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(Regd. Post) **Sh. Pankaj Kumar (9988241285)** Appellant  
S/o Sh. Nabh Singh, MCB Zone-6,  
H.No.3225, Gali No.1-B,  
Surkhpeer Road,  
Bathinda 151 001.

Versus

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

(Regd. Post) **First Appellate Authority** Respondent  
O/o MC, Bathinda

**Appeal Case No.: 1182 of 2021**  
**Through CISCO WEBEX**

**Present:** (i) Sh. Sanjeev Goyal on behalf of the appellant  
(ii) For the respondent: Sh. Sandeep Kataria (Superintendent) (9876010022).

**ORDER**

1. The RTI application is dated 23.10.2020 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 21.12.2020 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 16.03.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 03.08.2021 i.e. today
2. In today's hearing, representative of the appellant, Sh. Sanjeev Goyal states that incomplete information has been received.
3. On this, respondent, Sh. Sandeep Kataria states that he is new joining in the office and he intimated the Commission that requisite information has already been supplied to the appellant.
4. After discussing with both the parties, appellant is advised to visit the respondent's office on **04.08.2021 at 12:00 Noon to inspect** the official record as per RTI application and respondent PIO is directed to make sure that relevant record may be got inspected by the appellant and supply him identified pages as per RTI Act application and RTI Act, 2005.
5. Both the parties are advised to represent this case in person on the next date of hearing positively, failing to which case will be decided on the merit basis.
6. To come up on **14.09.2021 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. Sanjiv Goyal(9814197689)** Appellant  
S/o Sh. Ashok Kumar, Kothi No.148,  
Model Town, Phase-I,  
Near TV Tower,  
Bathinda 151 001.

Versus

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

(Regd. Post) **First Appellate Authority** Respondent  
O/o MC, Bathinda

**Appeal Case No.: 1184 of 2021**  
**Through CISCO WEBEX**

**Present:** (i) Sh. Sanjiv Goyal, the appellant  
(ii) For the respondent: Sh. Deepak Mittal (clerk)(9463705043) along with Sh. Davinder (PIO) (9780042166).

**ORDER**

1. The RTI application is dated 22.10.2020 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 15.01.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 16.03.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 03.08.2021 i.e. today
2. In today's hearing, appellant states that that incomplete information has been received.
3. Respondent, Sh. Davinder states that information in connection with pint no. 10 and 11 has not been supplied to the appellant and rest of the information has already been sent to the appellant.
4. After discussing with both the parties, appellant is advised to visit the respondent's office on **04.08.2021 at 12:00 Noon to inspect** the official record as per RTI application and respondent PIO is directed to make sure that relevant record may be got inspected by the appellant and supply him identified pages as per RTI Act application and RTI Act, 2005.
5. Both the parties are advised to represent this case in person on the next date of hearing positively, failing to which case will be decided on the merit basis.
6. To come up on **16.09.2021 at 11:00 A.M. through CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

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S/o Sh. Ashok Kumar, Kothi No.148,  
Model Town, Phase-I,  
Near TV Tower,  
Bathinda 151 001.

Versus

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

(Regd. Post) **First Appellate Authority** Respondent  
O/o MC, Bathinda

**Appeal Case No.: 1183 of 2021**  
**Through CISCO WEBEX**

**Present:** (i) Sh. Sanjeev Goyal, the appellant  
(ii) For the respondent: Sh. Sonu Goyal (District Manager) (9277718982) along with Sh. Surinder Pal Singh (Clerk).

**ORDER**

1. The RTI application is dated 18.11.2020 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 15.01.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 16.03.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 03.08.2021 i.e. today
  2. In today's hearing, appellant states that deficiency letter has already been sent to the appellant.
  3. On this, respondent, Sh. Sonu Goyal states that letter no. 163 dated 05.07.2021 in connection with point no. 3, 5 and 6 of the RTI application is sent to the appellant.
  4. Both the parties are advised to represent this case in person on the next date of hearing positively, failing to which case will be decided on the merit basis.
  5. To come up on **16.09.2021 at 11:00 A.M. through CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties.
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**Sh. Brish Bhan Bujarak (987101698)**

S/o Sh. Saroop Chand,  
R/O H.No.33, Kahangarh Road,  
Patran, Distt. Patiala

Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer (By Name)**

**(Regd. Post)** O/o MC, Budhlada, Distt. Mansa

**First Appellate Authority**

O/o MC, Budhlada, Distt. Mansa

Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 1216 of 2021**

**Through CISCO WEBEX**

**Present:** (i) Sh. Brish Bhan Bujarak, the appellant  
(ii) Nobody on behalf of the respondent.

**ORDER**

1. The RTI application is dated 19.11.2020 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 09.01.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 05.03.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 03.08.2021 i.e. today
2. In today's hearing, appellant states that requisite information is still pending from the respondent PIO.
3. Respondent PIO is absent despite being aware about the date of hearing. One more opportunity is given to the respondent PIO to present this case in person on the next date of hearing along with directions to supply the requisite information to the appellant before the next date of hearing positively.
4. To come up on **28.10.2021 at 11:00 A.M. through CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

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**Dated: 03.08.2021**

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**(Regd. Post)** **Sh. Rajinder Kumar (9646380671)**  
S/o Sh. Mehar Chand,  
Ward No. 2, Supreme Enclave,  
Near Vishkarama Bhawan,  
Link Road, Mansa 151505.

Appellant

Versus

**(Regd. Post)** **Public Information Officer (By Name)**  
O/o EO, MC, Mansa

**First Appellate Authority**  
O/o Regional Dy. Director,  
Local Govt., Bathinda.

Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 1371 of 2021**  
**Through CISCO WEBEX**

**Present:** (i) Sh. Rajinder Kumar, the appellant  
(ii) Nobody on behalf of the respondent.

**ORDER**

1. The RTI application is dated 07.11.2020 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 10.12.2020 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 15.03.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 03.08.2021 i.e. today
2. In today's hearing, appellant states that the present case relate with the office of EO, Nagar Panchayat Sardulgarh but after examining the case file, it is observed that RTI application in this case is addressed to the respondent PIO, O/o EO, Nagar Council, Mansa and notice of hearing was also issued to the concerned respondent PIO, which is correct as per the case file.
3. Respondent PIO is not present for today's hearing despite being aware about the date of hearing. One more opportunity is given to him to represent this case to clear the facts of this case on the next date of hearing positively.
4. Appellant is also advised to represent this case in person on the next date of hearing positively.
5. To come up on **17.11.2021 at 11:00 A.M. through CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

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S/o Sh. Mehar Chand,  
Ward No. 2, Supreme Enclave,  
Near Vishkarama Bhawan,  
Link Road, Mansa 151505.

Appellant

Versus

**(Regd. Post)** **Public Information Officer (By Name)**  
O/o EO, Nagar Panchayat  
Sardulgarh

Encl. RTI Application.

**First Appellate Authority**

O/o Regional Dy. Director,  
Local Govt., Bathinda.

Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 1370 of 2021**  
**Through CISCO WEBEX**

**Present:** (i) Sh. Rajinder Kumar, the appellant  
(ii) Nobody on behalf of the respondent.

**ORDER**

1. The RTI application is dated 07.11.2020 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 10.12.2020 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 15.03.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 03.08.2021 i.e. today
2. In today's hearing, appellant states that the present case relate with the office of EO, Nagar council, Mansa but after examining the case file, it is observed that RTI application in this case is addressed to the respondent PIO, O/o EO, Nagar Panchayat, Sardulgarh and notice of hearing was issued to the respondent PIO, O/o MC, Mansa inadvertently instead of respondent PIO, O/o EO, Nagar Panchayat, Sardulgarh.
3. A copy of this order be sent to the concerned respondent PIO along with RTI application through registered post for his ready reference. Respondent PIO is directed to represent this case to clear the facts of this case on the next date of hearing positively.
4. Appellant is also advised to represent this case in person on the next date of hearing positively.
5. To come up on **17.11.2021 at 11:00 A.M. through CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

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**Sh. Jasbir Singh (9888296107)**

Guru Nanak Nagar,  
Village Bolapur, Jhabewal,  
Post Office, Ramgarh,  
District Ludhiana-141123

Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer (By Name)**

**(Regd. Post)** O/o Secretary, Regional Transport Authority,  
Ludhiana

**First Appellate Authority**

O/o Secretary, Regional Transport Authority,  
Ludhiana

Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 3772 of 2020**  
**Through CISCO WEBEX**

**Present:** (i) Sh. Jasbir Singh, the appellant.  
(ii) For the respondent: Sh. Manish Kumar (PIO) (7814746755).

**ORDER**

1. This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 09.06.2021 vide which, respondent, Sh. Manish Kumar stated that reply is not been supplied to the appellant as postal order was not sent by the appellant with the RTI application. He added that report relate with RTI application is not available in the official record and a reply in this regard is also sent to the Commission vide letter no. 2748 dated 11.05.2021, which is received in the Commission vide diary no. 11401 dated 26.05.2021 mentioning therein-

ਉਪਰੋਕਤ ਵਿਸ਼ੇ ਸਬੰਧੀ ਆਪ ਜੀ ਨੂੰ ਆਦਰ ਸਹਿਤ ਦੱਸਿਆ ਜਾਂਦਾ ਹੈ ਕਿ ਬਿਨੈਕਾਰ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਸੂਚਨਾ ਲੈਣ ਲਈ ਦਿੱਤੀ ਗਈ ਆਰ.ਟੀ.ਆਈ ਐਪਲੀਕੇਸ਼ਨ ਨਾਲ ਪੋਸਟਲ ਆਰਡਰ ਨਹੀਂ ਲਗਾਇਆ ਗਿਆ ਸੀ ਅਤੇ ਬਿਨੈਕਾਰ ਨੂੰ ਇਸ ਸਬੰਧੀ ਇਸ ਦਫਤਰ ਦੇ ਪੱਤਰ ਨੰ: 1630 ਮਿਤੀ 09-09-2020 (ਫੋਟੋ ਕਾਪੀ ਨੱਥੀ) ਰਾਹੀਂ ਸੂਚਿਤ ਕਰਦੇ ਹੋਏ ਬਿਨੈਕਾਰ ਨੂੰ ਇਹ ਪੱਤਰ ਵਸੂਲ ਕਰਵਾ ਦਿੱਤਾ ਗਿਆ ਸੀ ਕਿ ਤੁਹਾਡੇ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਦਿੱਤੀ ਗਈ ਆਰ.ਟੀ.ਆਈ ਐਪਲੀਕੇਸ਼ਨ ਨਾਲ ਪੋਸਟਲ ਆਰਡਰ ਨਹੀਂ ਲੱਗਾ ਹੋਇਆ ਅਤੇ ਤੁਸੀਂ ਪੋਸਟਲ ਆਰਡਰ ਲਗਾਕੇ ਦੇਵੋ ਤਾਂ ਜੋ ਤੁਹਾਨੂੰ ਸੂਚਨਾ ਮੁਹੱਈਆ ਕਰਵਾਈ ਜਾ ਸਕੇ। ਇਸ ਸਬੰਧੀ ਆਪ ਜੀ ਨੂੰ ਵੀ ਇਸ ਦਫਤਰ ਦੇ ਪੱਤਰ ਨੰ: 1703 ਮਿਤੀ 04-03-2021 (ਫੋਟੋ ਕਾਪੀ ਨੱਥੀ) ਰਾਹੀਂ ਸੂਚਿਤ ਕਰ ਦਿੱਤਾ ਗਿਆ ਸੀ ਕਿ ਬਿਨੈਕਾਰ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਆਰ.ਟੀ.ਆਈ ਐਪਲੀਕੇਸ਼ਨ ਨਾਲ ਪੋਸਟਲ ਆਰਡਰ ਨਹੀਂ ਲਗਾਇਆ ਗਿਆ ਜਿਸ ਕਰਕੇ ਇਹ ਸੂਚਨਾ ਬਿਨੈਕਾਰ ਨੂੰ ਮੁਹੱਈਆ ਨਹੀਂ ਕਰਵਾਈ ਜਾ ਸਕਦੀ।

ਉਪਰੋਕਤ ਵਿਸ਼ੇ ਸਬੰਧੀ ਆਪ ਜੀ ਨੂੰ ਇੱਥੇ ਇਹ ਵੀ ਦੱਸਣਯੋਗ ਹੋਵੇਗਾ ਕਿ ਬਿਨੈਕਾਰ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਆਪਣੀ ਆਰ.ਟੀ.ਆਈ ਐਪਲੀਕੇਸ਼ਨ ਵਿੱਚ ਹੇਠ ਲਿਖੇ ਦਸਤਾਵੇਜ਼ਾਂ ਦੀ ਮੰਗ ਕੀਤੀ ਹੈ:-

ਬਿਨੈਕਾਰ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਦੈਨਿਕ ਪੰਜਾਬ ਕੇਸਰੀ ਅਖਬਾਰ ਨੇ ਆਪਣੇ ਪੱਤਰਕਾਰ ਵਿਨੈ ਦੁਆ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਇੱਕ ਖਬਰ ਮਿਤੀ 3-11-2014 ਨੂੰ ਸਿਰਲੇਖ (ਕੈਸੇ ਬਣੇ ਫਰਜ਼ੀ ਲਾਇਸੰਸ) ਜਾਂਚ ਤੋਂ ਬੱਚ ਰਹੀ ਪੁਲਿਸ ਹੇਠ ਪ੍ਰਕਾਸ਼ਿਤ ਕੀਤੀ ਗਈ ਸੀ ਸਬੰਧੀ ਦੱਸਿਆ ਜਾਂਦਾ ਹੈ ਕਿ ਇਸ ਦਫਤਰ ਵਿੱਚ ਇਸ ਜਾਂਚ ਸਬੰਧੀ ਕੋਈ ਵੀ ਦਸਤਾਵੇਜ਼ ਉਪਲੱਬਧ ਨਹੀਂ ਹੈ। ਇਸ ਲਈ ਇਹ ਸੂਚਨਾ ਮੁਹੱਈਆ ਨਹੀਂ ਕਰਵਾਈ ਜਾ ਸਕਦੀ। ਇਸ ਲਈ ਆਪ ਜੀ ਨੂੰ ਬੇਨਤੀ ਕੀਤੀ ਜਾਂਦੀ ਹੈ ਕਿ ਉਪਰੋਕਤ ਤੱਥਾਂ ਨੂੰ ਮੁੱਖ ਰੱਖਦੇ ਹੋਏ ਇਸ ਕੇਸ ਨੂੰ ਦਾਖਲ ਦਫਤਰ ਕਰਨ ਦੀ ਕ੍ਰਿਪਾਲਤਾ ਕੀਤੀ ਜਾਵੇ ਜੀ। ਹੁਣ ਇਹ ਅਪੀਲ ਕੇਸ ਮਿਤੀ 09-06-2021 ਨੂੰ ਸੁਣਵਾਈ ਲਈ ਲਗਾ ਹੋਇਆ ਹੈ ਜੀ।

Respondent PIO was directed to send a reply in writing to the appellant relate with queries raised by the appellant in his RTI application with a copy to the Commission. Matter was adjourned for further hearing on 03.08.2021 i.e. today.

2. In today's hearing, respondent, Sh. Manish Kumar states that that there is not any file is available in the official record with regard to the RTI application. He adds that reply has already been supplied to the appellant.
3. Appellant is present for today's hearing states that he is not satisfied with the supplied reply.

**Appeal Case No.: 3772 of 2020**  
**Through CISCO WEBEX**

4. After discussing with both the parties in detail and examining the case file, respondent PIO is directed to file a reply in writing as per queries raised by the appellant in his RTI application along with directions to represent this case on the next date of hearing positively.
5. Appellant is also advised to represent this case in person on the next date of hearing positively, failing to which case will be decided on the merit basis.
6. To come up on **27.10.2021 at 11:00 A.M.** through **CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

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**Dated: 03.08.2021**

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**Sh. Gurdial Singh (8437294858)**

s/o Sh. Teja Singh

Vill. Gurdittpura, Tehsil Rajpura,

Distt. Patiala

Complainant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**

O/o BDPO, Distt. Patiala

Respondent

**Complaint Case No.: 193 of 2021**

**Through CISCO Webex**

**Present:** (i) Sh. Gurdial Singh at PSIC Office.

(ii) For the respondent: Sh. Ranjeet

**ORDER**

1. This order may be read with the reference to the previous order dated 07.07.2021 vide which respondent, Sh. Jaswant Singh Braich stated that requisite information has already been supplied to the complainant through registered post dated 19.05.2021.

Complainant was absent and a last and final opportunity was given to him to represent this case on the next date of hearing positively along with directions to point out the deficiency. Matter was adjourned for further hearing on 03.08.2021 i.e. today.

2. In today's hearing, respondent, Sh. Ranjeet states that requisite information again sent o the complainant on 01.06.2021 through registered post.
3. Complainant is present and directed to point out deficiency, in the supplied information (19.05.2021 and 01.06.2021) in writing with a copy to the Commission along with advice to represent this case in person on the next date of hearing, failing to which case will be closed.
4. Respondent PIO is also directed to represent this case in person on the next date of hearing positively.
5. The case will come up for hearing on **28.10.2021 AT 11.00 A.M. through Cisco webex.**  
Announced in the court. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.  
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**Date: 03.08.2021**

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