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Sh. Harinder Singh, S/o Sh. Tejinder Singh (M-79861-41271)
House No.9, Air Avenue, KheriGujran Road, Patiala-147001

.....Appellant

..Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Saint Kabir College of Education,
Patiaal, Rajpura Road, Kauli, Patiala-Pb-147001

First Appellate Authority,
O/o SaintKabir College of Education,
Patiaal, Rajpura Road, Kauli, Patiala-Pb-147001

Public Information Officer,
O/o Punjabi University, Patiala

.....Respondent

AC No. 2371 of 2020
Through CISCO Webex

Present: (i) Sh. Harinder Singh the appellant
(ii) For the respondent : Sh. Vikrant Sharma, Advocate on behalf of the Punjabi University, Patiala(in the Commission office) and Sh. Hardeep Singh, Advocate on behalf of the Respondent no. 1 (9814666619)

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 05.01.2021 vide which respondent no. 1 has sought some time.

2. Today the appellant Sh. Harinder Singh states that he has not received any information.
3. Sh. Hardeep Singh the respondent no.1 states that they have sent their reply.
4. Sh. Vikrant Sharma is also appearing on behalf of the respondent o/o Punjabi University, Patiala. He has also filed his reply. The same is taken on record.
5. The perusal of the file shows that the respondent o/o Sant Kabir College of Education, Patiala has sent their reply vide Commission diary no. 4693 dated 02.03.2021 mentioning therein

“that the respondent no. 1 does not fall come under the preview of RTI Act. The Saint Kabir College of Education is a private and self financed college. That as per section 2 (a) and 2 (h) only those institution and public authority comes under the preview of RTI those who gets any funds from directly or indirectly from the Central Government or State Government. That the petitioner has filed the application under the RTI Act

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for seeking certain information, but the information which the petitioner is seeking is a third party information and the same is barred under section 11 of the RTI Act, the petitioner has never studied in the said college and even does not relate with the institution in any manner and hence he is not entitled for any information.

6. After hearing both the parties, it is observed that the appellant has not received the reply of the respondent, hence the respondent is directed to send copy of the same to the appellant. Further, the appellant is directed to file his response/rejoinder on or before the next date of hearing with a copy to the respondent.

Respondent, o/o Punjabi University, Patiala is exempted from further hearings.

7. To come up on **06.05.2021 at 11.00 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission office. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated : 03.03.2021

Sd/-
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Sh. Sukhwinder Singh, President
Anti Corruption Front (Regd)
Machhiwaara, Ludhiana 141115
(9465650001)

..Vs

.....Appellant

1. Public Information Officer,

O/o DGP, Punjab, Sector 9, Chandigarh

First Appellate Authority

O/o DGP, Punjab, Sector 9, Chandigarh

Registered post: **2. Public Information Officer**

o/o Bureau of Investigation, Punjab
Punjab Police Headquarter, Sector 9
Chandigarh

.....Respondent

AC No. 4034 of 2020

Through CISCO Webex

Present : (i) Sh. Sukhwinder Singh the appellant
(ii) For the respondent : Sh. Parshotam Kumar , ASI (in the Commission office)
(9417131510)

ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated 11.09.2020 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 15.10.2020 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).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 03.03.2021 through CISCO Webex.

3. The appellant states that no information has been given to him so far.

4. Sh. Parshotam Kumar is appearing on behalf of the appellant states that the RTI of the appellant has been transferred under Section 6 (3) to the PIO, O/o Bureau of Investigation, Punjab vide diary no. 1775 dated 29.09.2020. He has also submitted the transferred letter.

5. Since, the information is to be provided by the PIO, O/o Bureau of Investigation, Punjab. I, therefore, order that PIO, O/o Bureau of Investigation, Punjab be impleaded as

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Respondent No.2. I further direct that PIO, O/o Bureau of Investigation, Punjab should supply the information to the Appellant before the next date of hearing.

6. To come up on **06.05.2021 at 11.00 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission office. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Dated : 03.03.2021

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Sh. Sohan Singh, S/o Sh/ Teja Singh
R/o Jama Rakhiya Uttar Thana, Mamot
Tehsil and Distt. Ferozepur -152023
(9781370221)

..Vs

.....Appellant

Public Information Officer,
O/o DGP, Punjab
Sector 9, Chandigarh
First Appellate Authority
O/o DGP, Punjab
Sector 9, Chandigarh
Registered post: Public Information Officer
o/o SSP, Ferozepur

.....Respondent

AC No.4107 of 2020

Through CISCO Webex

Present : (i) Sh. Sohan Singh the appellant
(ii) For the respondent : Sh. Ram Parsad, Sr. Assistant (9855464748), o/o Bureau and Investigation, Punjab in the Commission Office

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 16.07.2020 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 03.11.2020 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 16.12.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 03.03.2021 i.e. today through CISCO Webex.

3. The appellant Sh. Sohan Singh states that no information has been given to him so far by the respondents.

4. The respondent, o/o Bureau and Investigation states that they have transferred the RTI application of the appellant to the PIO, o/o SSP, Ferozepur as the information sought by the appellant relates to the office of SSP, Ferozepur.

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AC No.4107 of 2020

5. After hearing the respondent and examining the case file , it is ascertained that the appellant filed his RTI with the PIO, o/o DGP, Punjab, Further, office of DGP Punjab has transferred the application of the appellant to the PIO, o/o Bureau of Investigation, Punjab. Sh. Ram Parsad, Sr. Assistant is appearing on behalf of the PIO,o/o Bureau of Investigation states that the information is lying with the PIO, o/o SSP, Ferozepur, hence they have transferred the same to the SSP, Ferozepur under Section 6 (3) of the RTI Act.

6. Since, the information is to be provided by the PIO, O/o Bureau of Investigation, Punjab. I, therefore, order that PIO, O/o Bureau of Investigation, Punjab be impleaded as Respondent No.2. I further direct that PIO, O/o Bureau of Investigation, Punjab should supply the information to the Complainant before the next date of hearing.

7. To come up on **06.05.2021 at 11.00 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission office. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Dated : 03.03.2021

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Punjab

Registered post

CC: PIO, o/o Bureau of Investigation, Punjab, Punjab Police Headquarter, Sector 9, Chandigarh.

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Sh Baldev Kumar, S/o Sh Surjit Ram,
House No. 1789, College Colony,
Sector 11, Near Shiv Mandir Dera Bassi,
Distt Mohali-140507 (9417304320)

.....Appellant

..Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Nagar Council, Dera Bassi
Distt. Mohali

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Deputy Director, Local Govt.
Patiala

.....Respondent

AC No. 3991 of 2020
(Through CISCO-Webex)

Present: (i) Baldev Kumar, Appellant (*In the Commission office*)
(ii) for the Respondent: Sh Sarabjeet Singh, (Building Inspector)
98724-468485

ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated 08.03.2020 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 08.07.2020 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 09.12.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).
2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 03.03.2021 i.e. today through CISCO Webex.
3. The Respondent Sh Sarabjeet Singh states that the information has already been provided to the Appellant.
4. The Appellant states that the information provided to him is not complete and he is not satisfied with the same.

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5. After hearing both the parties and perusing the case file, it is ascertained that the Appellant is not satisfied with the information provided. Hence, the Appellant is directed to inspect the relevant records, identify the documents copies whereof are required by him; and the respondent shall provided copies thereof, according to his RTI application, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the RTI Act, 2005. Further, the Respondent-PIO is directed to provide information to the Appellant upto 100 pages for free, for the rest of the information the Appellant will pay the requisite documentation fee.

6. To come up on **06.05.2021 at 10:30AM** in the Commission office. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Dated: 03.03.2021

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Smt. Chandandeep Kaur, O/o District Language Officer,
Language Bhawan, Shera Wala Gate, Patiala (7307402255)

.....Complainant

..Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Principal Secretary,
Department of Higher Education, Punjab
Mini Sectt. Sector 9, Chandigarh

.....Respondent

CC No. 518 of 2020
Through CISCO WEBEX

Present (i) Smt. Chandandeep Kaur the Complainant
(ii) For the Respondent: Ms Karamjeet Kaur, Director Language Deptt
(991490-7157)

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 05.01.2021.

2. Today, the Respondent states that the information, available, in their official record has been provided to the Complainant. Further, they have also filed their reply in this regard vide Commission diary no. 4849 dated 02.03.2021. Copy of the same is taken on record.

3. The Complainant Smt. Chandandeep Kaur states that the complete information has not been provided to her till date.

4. The perusal of the file shows that the Complainant is not satisfied with the information provided. Hence, the Complainant is directed to inspect the record in the O/o Respondent today itself, identify the documents copies whereof are required by her; and the respondent shall provided copies thereof, according to his RTI application, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

Further, it is also ascertained that on the previous date of hearing, the Respondent was directed to file an affidavit for information not available in their official record.

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CC No. 518 of 2020

However, they have failed to file the same today. Hence, the Respondent –PIO is again directed to file an affidavit duly attested, before the next date of hearing.

5. To come up on **05.04.2021 at 11.00 AM** in the Commission office. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Dated 03.03.2021

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Er. A.D.S Anandpuri, Chairman
Office 649, Sunny Enclave, Sector 125,
Kharar, Distt Mohali (9888413581)

.....Appellant

..Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o EO, Nagar Palika, Kharar

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Regional Deputy Director, Local Govt.
Patiala

.....Respondent

AC No. 4117 of 2020
(Through CISCO-Webex)

Present: (i) Er A.D.S Anandpuri, Appellant(*In the Commission office*)
(ii) for the Respondent: Sh Gurpreet Singh, (Building Inspector) 98149-26881

ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated 24.09.2018 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 16.12.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).
2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 03.03.2021 through CISCO-Webex (Video Conferencing application).
3. The Respondent states that the information, as exists, in the record has been provided to the Appellant.
4. The Appellant states that no information has been provided to him till date.
5. After hearing both the parties and perusing the case file, it is ascertained that the information has not been provided to the Appellant. Today, both the parties mutually agreed that the applicant shall visit the office of respondent on **05.03.2021 at 11:00AM,**

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inspect the relevant records, identify the documents copies whereof are required by him; and the respondent shall provided copies thereof, according to his RTI application, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

6. To come up on **06.05.2021 at 11.00 AM** in the Commission office. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

Dated: 03.03.2021

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Sh Kunal Sehgal, S /o Sh Ajay Sehgal,
R/o 339, Chhoti Baradari, Part-1,
Near medical College, Jalandhar-144001
(9915412163)

.....Appellant

..Vs

Public Information Officer,

O/o AIG Security, Sector-9, Chandigarh

First Appellate Authority,

O/o IGP (Security), Sector-9, Chandigarh

Registered post:

Public Information Officer

o/o Department of Governance Reforms, Punjab

Mini Sectt., Sector 9, Chandigarh

.....Respondent

AC No. 4068 of 2020

(Through CISCO-Webex)

Present: (i) Sh Kunal Sehgal, Appellant

(ii) for the Respondent: Sh Paramdip Singh Sandhu, AIG (75082-52118)

ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated 06.08.2020 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 08.12.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 03.03.2021 through CISCO-Webex (Video Conferencing application).

3. The Appellant states that no information has been provided to him till date.

4. The Respondent states that the information sought by the Appellant is not related to them. The information is lying with PIO, O/o Department of Governance Reforms, Punjab.

5. After hearing both the parties and perusing the case file, it is ascertained that the information has not been provided to the Appellant. The Respondent states that the information is lying with PIO O/o Department of Governance Reforms, Punjab. Hence, I order that PIO O/o Department of Governance Reforms, Punjab be impleaded as

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AC No. 4068 of 2020

Respondent no.2. Further they are directed to be present on the next date of hearing along with the complete information.

6. To come up on **06.05.2021 at 11.00 AM** in the Commission office. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

Dated: 03.03.2021

Sd/-
(Preety Chawla)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab