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**Bench: Sh. Sanjiv Garg, State Information Commissioner, Punjab.**

**Sh. Surjit Singh,**

H.No 2990/76, Street No 4,  
Guru Gobind Singh Nagar,  
Near Mair Di Chakki, PO Daba,  
Ludhiana. M: 9988013004

....Applicant

**Vs.**

**Public Information Officer,**

O/o The Commissioner,  
Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana.

**First Appellate Authority,**

O/o The Commissioner,  
Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana.

...Respondents

## **Appeal Case No. 2092 of 2018**

**Present:** Shri Surjit Siingh, Appellant is absent.  
Shri Rahul Kumar, Building Inspector (Zone-A)  
Shri Raj Kumar, Asstt.Town Planner, (Zone-D)  
Shri Harjit Singh, Draftsman  
Nobody is present from Zone-B of M.C.  
- on behalf of Respondents/PIO

## **ORDER:**

The case was last heard on 13.08.2018 and on next date 10.10.2018, the case was adjourned to 03.12.2018 on account of declaration of gazetted holiday.

On last date of hearing, Shri Rahul Kumar, Building Inspector(Zone-A) had submitted reply dated 08.08.2018 which was taken on record. Ms. Sharuti, Advocate alongwith the Appellant Surjit Singh had appeared, who stated that the information has been denied on one or the other plea. After deliberations, the Appellant was advised to inspect the record in the office of PIO on any working day to pin point the information required. Respondent/PIO was directed to allow inspection of relevant record by appellant on 17.08.2019 at 11.00 AM and to supply the required information.

Today, the appellant Sh.Surjit Singh sent an e.mail dated 03.12.2018 stating that Zone-A and Zone-C of the Municipal Corporation have provided the information, but Zone-B & Zone-D have not supplied any information. He has also stated that to inspect the record,

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he visited Corporation office many times, but he has not received the required information. He stated that the demand of payment for supply of information is wrong as the information was supplied after 2 months. It is further requested that information asked for may be supplied to him.

Though the official from Zone-A & D are present, none is present from Zone-B without any intimation. The Commission took a serious view of the same.

Sh. Raj Kumar, Asstt. Town Planner (Zone D) submits a copy of letter dated 24.09.2018 that as per orders of Commission dated 13.08.2018, the Appellant was called to PIO Office on 17.08.2018 at 11.00 AM but the appellant did not come for inspection of record and that he was again asked to come to PIO Office on any working day to inspect the record. Photocopy of letter is taken on record.

After discussing with the officials present on behalf of PIO/Respondent and going through the file, the Appellant is directed to visit the Municipal Corporation on 21.12.2018 at 11 AM to inspect the record of Zone-D and on 19.12.2018 at 11 AM to inspect the record of Zone-B.

The officials who represent Zone D and Zone-B respectively are directed to ensure that the appellant is allowed to inspect the record relating to the information sought by him on the dates stipulated by the Commission.

The Appellant and the officials on behalf of PIO/Respondent to come present on the next date of hearing, which is fixed for **30.01.2019 at 11.00 A.M.**

Announced in the Court, copy of the order to be sent to the parties

**Dated: 03.12.2018**

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**First Appellate Authority,**

O/o The Commissioner,  
Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana.

...Respondents

## **Appeal Case No. 2080 of 2018**

**Present:** Shri Surjit Singh, Appellant is absent.  
Shri Harbir Singh, SDO from Zone-C  
on behalf of Respondents/PIO

### **ORDER:**

The case was last heard on 13.08.2018 and on next date 10.10.2018, the case was adjourned to 03.1.22018 on account of declaration of gazetted holiday.

On the last date of hearing, the appellant alongwith his Counsel Ms. Shruti were present. Sh.Harmesh Lal, Executive Engineer appeared on behalf of Respondent/PIO who stated that information sought by the Appellant is voluminous.

After deliberations, the Appellant was advised to inspect the record in the office of PIO on any working day to pin-point the information required. Respondent/PIO was directed to allow inspection of relevant record by Appellant on 04.09.2019 at 11.00 AM and to supply the required information.

Today, the Appellant sent an e.mail stating that due to Dengu fever, he cannot appear for the hearing. He states that no information has been supplied to him. Shri Harbir Singh, SDO who appeared on behalf of PIO/Respondent, produced letter dated 06.11.2018 written to the Commission. It is stated therein that the appellant Shri Surjit Singh was called for inspection of record of Zone-C relating to Ward No.73 on 04.09.2018, but he did not reach upto 2.55 PM. Then he was contacted on Mob. Phone No.99880-13004,

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he replied that he will visit only if he is sent a written letter. Thereafter, letter dated 04.09.2018 was written to him calling for inspection of record on 11.09.2018 of Zone C office, but he again failed to come on 11.09.2018. The letter is taken on record.

Shri Surjit Singh, Appellant is given last opportunity to inspect the record in Zone C office on 17.12.2018 at 03.00 PM. In case he fails to comply with the directions of the Commission again, the case will be decided on merits.

Both the parties to come present on the next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to **04.02.2019 at 11.00 AM.**

Copies of the order be sent to both the parties.

**Dated:03.12.2018**

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O/o The Commissioner,

Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana.

**First Appellate Authority,**

O/o The Commissioner,

Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana.

...Respondents

## **Appeal Case No. 2089 of 2018**

**Present:**

Shri Surjit Singh, appellant is absent.

Shri Raj Kumar, Assistant Town Planner, (Zone-D), on behalf of Respondents/PIO

## **ORDER:**

The case was last heard on 13.08.2018 and on next date 10.10.2018, the case was adjourned to 03.12.2018 on account of declaration of gazetted holiday.

On the last date of hearing, Shri Gurbinder Pal Singh, Building Inspector (Zone-D) appeared on behalf of the respondent/IPO and stated that no application in the name of Dhanuka Neuro Care, 1799/1 Maharaj Nagar, Near PAU Gate No.3, Ludhiana, has been received for Change of Land Use or for any other purpose. The PIO was directed to intimate the appellant to this effect in writing before the next date of hearing by registered post.

Today, the Appellant sent an e.mail stating that due to Dengu fever, he cannot appear for the hearing. He has stated that no information has been supplied to him. Shri Raj Kumar, Asstt. Town Planner has come present from Zone-D of Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana. He makes reference to letter dated 31.05.2018, which is already on record, as per which the reply to RTI application was given to the appellant.

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The PIO/Respondent is given last opportunity to intimate the Appellant in writing that no application in the name of Dhanuka Neuro Care, 1799/1 Maharaj Nagar, Near PAU Gate No.3, Ludhiana, has been received for Change of Land Use or for any other purpose by registered post. Shri Surjit Singh is also given last opportunity to give in writing if he wants to inspect the record or not, otherwise the case will be decided on merits.

Both the parties to come present on the next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to **30.01.2019 at 11 A.M.**

Announced in the Court, copy of the order to be sent to the parties.

**Dated: 03.12.2018**

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**Regd. Post**

**First Appellate Authority,**

**O/o The Commissioner,**

Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana

...Respondents

**Appeal Case No. 2090 of 2018**

Present: Shri Surjit Siingh, appellant is absent.  
Sh. Raj Kumar (ATP) is present on behalf of the respondents/PIO.

**ORDER:**

The case was last heard on 13.08.2018 and on next date 10.10.2018, the case was adjourned to 03.12.2018 on account of declaration of gazetted holiday.

The respondent/PIO was absent without any intimation on the last date. He was directed to be present on the next date of hearing positively, otherwise, stern action would be taken.

Today, the appellant Sh.Surjit Singh sent an e.mail dated 03.12.2018 stating that Zone-A and Zone-C of the Municipal Corporation have provided the information, but Zone-B & Zone-D have not supplied any information. He has also stated that to inspect the record, he visited PIO office many times, but he has not received the required information. He stated that the demand of payment for supply of information is wrong as the information was supplied after 2 months. It is further requested that information asked for may be supplied to him.

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Sh. Raj Kumar, Assistant Town Planner and Shri Harjit Singh, Draftsman who are present on behalf of PIO/Respondent states that an identical information has been sought by the Appellant in another appeal case No.696/2018 which was heard by Learned State Information Commissioner, Shri Yashvir Mahajan.

The position with regard to this Appeal be checked up with the court of Ld. State Information Commissioner Sh.Yashvir Mahajan as to whether the case seeking information under RTI with the said Bench is same or not.

The appellant is advised to come present on the next date of hearing for clearing the facts of the case otherwise it will be presumed that the information sought has been received by him. PIO/Respondent is also directed to come present on the next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to **30.01.2019 at 11.00 A.M.**

Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

**Dated:03.12.2018**

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**First Appellate Authority,**  
**O/o** The Commissioner,  
Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana.

...Respondents

## **Appeal Case No. 2091 of 2018**

**Present:** Shri Surjit Siingh, appellant is absent.  
Shri Surinder Singh, SDO (B&R) Zone-C, on behalf of  
Respondents/PIO.

## **ORDER:**

The case was last heard on 13.08.2018 and on next date 10.10.2018, the case was adjourned to 03.12.2018 on account of declaration of gazetted holiday.

On last date of hearing, Shri Kulwinder Singh, SDO (B&R) appeared on behalf of the respondent/IPO and produced letter dated 03.08.2018 vide which he made preliminary submission that the information is voluminous and is not maintainable as it needs creation of record. The same was taken on record.

Shri Surjit Singh, Appellant alongwith his counsel Ms. Sharuti were present on the last date of hearing.

On deliberations with the parties, the Appellant agreed to the suggestion to inspect the record in the office of PIO on an working day, so as to pin point the information he requires. Accordingly, PIO/Respondent is directed to ensure inspection of relevant record by the Appellant on 17.08.2018 at 11.00AM and to supply copy of the required information on payment of requisite charges.

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Today, the Appellant sent an e.mail stating that due to Dengu fever, he cannot appear for the hearing. He states that no information has been supplied to him. He further says that he went to inspect the record but no inspection of record was allowed to him and the information may be directed to be supplied to him.

Shri Surinder Singh, SDO (B&R), has placed on record letter dated 24.08.2018 vide which it is stated that in compliance with directions of Commission, the Appellant was called for inspection on 17.08.2018 but he did not come present in the office on 17.08.2018. He was also contacted on telephone to come and he said that he would come on Monday dated 20.08.2018, but he again did not come present on 20.08.2018. Thereafter, he was given last opportunity to inspect the record on 05.09.2018 at 11.00 AM. The said letter is also affixed with the postal stamp of having sent the letter by registered post.

Last opportunity is given to the Appellant for inspection of relevant record by him on 18.12.2018 at 11.00 A.M, otherwise the case will be decided on merits.

Both the parties to come present on next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to **04.02.2019 at 11 A.M.**

Announced in the Court, copy of the order to be sent to the parties

**Dated:03.12.2018**

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**Ms. Shruti (Advocate),**

Chamber Hall No 500, Lawyer  
Chamber, New Courts, Ludhiana.

....Applicant

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O/o Commissioner,  
Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana.

**First Appellate Authority,**

O/o Commissioner,  
Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana.

...Respondents

## Appeal Case No. 2094 of 2018

**Present:** The appellant Ms. Shruti, Advocate, is absent.  
Shri Rahul Kumar, Building Inspector (Zone-A) on behalf of  
Respondents/PIO

### ORDER:

The case was last heard on 13.08.2018 and on next date 10.10.2018, the case was adjourned to 03.12.2018 on account of declaration of gazetted holiday.

On the last hearing, Sh.Rahul Kumar and Ms.Kashish Garg, Building Inspectors from Zone A and B had appeared. Reply dated 10.08.2018 signed by Assistant Town Planner, Zone-D, M.C. Ludhiana was received vide which the appellant was asked vide letter dated 09.04.2018 to deposit Rs.7900/- towards the cost of 3950 pages of the information sought by her, but she failed to deposit the same. As the appellant had requested for inspection of the record, accordingly, PIO/Respondent was directed to ensure the inspection of record by the appellant on 21.08.2018 at 11.00 AM in the office of PIO and to supply a copy of the information which she requires on deposit of requisite fee. The appellant failed to inspect the record on the date fixed.

Today, an e-mail has been received from the appellant informing that she cannot attend the hearing in the Commission today. She has informed that information relating to Zone A & C has been received. However, as per orders of Commission, she visited Zone B & D many times to inspect the record, but she has not been allowed inspection of the record.

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It is further stated in the letter that the demand of Rs.7900/- as fee for supply of information is wrong as it is reported to be made after 2-3 months. She has requested for supply information by directing the officials concerned of Zone B and D.

Today, Sh. Rahul Kumar who appeared on behalf of respondents/PIO states that the Appellant did not come for inspection of record on 21.08.2018. As such, the Appellant is given last opportunity to inspect the record as per her earlier request, on 17.12.2018 at 11.00 AM, otherwise the case will be decided on merit on the next date of hearing.

PIO/Respondent is directed to ensure the inspection of record by the Appellant on 17.12.2018 at 11.00 AM in the office of the PIO and to supply copies of the information which she requires on deposit of requisite fee.

Both the parties to come present on the next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to **30.01.2019 at 11 A.M.**

Announced in the Court, copy of the order be sent to the parties.

**Dated:03.12.2018**

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Chandigarh Road, Ludhiana. 141123.  
M : 9041004313

....Appellant

**Vs.**

**Public Information Officer,**  
**O/o** The Commissioner,  
Municipal Corporation, Pathankot.

**First Appellate authority,**  
**O/o** The Commissioner,  
Municipal Corporation, Pathankot.

...Respondents

## **Appeal Case No. 2114 of 2018**

**Present:** Appellant Shri Tejinder Singh, is absent.

Smt. Sonika Malhotra, Building Inspector (Zone-1), is present  
on behalf of Respondents/PIO

### **ORDER:**

The case was last heard on 13.08.2018 and on next date 10.10.2018, the case was adjourned to 03.12.2018 on account of declaration of gazetted holiday.

On the last date of hearing, Shri Kirandeep Singh, Building Inspector(Zone-B), appeared on behalf of the respondents/PIO and stated that the record of buildings sealed and demolition notices issued (sought under Sr. No.1 and 2) of the RTI application, is not being maintained. The respondent/PIO was directed to intimate the Appellant to this effect, in writing, before the next date of hearing. However, the representative of the respondents/PIO undertook to supply the information asked for by the Appellant at Sr. No.3, 4 and 5, before the next date of hearing.

Today, the Appellant has sent a letter with e.mail dated 03.12.2018 that he is unable to appear in the court today. He also states that he has not received any information.

Smt. Sonika Malhotra who appeared on behalf of PIO/Respondent produces reply to the RTI Application. It is stated in regard to Point No.1, 2 & 5 that no written record is maintained. Regarding Point No.3, copies of notices under Section 270(1) and 269(1) of Punjab Municipal Act have been enclosed. Regarding Point No.4, it is stated that no separate record regarding compounded buildings is maintained. The reply is taken on record.

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The PIO/Respondent is directed to supply the information to the Appellant by registered post and postal receipt for having sent the information be produced on the next date of hearing.

The appellant is also advised to point out any discrepancies in the information on receipt of information and send the same to the PIO/Respondent by registered post with a copy to the Commission.

Both the parties to come present on next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to **04.02.2019 at 11.00 A.M.**

Announced in the Court, copy of the order to be sent to the parties.

**Dated: 03.12.2018**

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# 63- H, Shastri Nagar,  
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....Applicant

**Vs.**

**Public Information Officer,**  
**O/o** Municipal Corporation, Zone- D,  
Sarabha Nagar, Ludhiana.

**First Appellate Authority,**  
**O/o** Municipal Corporation,  
Zone A, Mata Rani Chowk, Ludhiana.

...Respondents

## **Appeal Case No. 2157 of 2018**

**Present:** Shri Des Raj Dhamija, is absent.  
Shri Varinder Singh, SDO (Light Branch), on behalf of  
respondents/PIO.

### **ORDER:**

The case was last heard on 13.08.2018 and on next date 10.10.2018, the case was adjourned to 03.12.2018 on account of declaration of gazetted holiday.

On the last date also, the Appellant was absent and had requested for video conferencing which was declined.

Shri Varinder Singh, who appeared on behalf of the respondent/PIO had placed on record letter dated 10.08.2018 signed by the PIO-cum-Executive Engineer, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana to the effect that point-wise reply has been sent to the Appellant vide letter No.379/XEN dated 17.08.2017. He further stated that grievance of the appellant about working of the Street Light has been redressed.

Today also, Sh.Varinder Singh, SDO came present on behalf of PIO/Respondent and produces letter dated 29.11.2018 stating that the reply has already been submitted to Commission on 10.09.2018. It is also stated therein that the grievance of the Appellant regarding street light has also been redressed.

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The Appellant Shri Des Raj Dhamija has also sent a letter dated 30.11.2018 which has been received by post wherein he has requested for closing of his appeal as he has not to pursue it further. He has also requested telephonically to close his appeal.

In view of the request of the appellant dated 30.11.2018 to close the appeal and that the reply has been given to the appellant by the PIO, **the appeal is disposed of and case is closed.**

**Dated: 03.12.2018**

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New Shimla (171009) HP. M : 9418021894

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**O/o Executive Officer,**

Town Improvement Trust, Pathankot.

**First Appellate Authority,**

**O/o Addl. Director, Department Of Local Govt.,**

Punjab, Sector-35A, Chandigarh.

...Respondents

## **Appeal Case No. 2166 of 2018**

**Present:**

The appellant Er. A. K. Mahajan in person.

Shri Bhartendu Sharma, Legal Assistant, on behalf of Respondents/PIO.

## **ORDER:**

The case was last heard on 13.08.2018 and on next date 10.10.2018, the case was adjourned to 03.12.2018 on account of declaration of gazetted holiday.

On the last hearing, Shri Bhartendu Sharma, Legal Assistant, on behalf of Respondents/PIO had supplied a copy of reply bearing No.2053/PIT dated 10.08.2018 to the Appellant, which was also taken on record.

After going through the contents of the reply, the Appellant had stated that it is not a correct reply because the decision regarding framing of policy on the directions dated 24.08.2017 issued by the Hon'ble High Court, would be taken after the decision in COCP No.1903 of 2013, which has been admitted on 17.3.2016.

The respondent/PIO was directed to file an affidavit to the effect that the policy would be framed after the decision of COCP No.1903 of 2013, on or before the next date of hearing i.e. 10.10.2018.

Today, Shri Bhartendu Sharma, Legal Assistant appeared on behalf of PIO/ Respondent and states that the information has been sent to the Appellant vide letter No.2251/PIT dated 05.10.2018, but was received by them undelivered.

He hands over the information along with closed envelope to the Appellant in the court. The Appellant opens the said envelop in the court. He raises objection that he has sought information from Principal Secretary to Govt., Department of Local Govt. He also raised objection that it is not certified by the PIO.

The said objection is not accepted as the RTI Application has been transferred by the State Govt.(Local Govt. Deptt.) to the Executive Officer, Town Improvement Trust vide letter dated 06.02.2018 and the same has to be supplied by the Improvement Trust.

Shri Bhartendu Sharma also produces a copy of the Affidavit of the PIO, which is taken on record. On going through the case file and the affidavit, it is observed that the affidavit has not been prepared correctly. PIO/Respondent is directed to submit correctly prepared affidavit within a week.

In view of the above, PIO O/o, The Executive Officer, Town Improvement Trust, Pathankot will **Show Cause** under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act, as to why penalty be not imposed upon him for willful delay in supplying the information to the RTI Appellant and as to why the compensation be not awarded to the information-seeker under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

In addition, the PIO is also hereby given an opportunity under Section 20(1) provision thereto, for a personal hearing with the sought for information before the imposition of such penalty on the next date of hearing.

Both the parties to come present on next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to **04.02.2019 at 11 A.M.**

Copies of the order be sent to both the parties.

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**Show Cause:**

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**O/o Executive Officer,**  
**Town Improvement Trust, Pathankot.**  
**Encl. RTI Application.**

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...Complainant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**

O/o The Director, Technical Education

& Industrial Training Deptt., Punjab

Sector-36A, Chandigarh.

..Respondent

## **Complaint No.684/2018**

Present: Sh.Labh Singh Sandhu, Complainant is present.  
Sh.Rachhpal Singh, Senior Assistant with  
Sh. Jaswinder Singh, Superintendent on behalf of  
PIO/Respondent.

### **ORDER:**

The case was last heard on 14.08.2018 and on next date 10.10.2018, the case was adjourned to 03.12.2018 on account of declaration of gazetted holiday.

On the last date, the Complainant was present. Sh.Rachhpal Singh, SA who appeared on behalf of the PIO/Respondent had stated that the information on Points No.1 & 3 has been supplied and sought time to supply information on Points No.2, 4 & 5. Accordingly, he was advised to supply the remaining information on or before 10.10.2018.

Today, the Complainant Shri Labh Singh Sandhu along with Sh.Rachhpal Singh, Sr. Asstt. and Sh.Jaswinder Singh, Supdt. representing the Respondent, came present. The complainant states that he has discussed with the Superintendent Shri Jaswinder Singh appearing on behalf of PIO/Respondent and that the information will be provided to him before or on the next date of hearing. As such, they request for next date of hearing. PIO is advised to supply the information to the Complainant by registered post before the next date of hearing.

Both the parties to come for hearing on the next date.

The case is adjourned to **04.02.2019 at 11.00 AM.**

Copies of the orders be sent to both the parties.

Dated: 03.12.2018

Sd/-  
(Sanjiv Garg)  
State Information Commissioner  
Punjab

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Sh.Labh Singh Sandhu

S/o Sh.Harwinder Singh

Advocate, Ch.No.573,

Yadvindra Court Complex,

Patiala.

...Complainant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o The Director, Technical Education &

Industrial Training Deptt., Punjab

Sector-36A, Chandigarh.

..Respondent

## Complaint No.685/2018

Present: Sh.Labh Singh Sandhu, Appellant is present.  
Sh.Rachhpal Singh, Senior Assistant with  
Sh. Jaswinder Singh, Superintendent on behalf of  
PIO/Respondent.

### ORDER:

The case was last heard on 14.08.2018 and on next date 10.10.2018, the case was adjourned to 03.12.2018 on account of declaration of gazetted holiday.

On the last date of hearing, the Complainant was present. Sh.Rachhpal Singh, SA who appeared on behalf of the PIO/Respondent had stated that the information on Point No.III has been supplied and sought time to supply information on Points No.I, II, IV, VI & VII. PIO was advised to intimate the complainant in writing about this. Accordingly, he was advised to supply the remaining information on or before 10.10.2018.

During discussions on RTI Application point wise, it was observed that information sought on Point No.V is vague and is not required to be supplied to the Complainant.

Today, the Complainant Shri Labh Singh Sandhu along with Sh. Rachhpal Singh, Senior Assistant and Sh. Jaswinder Singh, Superintendent, representing the respondent, came present.

Complaint No.685/2018

The Complainant states that he has discussed with the Superintendent Shri Jaswinder Singh appearing on behalf of PIO/Respondent and that the information will be provided to him before or on the next date of hearing. As such, they request for next date of hearing. PIO is advised to supply the information to the Complainant by registered post before the next date of hearing.

Both the parties to come for hearing on the next date.

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**Sh. Prem Kumar Rattan,**  
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...Applicant

**V/s.**

**Public Information Officer,**  
**O/o** Managing Director,  
Pepsu Road Transport Corporation,  
Nabha Road, Patiala.

**First Appellate Authority,**  
**O/o** Managing Director,  
Pepsu Road Transport Corporation,  
Nabha Road, Patiala.

...Respondents

## **Appeal Case No. 2066 of 2018**

**Present:** Shri Prem Kumar Rattan, appellant is absent.  
Shri Jatinder Singh, Clerk, on behalf of Respondents/PIO

## **ORDER:**

The case was last heard on 13.08.2018 and on next date 10.10.2018, the case was adjourned to 03.1.22018 on account of declaration of gazetted holiday.

On the last date, Shri Gian Chand, Junior Assistant, who appeared on behalf of the Respondents/PIO sought a week's time for supplying information to the appellant. The respondent/PIO was directed to supply the requisite information to the appellant by registered post within a week's time from today.

A letter dated 26.11.2018 has been received from the Appellant for exemption from appearing personally in Appeal Case No.2066 of 2018. It is stated in the letter that as per directions of Hon'ble Commission to supply information within a week, he has not received any information.

He has further stated in the letter that if the Respondent/PIO produces the information in the court at the time of hearing, the Court may take an appropriate decision if the Court is satisfied that the information is complete and satisfactory.

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**Appeal Case No. 2066 of 2018**

Today, Sh. Jatinder Singh, Clerk produces the complete information before the Court, which is addressed to the Appellant, who is absent. The same is taken on record. PIO/Respondent is, however, directed to supply this information to the Appellant through registered post, with intimation to the Commission before next date of hearing.

Both the parties to come present on next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to **04.02.2019 at 11.00 A.M.**

Announced in the Court, copy of the order to be sent to the parties

Dated: 03.12.2018

Sd/-  
(Sanjiv Garg)  
State Information Commissioner,  
Punjab