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Sh. Love Kumar Dua,  
S/o Late Sh. Megh Raj,  
Dua Resident,  
# 125, Model Town,  
Samrala Road,  
Tehsil: Khanna-141401,  
Distt: Ludhiana.

.....Appellant  
**Vs**

Public Information Officer,  
O/o Sub Divisional Magistrate,  
Khanna,  
Distt: Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority  
O/o Sub Divisional Magistrate,  
Khanna,  
Distt: Ludhiana.

.....Respondents

## **Appeal Case No. 3158 of 2019** (Through Video Conference Facility)

Present:- Shri Love Kumar Dua, appellant.

Shri Jaswant Singh, Clerk, on behalf of the respondents.

Order

The RTI application is dated 29.04.2019 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 30.05.2019 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 28.08.2019 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today by the Commission.

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2. The representative of the respondents states that a news-item was published in the Punjab Kesari and Dainik Jagran on 21.04.2019 and the appellant has sought action taken on that. He states that action taken on that news-item has been conveyed to the appellant vide their letter dated 23.05.2019. Whereas the appellant states that a letter dated 23.05.2019 was written to Executive Officer, Municipal Council, Khanna and National Highway Authority for taking action on that and a copy of the same was endorsed to him, which was received by him on 26.09.2019 by post. He further states that no information from the addressees/authorities has been received till date.

3. After hearing both the parties and going through the record available on the case file, it is revealed that reply to the complaint filed by the appellant has been sent but the authorities, to whom the letter was forwarded for taking appropriate action, has not been received till date. The respondents are directed to remind them for taking suitable action and inform the respondents regarding outcome. The respondents are directed to send the same on its receipt from the authorities, to the appellant, with a copy to the Commission as early as possible.

4. To come up on **26.11.2019** at **3.30 P.M.** through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana.

Dated : 03.10.2019

Sd/-  
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Sh. Gurpreet Singh,  
S/o Sh. Darshan Singh,  
VPO: Lapran, Tehsil: Payal,  
Distt: Ludhiana-141421.

.....Appellant

**Vs**

Public Information Officer,  
O/o Block Development and Panchayat Officer,  
Wood Market, Doraha,  
Distt: Ludhiana.

.....Respondent.

## **Complaint Case No. 771 of 2019** (Through Video Conference Facility)

Present:- Shri Gurpreet Singh complainant.

None on behalf of the respondents.

### ORDER

The RTI application is dated 18.07.2019 vide which the complainant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. Complaint was filed in the Commission on 28.06.2019 under Section 18 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today by the Commission.

2. The appellant states that partial information has been supplied to him. The complainant is advised to send deficiencies in writing to the PIO with a copy to the Commission. On receipt of the deficiencies from the complainant, the respondent-PIO is directed to remove the same as early as possible.

3. Ms. Navdeep Kaur, Block Development and Panchayats Officer, Doraha is absent without intimation. Video Conference Facility was introduced for convenience of general public and for government officials. Viewing the absence of Ms. Navdeep Kaur

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seriously, it is, therefore, a fit case to issue notice under Section 20 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 to her to show cause why penalty should not be imposed on her for not supplying the information within the stipulated period and for her absence during the hearing through video conference. The written explanation may be filed before the next date of hearing, when she may also avail the opportunity of personal hearing.

4. To come up on **21.10.2019** at **3.30 P.M.** through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana.

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**CC**

Ms. Navdeep Kaur, Block Development and Panchayats Officer,  
Doraha, District Ludhiana.

The Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana (by name) for information and to ensure the presence of PIO or his representative during the Video Conference proceedings in future.

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Sh. Jagmohan Singh,  
S/o Sh. Kashmir Singh,  
# 72, Street No.9,  
Near Atta Chakki, Mata Ganga Ji Nagar,  
Bhai Manj Road, Kot Mit Singh,  
Tarn Taran Road.  
Distt: Amritsar.

.....Appellant

**Vs**

Public Information Officer,  
O/o Sub Registrar Office,  
Amritsar-1,  
Distt: Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority  
O/o District Revenue Officer,  
Tehsil Complex, District Court,  
Distt: Amritsar.

.....Respondents

## **Appeal Case .No. 3159 of 2019** **(Through Video Conference Facility)**

Present:- Shri Jagmohan Singh, appellant.

Shri Joginder Pal Singh, Sub Registrar, Amritsar-1 on behalf of the respondents.

### ORDER

The RTI application is dated 23.05.2019 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 04.07.2019 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 28.08.2019 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today by the Commission.

2. The appellant states that no information has been provided to him till date.

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3. The respondent-PIO states that conveyance deed was executed in the year 2008, but no intqal was done since then. He further states that Intqal has been got done from the patwari and he has brought a copy of the same to be provided to the appellant. The respondent-PIO is directed to hand-over the same to the appellant during the hearing, said to be provided to the appellant. The appellant is advised to go through the same and revert back to the authorities, in case of deficiencies, as early as possible. On receipt of the deficiencies from the appellant, the respondents are directed to remove the same before the next date of hearing.

4. To come up on 16.10.2019 at 3.30 P.M. to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Amritsar.

Dated : 03.10.2019

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Sh. Hardial Singh,  
S/o Sh. Karnail Singh,  
Vill: Thathian,  
P.O: Sathiala,  
Tehsil: Baba Bakala Sahib,  
Distt: Amritsar.

.....Appellant

**Vs**

Public Information Officer,  
O/o Block Development and Panchayat Officer,  
Raiya, Distt: Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority  
O/o District Development and Panchayat Officer,  
Mini Secretariat, Amritsar.

.....Respondents

## **Appeal Case .No. 3194 of 2019** **(Through Video Conference Facility)**

Present:- None on behalf of the appellant.

Shri Chetan Sharma, Cash Collector, on behalf of the respondents.

### **ORDER**

The RTI application is dated 06.04.2019 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 06.06.2019 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 29.08.2019 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today by the Commission.

2. The appellant is absent without intimation.

3. The representative of the respondents states that the appellant has applied for seeking information enclosing copies of Ration Card and Aadhar Card on 8.4.2019. They sent reply to the application for seeking information on 11.04.2019

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mentioning that copy of BPL card be supplied instead of Ration Card. Till date no copy of BPL Card has been received from the appellant. He further states that as per the notification issued by the Government dated 3.7.2017 mentioning that information is to be supplied to the appellant upto Rs.50/- free of cost and above Rs.50/- the information-seeker has to pay the remaining fee for getting the copies of the information.

5. The respondents are directed to send reminder to the appellant for sending a copy of BPL card further mentioning that as per the above notification, information upto Rs.50/- will be supplied free of cost and afterward Rs.50/-, the appellant will have to pay the remaining fee beyond Rs.50/-. On receipt of the copy of BPL Card, the respondents are directed to supply the information as early as possible and on its receipt, the appellant is advised to send deficiencies in the information before the next date of hearing.

6. To come up on **21.10.2019** at **3.30 P.M.** to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Amritsar.

Dated : 03.10.2019

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Sh. Narinder Singh,  
S/o Sh. Sawinder Singh,  
# 21, Ram Nagar Colony,  
O/s Bypass Majitha Road,  
Distt: Amritsar-143001.

.....Appellant

**Vs**

Public Information Officer,  
O/o Block Development and Panchayat Officer,  
Verka, Rani Ka Bagh,  
Distt: Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority  
O/o District Development and Panchayat Officer,  
Mini Secretariat,  
Distt: Amritsar.

.....Respondents.

## **Appeal Case No. 3196 of 2019** **(Through Video Conference Facility)**

Present:- Shri Narinder Singh, appellant.

Shri Guriqbal Singh, Superintendent alongwith Shri Rinku Malhotra,  
Panchayat Officer on behalf of the respondents.

### ORDER

The RTI application is dated 23.12.2019 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 09.04.2019 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 29.08.2019 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today by the Commission.

2. The representatives of the respondents state that they have sent information to the appellant by post and information regarding NAREGA scheme was handed over to him personally.

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3. The appellant confirms that he has received the information which is partial.

4. The appellant is advised to send deficiencies in the information supplied to him as early as possible. On receipt of the deficiencies from the appellant, the respondents are directed to remove them before the next date of hearing, which is fixed for 21.10.2019.

5. To come up on 21.10.2019 at 3.30 P.M. through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Amritsar.

Dated : 03.10.2019

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Sh. Sucha Singh,  
S/o Sh. Rajinder Singh,  
VPO: Jasraur, Block Chowgavan,  
Tehsil: Ajnala,  
Distt: Amritsar.

.....Complainant.

**Vs**

Public Information Officer,  
O/o District Development and Panchayat Officer,  
Mini Secretariat,  
Distt: Amritsar.

.....Respondent

## **Complaint Case No. 762 2019** (Through Video Conference Facility)

Present:- Shri Sucha Singh, complainant.  
Shri Sharanjit Singh, Superintendent, on behalf of the respondent-PIO.

### ORDER

The RTI application is dated 10.05.2019 vide which the complainant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. Complaint was filed in the Commission on 22.08.2019 under Section 18 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today by the Commission.

2. The appellant states that they have sent the application for seeking information through registered post on 10.05.2019, but no reply has been received from the respondents.

3. The representative of the respondents states that no application for seeking information has been received in their office.

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4. The appellant is advised to give a copy of application for seeking information to the representative of the respondents during the hearing and the respondent-PIO will go through the same and send appropriate reply to the complainant with a copy to the Commission.

5. To come up on 26.11.2019 at 3.30 P.M. to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of Deputy Commissioner, Amritsar.

Dated : 03.10.2019

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Sh. Gopal Singh,  
S/o Sh. Nikka Singh,  
Vill: Dalla Rajputta Abadi Bhutanpura,  
Tehsil: Ajnala,  
Distt: Amritsar.

.....Appellant

**Vs**

Public Information Officer,  
O/o Tehsildar,  
Ajnala, Distt: Amritsar.

.....Respondent

## **Complaint Case .No. 766 2019**

(Through Video Conference Facility)

Present:- None on behalf of the complainant.  
Shri Paramjit Singh, Patwari, on behalf of the respondent-PIO.

### ORDER

The RTI application is dated 16.05.2019 vide which the complainant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. Complaint was filed in the Commission on 27.08.2019 under Section 18 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today by the Commission.

2. The complainant is absent without intimation.
3. The representative of the respondents states that information has been provided to the complainant by his predecessor.
4. The respondent-PIO is directed to send a copy of the information said to have been supplied to the complainant. Last opportunity is afforded to the complainant to appear before the Commission and pursue his case failing which the case will be decided exparte.
5. To come up on 21.11.2019 at 3.30 P.M. to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of Deputy Commissioner, Amritsar.

Dated : 03.10.2019

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Sh. Gurdeep Singh Dhingi,  
S/o Sh. Harnam Singh,  
#390, Block-1,  
Dharmapura Mohalla, Dhuri,  
Distt: Sangrur.

.....Appellant

**Vs**

Public Information Officer,  
Divisional Forest Officer,  
District: Patiala.

First Appellate Authority,  
Conservator of Forests, South Circle,  
District: Patiala.

.....Respondents

## **Appeal Case No. 2876 of 2019**

Present:- None on behalf of the complainant.

Shri Paramjit Singh, Patwari, on behalf of the respondent-PIO.

### **ORDER**

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 09.09.2019 vide which the appellant was afforded last opportunity with the advice to deposit Rs.135874/- and get the information sought by him under the provisions of RTI Act, 2005.

2. The representative of the respondents states that they sent a letter vide dated 29.08.2019, in which it is mentioned that the appellant applied for seeking information vide his application dated 25.01.2019 which was received in their office on 29.1.2019. The respondents directed the appellant on 26.02.2019 to deposit Rs.135874/- as fees for getting information under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005. They further stated that in response to the appellant's appeal dated 2.4.2019, which was received in their office on 9.4.2019, they again sent a letter to the appellant to deposit the requisite fee for supply of information.

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3. In response to the previous order mentioned above, the appellant was advised to deposit the asked for fee and get the requisite information from the respondents under the provisions of RTI Act, 2005, if he wants. The appellant is reluctant to deposit the fee and seeks information free of cost.

4. After hearing both the parties and going through the record available on the case file, it is revealed that the respondents asked the appellant to deposit the fee within stipulated period under the provisions of RTI Act, 2005, but the appellant failed to deposit the fee for seeking information. Hence, the information could not be provided. If the information-seeker wishes to get the information, he is advised to deposit the requisite fee. The respondents are directed to provide the information on receipt of the fee from the appellant. With these observations, the present case is **disposed of** and **closed**. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated : 03.10.2019

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Sh. Gurdeep Singh Dhingi,  
S/o Sh. Harnam Singh,  
#390, Block-1,  
Dharmapura Mohalla, Dhuri,  
Distt: Sangrur.

Vs

Public Information Officer,  
Senior Environment Engineer,  
Punjab Pollution Control Board, Zonal Office,  
Power House Road, Street No.12,  
District: Bathinda.

First Appellate Authority,  
Environment Engineer,  
Pollution Control Board, Zonal Office-2,  
District: Patiala.

.....Appellant

.....Respondents.

## **Appeal Case No. 2878 of 2019** (Through Video Conference Facility)

Present:- None on behalf of the appellant.

Shri Harminder Singh, Senior Environment Engineer, on behalf of the respondents.

### ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 09.09.2019 vide which last opportunity was afforded to the appellant to send his observations to the respondents and appear on the next date of hearing and pursue his case otherwise the matter will be decided on merits.

2. The appellant was absent on the previous date of hearing and sought exemption due to domestic affairs. He is absent today without any intimation.

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3. The representative of the respondents reiterated that information sought by the appellant has already been sent to him on 25.04.2019 and again on 28.08.2019. After the previous date of hearing, no observation has been received from the appellant till date.

4. After hearing the representative of the respondents and going through the record available on the case file, it is revealed that no observation has been received by the respondents and it is also not available in the Commission. The absence of the appellant on two consecutive dates and he has not sent any observation till date. From it is assumed that the appellant is satisfied with the information supplied to him. Hence, the present case is **disposed of** and **closed**. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated : 03.10.2019

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Sh. Balvir Singh,  
S/o Sh. Attama Singh,  
VPO: Mandauli, Tehsil: Rajpura,  
Distt: Patiala.

.....Appellant  
**Vs**

Public Information Officer,  
O/o Divisional Forest Officer,  
Near Thapar College,  
Opposite Central Jail,  
District: Patiala.

First Appellate Authority,  
O/o Conservator of Forests, South Circle,  
District: Patiala.

.....Respondents.

## **Appeal Case .No. 2879 of 2019** (Through Video Conference Facility)

Present:- Shri Balvir Singh appellant.  
Shri Paramjit Singh, clerk, on behalf of the respondents.

### ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 09.09.2019 vide which the appellant was advised to point out deficiencies in writing to the respondents with a copy to the Commission.

2. The appellant states that after deposit of Rs.10198/- he has been provided partial information. He further states that the respondents have charged exorbitant fee but have supplied much less photocopies of the information than the amount charged from him. He further states that some irrelevant photocopies of documents have been supplied to him, which he has not asked for. He further states that no receipt of Rs.10198 has been issued to him.

3. The representative of the respondents states that they have given bifurcation of fee being charges for supplying the copies of the documents vide their letter dated 4.2.2019. After the receipt of Rs. 10198/- from the appellant, the respondents have forward information on 27.5.2019. The respondent further states that they have removed the deficiencies pointed out by the appellant vide their letter dated 12.06.2019.

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**Appeal Case .No. 2879 of 2019**

4. In response to the previous order, the appellant has not stated that what information is still pending. Last opportunity was given to him to send in writing what are the deficiencies in the information so supplied to him but the appellant has failed to send deficiencies in writing to the respondents and in the Commission. One more last opportunity is afforded to the appellant to give in writing to the respondents with a copy to the Commission, what deficiencies are still left in the information provided to him, before the next date of hearing i.e. 21.10.2019. The respondents are further directed to issue receipt of Rs.10198/- for issuing information under the provisions of RTI Act, 2005.

5. To come up on 21.10.2019 at 3.30 P.M. through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Patiala.

Dated : 03.10.2019

Sd/-  
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Sh. Harjinder Pal Singh Mangat,  
S/o Sh. Ranjit Singh,  
# 4905, Mohalla Guru Nagar,  
Near 132 K.V Colony, Distt: Roopnagar.

.....Appellant

**Vs**

Public Information Officer,  
Punjab State Power Corporation Limited,  
The Mall, Patiala.

First Appellate Authority,  
Chief Engineer/ HRD,  
Punjab State Power Corporation Limited,  
Patiala.

.....Respondents

## **Appeal Case No. 2885 of 2019**

(Through Video Conference Facility)

Present:- None on behalf of the appellant.

Ms. Madhuri Saxena, Senior Sports Officer alongwith Neelu Sharma ,  
Senior Assisat on behlaf of the respondents.

## ORDER

In response to the previous order dated 09.09.2019, the respondents state that remaining information has been provided to the appellant after taking his receipt. They further state that complete information has been provided to the appellant to his satisfaction who does not want to pursue the matter any further. Hence, the present case is disposed of and closed. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated : 03.10.2019

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Chief Information Commissioner  
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S/o Sh. Harnam Singh,  
#390, Block-1,  
Dharmapura Mohalla, Dhuri,  
Distt: Sangrur.

.....Appellant

**Vs**

Public Information Officer,  
Senior Environment Engineer,  
Punjab Pollution Control Board, Zonal Office,  
Power House Road, Street No.12,  
District: Bathinda.

First Appellate Authority,  
Environment Engineer,  
Pollution Control Board, Zonal Office-2,  
District: Patiala.

.....Respondents

## **Appeal Case .No. 2872 of 2019**

Present:- None on behalf of the appellant.

Shri Harminder Singh, Senior Environment Engineer, on behalf of the respondents.

### **ORDER**

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 09.09.2019 vide which last opportunity was afforded to the appellant to send his observations to the respondents and appear on the next date of hearing and pursue his case otherwise the matter will be decided on merits.

2. The appellant was absent on the previous date of hearing and sought exemption due to domestic affairs. He is again absent today without any intimation.

3. The representative of the respondents reiterated that information sought by the appellant has already been sent to him on 27.02.2019 and again on 04.09.2019. After the previous date of hearing, no observation has been received from the appellant till date.

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4. After hearing the representative of the respondents and going through the record available on the case file, it is revealed that no observation has been received by the respondents and in the Commission. The absence of the appellant on two consecutive dates and non appearance before the Commission shows that the appellant is satisfied with the information supplied to him. Hence, the instant case is **disposed of** and **closed**. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated : 03.10.2019

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Sh. Nishan Singh,  
S/o Sh. Dalip Singh ,  
Adarsh Nagar, Cheema Road,  
Kot Ise Khan, Tehsil: Dharmkot,  
Distt: Moga.

Vs

Public Information Officer,  
Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat,  
Kot Ise Khan, Teshil: Dharmkot.  
District- Moga.

.....Appellant

.....Respondent

### **Complaint Case .No. 606 of 2019** **(Through Video Conference Facility)**

Present:- Shri Nishan Singh complainant,  
Shri Vikas Uppal, Executive Officer-PIO, on behalf of the respondents.

#### ORDER

In response to the previous order dated 06.06.2019, the appellant sent his objections vide his letter dated 14.09.2019 to the respondents with a copy to the Commission.

2. On receipt of the deficiencies from the appellant, the respondents have supplied information regarding four points to the satisfaction of the information-seeker. The appellant is not satisfied with the information supplied to him regarding two points.

3. The respondents are directed to provide information on two points as discussed during the hearing otherwise file affidavit that the information is not available in their record before next date of hearing so that the matter could be finalized.

4. To come up on **21.10.2019** at **3.30 P.M.** through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Moga.

Dated : 03.10.2019

Sd/-  
( **Suresh Arora** )  
Chief Information Commissioner  
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Sh. Gurdeep Singh,  
S/o Sh. Ghan Singh,  
P.O: Ambedkar Gram Sabha, Burj,  
Mansa, Tehsil: Maur,  
Distt: Bathinda.

.....Appellant

**Vs**

Public Information Officer,  
Block Development and Panchayat Officer, Maur,  
District- Bathinda.

.....Respondent

## **Complaint Case No. 608 of 2019**

Present:- Shri Gurdeep Singh, complainant.

None on behalf of the respondent-PIO.

### ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 06.09.2019, vide which the absence of the respondents were viewed seriously and he was directed to supply reply to the information-seeker under the provisions of RTI Act, 2005.

2. The appellant states that no information has been provided to him after the previous hearing held on 06.09.2019.

3. Shri Gurteg Singh, Block Development and Panchayats Officer, Maur, district Bathinda is absent without intimation. Video Conference Facility was introduced for convenience of general public and for government officials. Viewing the absence of Shri Gurteg Singh seriously, it is, therefore, a fit case to issue a notice under Section 20 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 to him to show cause why penalty should not be imposed on him for not supplying the information within the stipulated period and for his

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absence during the hearing through video conference. The written explanation may be filed before the next date of hearing when he may also avail the opportunity of personal hearing.

4. To come up on **29.10.2019** at **3.30 P.M.** through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Bathinda.

Dated : 03.10.2019

Sd/-  
( **Suresh Arora**)  
Chief Information Commissioner  
Punjab

CC

Shri Gurteg Singh,  
Block Development and Panchayats Officer,  
Maur, District Bathinda.

Regd.

The Deputy Commissioner, Bhatinda (by name) for information and to ensure the presence of PIO or his representative during the Video Conference proceedings in future.

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Sh. Ram Singh,  
S/o Sh. Amar Singh,  
Vill: Khanwala, P.O: Karni Khera,  
Tehsil & Distt: Fazilka.

.....Appellant  
**Vs**

Public Information Officer,  
Block Development and Panchayat Officer,  
Distt: Fazilka.

First Appellate Authority,  
Block Development and Panchayat Officer,  
Distt: Fazilka. ....Respondent

## **Appeal Case .No. 2586 of 2019**

Present:- Shri Ram Singh, appellant.

Shri Sawaran Kumar, Panchayat Secretary-cum-PIO on behalf of the respondents.

### ORDER

In compliance to the previous order dated 06.09.2019, the respondent-PIO states that complete information has been provided to the appellant after removing the deficiencies. The appellant confirms that he has received the complete information to his satisfaction and does not want to pursue the matter any further. Hence, the instant case is **disposed of** and **closed**. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated : 03.10.2019

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( **Suresh Arora**)  
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Sh. Ram Singh,  
S/o Sh. Amar Singh,  
Vill: Khanwala, P.O: Karni Khera,  
Tehsil & Distt: Fazilka.

.....Appellant

**Vs**

Public Information Officer,  
Block Development and Panchayat Officer,  
Distt: Fazilka.

First Appellate Authority,  
Block Development and Panchayat Officer,  
Distt: Fazilka.

Shri Sandeep Kumar  
Assistant Programme Officer (Narega)  
c/o Block Development and Panchayats Officer, Fazilika.....Respondents

## **Appeal Case .No. 2568 of 2019**

Present:- Shri Ram Singh, appellant.

Shri Sawaran Kumar, Panchayat Secretary, on behalf of the respondents.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 06.09.2019

vide which Shri Sandeep Kumar Assistant Programme Officer (Narega) c/o Block Development and Panchayats Officer, Fazilika was impleaded as a necessary party with the direction to the respondents to provide the information before the next date of hearing.

2. The appellant states that no information has been provided.

3. Shri Sandeep Kumar, Assistant Programme Officer, o/o Block Development and Panchayats Officer, Fazilika is absent without intimation. Video Conference Facility was introduced for convenience of general public and for government officials. Viewing

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the absence of Shri Sandeep Kumar seriously, it is, therefore, a fit case to issue a notice under Section 20 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 to him to show cause why penalty should not be imposed on him for not supplying the information within the stipulated period and for his absence during the hearing through video conference. The written explanation may be filed before the next date of hearing when he may also avail the opportunity of personal hearing.

4. To come up on **21.10.2019** at **3.30 P.M.** through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Fazilika.

Dated : 03.10.2019

Sd/-  
( **Suresh Arora**)  
Chief Information Commissioner  
Punjab

**CC**

Shri Sandeep Kumar,  
Assistant Programme Officer,  
o/o Block Development and Panchayats Officer,  
Fazilika

The Deputy Commissioner, Fazilika (by name) for information and to ensure the presence of PIO or his representative during the Video Conference proceedings in future.

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Sh. Ram Chand,  
S/o Sh. Labh Chand,  
Vill: Sawah Wala, Block Guruharsahai,  
Tehsil: Jalalabad,  
Distt: Fazilka. ....Appellant

**Vs**

Public Information Officer,  
Panchayat Secretary, Gram Panchayat,  
Sawah Wala, Block Guruharsahai,  
Tehsil: Jalalabad,  
Distt: Fazilka. ....Respondent

## **Complaint Case No. 612 of 2019**

Present:- Shri Ram Chand, complainant.

None on behalf of the respondent-PIO.

### ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 06.09.2019, in which the absence of the respondent-PIO was viewed seriously and he was directed to take appropriate action on the application of the complainant as per the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

2. The complainant states that no information has been provided to him till date. He further states that Shri Arvind Kumar, Panchayat Secretary has to supply the information as he is the custodian of the record.

3. None is present on behalf of the respondents without any intimation.

4. Shri Arvind Kumar, is impleaded as a necessary party in this case with the direction to supply the information before the next date of hearing. Video Conference Facility was introduced for convenience of general public and for government officials. Viewing

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the absence of Shri Arvind Kumar seriously, it is, therefore, a fit case to issue a notice under Section 20 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 to him to show cause why penalty should not be imposed on him for not supplying the information within the stipulated period and for his absence during the hearing through video conference. The written explanation may be filed before the next date of hearing when he may also avail the opportunity of personal hearing.

4. To come up on **21.10.2019** at **3.30 P.M.** through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Fazilika.

Dated : 03.10.2019

Sd/-  
( **Suresh Arora**)  
Chief Information Commissioner  
Punjab

**CC**

Shri Arvind Kumar,  
Panchayat Secretary,  
o/o Block Development and Panchayats Officer,  
Guruharsahai,  
Tehsil: Jalalabad,  
Distt: Fazilka.

Regd.

The Deputy Commissioner, Fazilika (by name)  
for information and to ensure the presence of PIO  
or his representative during the Video Conference  
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Sh. Tejinder Singh (Advocate),  
Civil Court, Tehsil Complex,  
Back Side Sanjh Kender,  
Phillaur-144410.

.....Appellant  
**Vs**

Public Information Officer,  
Food and Safety Officer,  
District: Patiala.

First Appellate Authority,  
Civil Surgeon,  
District: Patiala.

.....Respondents

## Appeal Case No. 2865 of 2019

Present:- None on behalf of the appellant.

None on behalf of the respondents.

### ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 11.09.2019 vide which the case was adjourned on the request of the respondents with the direction to take appropriate action on the application for seeking information and inform the same to the appellant.

2. The appellant is absent without any intimation.
3. The respondents are also absent without intimation.
4. Shri Puneet Sharma, is impleaded as a necessary party in this case with the direction to supply the information before the next date of hearing. Video Conference Facility

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was introduced for convenience of general public and for government officials. Viewing the absence of Shri Puneet Sharma seriously, it is, therefore, a fit case to issue a notice under Section 20 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 to him to show cause why penalty should not be imposed on him for not supplying the information within the stipulated period and for his absence during the hearing through video conference. The written explanation may be filed before the next date of hearing when he may also avail the opportunity of personal hearing.

4. To come up on 21.10.2019 at 3.30 P.M. through Vide Conference Facility available in o/o Deputy Commissioner, Patiala.

Dated : 03.10.2019

Sd/-  
( **Suresh Arora**)  
Chief Information Commissioner  
Punjab

**CC**

Mr. Puneet Sharma,  
Food Safety Officer  
o/o Civil Surgeon,  
Patiala.

The Deputy Commissioner, Patiala (by name)  
for information and to ensure the presence of PIO  
or his representative during the Video Conference  
proceedings in future.