basis.
- 6. Matter is adjourned for further hearing on **22.01.2020 at 11:30 AM.**
- 7. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties.

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Sh. Pardeep Kumar S/o Subhash Chander, 1822A/14, Guru Ram Dass Nagar, Putlighar,

opposite Railway Workshop, Amritsar -1, Amritsar, Punjab - 143001. (98886-66196)

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer O/o MC Amritsar.

Public Information Officer O/o House Tax Department, Municipal Corporation, Amritsar

Public Information Officer O/o Municipal Town Planner, Municipal Corporation, Amritsar

First Appellate Authority O/o Commissioner, MC Amritsar.

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 2351 of 2019

Sh. Pardeep Kumar, the appellant in person. Present: For the respondent: Ms. Harkiran Kaur (ATP).

ORDER

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(Dr. Pawan Kumar Singla) **State Information Commissioner**

Note: After the hearing was over, respondent, Sh. Satpal Singh(Superintendent) appeared and he was apprised with the proceedings of this hearing.

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Sh. Devinder Paul (98884-43353)

S/o Khushaal Das, Ward No. 15C/164, Tehsil Mohalla, Dhuri, District Sangrur.

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o Principal, Sarvhitkari Vidya Mandir Sr. Sec. School, Village Dhura, Tehsil Dhuri, District Sangrur - 148024.

First Appellate Authority

O/o DEO (SE), Sangrur. Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 2460 of 2019

Present: Sh. Devinder Paul, the appellant in person.

For the respondent: Sh. Gurvinder Singh (Clerk).

ORDER

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i.e. today.

2. Appellant, Sh. Devinder Paul states that requisite information is still pending from the

respondent PIO.

3. Respondent, Sh. Gurvinder Singh states that within one week cheque will be issued by the department to the appellant related to the RTI application and requested for an adjournment in this

case.

4. After hearing both the parties and examining the case file, another opportunity is given to both the parties are advised to represent this case on the next date of hearing to clear the facts, failing to which case will be decided on merit basis.

5. Matter is adjourned for further hearing on 20.01.2020 at 11:30 AM.

6. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties.

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