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Sh. Ashok Kapoor 9855556210

# 8C, Kichlu Nagar,

District Ludhiana

....Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer

o/o Tehsildar Ludhiana West,

Mini Secretariat, District Ludhiana

First Appellate Authority

o/o Sub Divisional Magistrate

Ludhiana West,

Mini Secretariat,

District Ludhiana

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 3327 of 2020

(Video Conference Proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Ashok Kapoor, appellant.

Sh. Amandeep Singh, 9417000060 on behalf of the respondents.

## ORDER

The RTI application is dated 15.2.2020 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter called FAA) on 18.5.2020 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 2.11.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today.

2. The appellant has sought the following information:-

"Certified copy of attendance register of Sh. Vishwajit Singh, NB, Tehsildar, Ludhiana from June 2017 to November, 2017."

3. The appellant states that no information has been provided by the respondents so far. However, the representative of the respondents states that it is a matter between the employee and the employer so the information is not liable to be supplied.

4. It is appropriate to consider the instructions issued by the Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions, Department of Personnel & Training, Government of India vide No. 11/2/2013-IR(Pt.) dated 14<sup>th</sup> August, 2013 and the relevant portion of the same is reproduced below:-

"2. The Central Information Commission while deciding the said case has cited the decision of Supreme Court of India in the matter of Girish R. Deshpande vs. CIC and others (SLP (C) no. 27734/2012) in which it was held as under:-

*"The performance of an employee/Officer in an organisation is primarily a matter between the employee and the employer and normally those aspects are governed by the service rules which fall under the expression 'personal information', the disclosure of which has no relationship to any public activity or public interest. On the other hand, the disclosure of which could cause unwarranted invasion of the privacy of that individual."*

5. Keeping in view the above and the submissions made by the parties, the Commission observes that no further action is required to be taken in this case. Hence, the case is disposed of and closed.

Sd/

(Suresh Arora)

Chief Information Commissioner,  
Punjab.

Dated: 3.2.2021

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Appeal Case No. 3150 of 2020

(Video Conference Proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Ashok Kapoor, appellant.

Sh. Amandeep Singh, 9417000060 on behalf of the respondents.

## ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 25.1.2021

2. The appellant has sought the following information:-

“Certified copy of postal receipt having sent my copy of letter No. 3083 dated 13.11.2019 from SDM (W), Ludhiana office to Deputy Commissioner, District Ludhiana as per para no. 1 of letter No. 203 dated 13.11.2019 of your office to Sh. A.S. Kaler, SIC, Chandigarh in respect of Appeal Case No. 2913 of 2018 titled Ashok Kapoor Vs P.I.O. cum SDM (W), Ludhiana and 1<sup>st</sup> AA o/o Deputy Commissioner, District Ludhiana. Copy of this letter is enclosed herewith for your ready reference.”

3. The appellant requested to direct the respondent-Public Information Officer to supply the sought information. However, the representative of the respondents states that the letter No. 3083 dated 13.11.2019 was written to the Sub Divisional Magistrate (West) Ludhiana by the Deputy Commissioner, District Ludhiana and the facts were written in a letter written to Sh. Avtar Singh Kaler, State Information Commission, Punjab on 13.11.2019 by the Tehsildar, Ludhiana West. He further states that in spite of the best efforts made by the office, the receipt of the registered letter could not be traced as has been mentioned and sought by the appellant.

4. It is surprising that the receipt of the registry could not be traced in the office although the office has filed an undertaking in another case before the Commission and the appellant has submitted the proof in this regard as mentioned herein. Therefore, the Deputy Commissioner, District Ludhiana is required to look into the matter and fix responsibility in this regard.

5. No further directions can be given to the respondent-Public Information Officer in this regard. Therefore, the case is disposed of and closed.

Sd/

(Suresh Arora)

Chief Information Commissioner,  
Punjab.

Dated: 3.2.2021

CC

Deputy Commissioner,

Mini Secretariat,

District Ludhiana

(By name)

Registered

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Appeal Case No. 3325 of 2020

(Video Conference Proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Ashok Kapoor, appellant.

Sh. Paramjeet Singh, Clerk 9417000060 on behalf of the respondents.

## ORDER

The RTI application is dated 17.2.2020 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter called FAA) on 18.5.2020 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 2.11.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today.

2. The appellant has sought the following information:-

“Certified copy of my application dated 27<sup>th</sup> June, 2017 addressed to your good self and submitted in your office on the same date but was diarised on 11.8.2017 under reference No. 2358 (after repeated requests/visits) along with certified copy of relevant Dairy register. This letter is purposely not attached with documents delivered to me in RTI appeal case No. 2913 of 2018 decided on 6.2.2020 in the Court of Sh. A.S. Kaler, State Information Commissioner, Punjab, Chandigarh. This letter is in the custody of your Reader Mr. Chetan Khanna for the last 32 months.”

3. The appellant states that he has received the information but part of the same is not legible and requested for the legible copy of the same. Thereafter, the representative of the respondents states that he has brought the spare copy of the same and he handed over the same to the appellant. He has also sent the copy of the same to the Commission, which is taken on record. After going through the same the appellant showed his satisfaction and states that he has no objection if his case is closed.

4. According to the submissions made by the appellant, the Commission observes that no further action is required to be taken in this case. Hence, the case is disposed of and closed. A copy of the information so received from the respondents is also **sent** with this order to the appellant.

Sd/

(Suresh Arora)

Chief Information Commissioner,  
Punjab.

Dated: 3.2.2021