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Shri Amarjit Singh Dhaliwal,  
H.No.B-16, Bhai Randhir Singh Nagar,  
Ludhiana-141012.

.....Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**

O/o Executive Engineer,  
Punjab State Power Corporation Ltd.  
(PSPCL), BRS Nagar, Ludhiana.

**First Appellate Authority**

O/o Executive Engineer,  
Punjab State Power Corporation Ltd.  
(PSPCL), BRS Nagar, Ludhiana..

...Respondents

**AC No.3493/2021**

**Present:**

- (i) Appellant- absent.
- (ii) Shri Amandeep Singh, Sr. XEN, Sub Division, PSPCL, Agar Nagar, Ludhiana, on behalf of the PIO/respondent.

**ORDER**

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 16.11.2021 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.
2. The case has been heard today. Shri Amarjit Singh Dhaliwal, appellant has not come present to attend the hearing in person before the Bench or through cisco webex.
3. Shri Amandeep Singh, Sr. XEN, Sub Division, PSPCL, Agar Nagar, Ludhiana comes present to attend the hearing on behalf of the PIO in person before the Bench. He states that the information has been supplied to the appellant vide letter dated 12.11.2021 by registered post.
4. The Bench observes that on the previous two hearings also, the appellant was absent and was contacted on mobile phone. Today, he is also contacted on mobile phone. After various attempts made, he responds to the phone call and states that he has been provided incomplete information. Then he is made to talk to the representative of PIO who explains to him the detail of information supplied. The representative of PIO, however, gives an opportunity to the appellant to visit their office for inspection of records on 06.05.2022.

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**AC No.3493/2021**

5. The Bench observes that during the previous hearing, the appellant was advised to point out deficiencies in the information supplied to the PIO but he has failed to do so. On the asking of the Bench, the representative of PIO states that the information as available in the official records has been supplied to the appellant and nothing beyond the information supplied is available in official documents.

6. The Bench now directs the PIO to file an affidavit on non judicial stamp paper, within 21 (twenty one ) days duly signed by the PIO and attested by the Notary Public to the effect that the information as available in the official records in AC No.3493/2021 has been supplied to the appellant. It be further stated that nothing has been concealed therein and the statement made is true and correct. Original affidavit be sent to the appellant and copy of the same be sent to the Commission for record.

7. With the aforesaid directions, **the appeal case is disposed off and closed.** Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

**Chandigarh  
04.05.2022**

**Sd/-  
(Lt Gen Ajae Kumar Sharma (Retd))  
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Shri Avtar Singh,  
S/o Late Shri Daljit Singh  
VPO Chuharwali, Teh: Adampur,  
District Jalandhar

.....Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**

O/o Punjab State Power Corporation Ltd.  
(PSPCL), Khurdpur, Adampur Doaba,  
District Jalandhar

**First Appellate Authority**

O/o Chief Engineer,  
Punjab State Power Corporation Ltd.,  
(PSPCL), Jalandhar.

...Respondents

**AC No.3558/2021**

**Present:**

- (i) Shri Avtar Singh, Appellant.
- (ii) Shri Parminder Singh, Assistant Executive Engineer, PSPCL Sub Division, Adampur, District Jalandhar, PIO/Respondent.

**ORDER:**

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 14.02.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.
2. The case has been heard today. Shri Avtar Singh, appellant comes present to attend the hearing through cisco webex. But his version could not be heard through cisco webex due to disturbance in connectivity.
3. Shri Parminder Singh, Assistant Executive Engineer/ PIO, PSPCL Sub Division, Adampur, District Jalandhar comes present to attend the hearing in person before the Bench and states that the requisite information has been supplied to the appellant and also produces before the Bench letter dated 02.05.2022 of Shri Avtar Singh, appellant whereby he has confirmed receipt of information to his satisfaction and has also given his consent to close the case.

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**AC No.3558/2021**

4. In view of the above, no further cause of action is left in the matter. **The instant appeal case is disposed off and closed.** Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Chandigarh  
04.05.2022

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Shri Pawan Kumar Sharma,  
R/o #585, Phase-2,  
SAS Nagar (Mohali).

.....Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**  
O/o Grater Mohali Area Development  
Authority (GMADA), Mohali.

**First Appellate Authority**  
O/o Chief Administrator,  
Grater Mohali Area Development  
Authority(GMADA), Mohali

....Respondents

**AC No.3509 of 2021**

**Present:** (i) **Appellant- absent**  
(ii) **Shri Gurvinder Singh, Assistant Estate Officer/PIO, O/o GMADA, Mohali, in person.**

**ORDER**

**(Heard in person/on mobile phone)**

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 14.02.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.
2. The case has been heard today. Shri Pawan Kumar Sharma, appellant has not come present to attend the hearing in person or through cisco webex.
3. Shri Gurvinder Singh, Assistant Estate Officer/PIO O/o GMADA, Mohali, come present to attend the hearing in person before the bench. The PIO states that the information has been sent to the appellant twice on 05.10.2021 and 10.12.2021. However, no deficiencies have been received from the appellant.
4. Since the appellant is absent for today's hearing, he is contacted on mobile phone. On the asking of the Bench, he states that at present, he is bed ridden and as such, could not point out deficiencies in the information supplied and further leaves it to the Bench to decide the case as per documents available on record.

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**AC No.3509/2021**

5. Post deliberations, the Bench directs the PIO to file an affidavit on non-judicial stamp paper, within 21 (Twenty one) days, duly signed by the PIO and attested by the Notary Public to the effect that the information as available in the official records in AC No.3509/2021 has been supplied to the appellant. It is further stated that nothing has been concealed therein and the statement made is true and correct. The original affidavit be sent to the appellant and photocopy of the same be sent to the Commission for record.

6. With the aforesaid directions, **appeal case is disposed off and closed**. Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

**Chandigarh  
04.05.2022**

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Shri Pawan Kumar Sharma  
(Advocate)  
#585, Phase-2,  
Mohali-160055.

.....Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**  
O/o Superintending Engineer,  
Punjab State Power Corpn. Ltd.(PSPCL)  
Mohali.

**First Appellate Authority**  
O/o Superintending Engineer,  
Punjab State Power Corpn. Ltd.(PSPCL)  
Mohali.

....Respondents

**AC No.1906 of 2021**

**Present:** (i) **Appellant- absent**  
(ii) **Shri Dheeraj Pal, Assistant Executive Engineer, Sub Division Commercial-2, PSPCL, Mohali, in person.**

**ORDER**

**(Heard in person/on mobile phone)**

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 14.02.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.
2. The case has been heard today. Shri Pawan Kumar Sharma, appellant has not come present to attend the hearing in person or through cisco webex.
3. Shri Dheeraj Pal, Assistant Executive Engineer, Sub Division Commercial-2, PSPCL, Mohali, comes present to attend the hearing in person before the bench. He states that on the previous hearing, directions were issued to supply rectified information to the appellant after receipt of deficiencies pointed out by the appellant and thereafter, to file an affidavit. He further states that since no deficiencies have been received from the appellant, as such, affidavit has not been filed, as per directions of the Hon'ble Commission.

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**AC No.1906/2021**

4. The Bench observes that the appellant is absent for today's hearing and he was absent on the previous hearing also and he has also failed to point out deficiencies in the information supplied by the PIO. The Bench now directs the PIO to file an affidavit on non-judicial stamp paper duly, within 21 (Twenty one) days, duly signed by the PIO and attested by the Notary Public to the effect that the information as available in the official records in AC No.1906/2021 has been supplied to the appellant. It be further stated that nothing has been concealed therein and the statement made is true and correct. The original affidavit be sent to the appellant and photocopy of the same be sent to the Commission for record.

5. With the aforesaid directions, **the appeal case is disposed off and closed.** Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

**Chandigarh  
04.05.2022**

**Sd/-  
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**REGISTERED**

Shri Mangat Ram Sharma,  
H.No.35, Sector:2/A,  
Adarsh Nagar,Mandi Gobindgarh  
District Fatehgar Sahib.

.....Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**

O/o GMADA,  
Mohali.

**First Appellate Authority**

O/o GMADA,  
Mohali.

....Respondents

**AC No. 556 of 2022**

**Present:**

- (i) Appellant- absent.
- (ii) Shri Amandeep Singh Sidhu, Senior Assistant O/o GMADA, Mohali,  
on behalf of the PIO/respondent.

**ORDER**

**(Heard through cisco webex/on mobile phone)**

1. The RTI application is dated 10.05.2021 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 18.06.2021 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 24.01.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. The notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 04.05.2022. The case has been heard today. Shri Mangat Ram Sharma, appellant has not come present to attend the hearing in person before the Bench or through cisco webex.

3. Shri Amandeep Singh Sidhu, Senior Assistant O/o GMADA, Mohali comes present to attend the hearing on behalf of the PIO through cisco webex. He states that the information has been sent to the appellant by registered post on 02.05.2022 as also sent on WhatsApp number of the appellant and that he has also talked to the appellant in this regard and explained all issues related to the information supplied.

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4. Since the appellant is absent for today's hearing, he is contacted on mobile phone. On the asking of the Bench, he denies the receipt of information by registered post but admits to have received the same on his WhatsApp number. He expresses his satisfaction over the information provided via WhatsApp and gives his consent to close the case.

5. In view of the above, no further cause of action is left in the matter. **The instant appeal case is disposed off and closed.** Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

Chandigarh  
04.05.2022

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**REGISTERED**

Shri Surinder Singh Saini,  
H.No.622, Behind SD College  
(Peer Baba Gali),  
Gentle Colony (Dhaki), Pathankot.

.....Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**  
O/o A.E, OP Sub Division, Sarna,  
PSPCL, Malikpur, Pathankot.

**First Appellate Authority**  
O/o A.E, OP Sub Division Sarna,  
PSPCL, Malikpur, Pathankot.

....Respondents

**AC No. 545 of 2022**

**Present:** (i) **Shri Surinder Singh Saini, Appellant, in person.**  
(ii) **Shri Pankaj Lehri, Junior Engineer Sub Division, PSPCL, Sarna,  
District Pathankot, on behalf of the PIO/respondent, in person.**

**ORDER**

1. The RTI application is dated 30.06.2021 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 25.08.2021 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 24.01.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. The notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 04.05.2022. The case has been heard today. Shri Surinder Singh Saini, appellant comes present to attend the hearing in person before the Bench. He states that he had made a complaint to SDO Sub Division, Sarna, PSPCL, Pathankot regarding an electricity cable to the house of one Shri Ashok Kumar, via his house whereas it should have connected directly to the house of Shri Ashok Kumar. He further states that he has only received a letter in January, 2022 and the information relating to complaint made by him in this regard is yet to be supplied to him.

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3. Shri Pankaj Lehri, Junior Engineer O/o SDO Sub Division, PSPCL, Sarna, District Pathankot comes present to attend the hearing on behalf of the PIO in person before the Bench. He states that the reply has been sent to the appellant by post on 28.07.2021. He further states that on the complaint of appellant, the spot was inspected by the concerned J.E. along with his supporting staff. It was found and reported that there is nothing wrong in routing of the electricity cables in the area.

4. On the asking of the Bench, the representative of the PIO says that he has brought along case related documents and shows to the appellant the comprehensive reply of the PIO by sitting in the adjacent court room and hands over a copy of the same to the appellant. On perusing the reply of the PIO, the appellant though agrees with same, but he insists that the electricity cable should be shifted from his house and connected to the house of said Shri Ashok Kumar directly instead of connecting it from across the street.

5. The Bench observes that grievance of the appellant regarding shifting of electricity cable is an executive action. The Bench also peruses the letter dated 27.04.2022 of A.E.E. PSPCL Sub Division, Sarna wherein it has been stated that the complaint is only the outcome of a uncongenial relation of appellant with the said Shri Ashok Kumar and that no other consumer in the vicinity of the house of appellant is aggrieved by the routing of electricity cables.

6. Post deliberations, the Bench directs the PIO to now file an affidavit on non-judicial stamp paper within 21 (Twenty one) days duly signed by the PIO and attested by the Notary Public to the effect that the information as available in the official records in AC No.545/2022 has been supplied to the appellant. It be further stated that nothing has been concealed therein and the statement made is true and correct. Original affidavit be sent to the appellant and copy of the same be sent to the Commission for record.

7. With the aforesaid directions, **the appeal case is disposed off and closed.** Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

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**REGISTERED**

Shri Pyara Lal, S/o Shri Jagir Singh,  
R/o Village Miapur, P.O Joli,  
Tehsil Derabassi, Distt:Mohali.



.....Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**

O/o Executive Engineer,  
APDR Cell, PSPCL, Phases-8,  
Mohali.

**First Appellate Authority**

O/o Superintending Engineer,  
PSPCL, Mohali.

....Respondents

**AC No. 543 of 2022**

**Present:**

- (i) **Shri Pyara Lal, Appellant in person.**
- (ii) **Shri N.S. Rangi, Addl S.E., APDRP Cell, PSPCL Phase-8, Mohali along with Shri Harbhajan Singh, SDO, APDRP Cell, Mohali, in person.**

**ORDER**

1. The RTI application is dated 04.10.2021 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 08.11.2021 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 21.01.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).
2. The notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 04.05.2022. The case has been heard today. Shri Pyara Lal, appellant comes present in person before the Bench to attend the hearing.
3. Shri N.S. Rangi, Addl S.E., APDRP Cell, PSPCL Phase-8, Mohali and Shri Harbhajan Singh, SDO, APDRP Cell, Mohali, come present in person before the Bench to attend the hearing. Shri N.S. Rangi, Addl. S.E. states that the information has been supplied to the appellant by registered post on 28.10.2021. He also produces before the Bench a letter dated 28.10.2021 and also the letter dated 21.10.2021 addressed to the appellant and Shri Pawan Kumar, Sanjeev Kumar, Subhash Chand, other residents of the village. He further states that there is a dispute regarding the said passage between two

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parties and he has written to them to get the demarcation of the passage done from Revenue Department and PSPCL will install the electricity poles as deemed appropriate as per demarcation. But no such demarcation has been provided to the PSPCL by the appellant so far.

4. On the asking of the Bench, the appellant states that he has sought information with regard to the electricity poles installed in the passage to his fields. He states that these poles were earlier installed rightly but subsequently, these were shifted from earlier site and now hamper the passage to his fields. He requires the details of approval on the basis of which, these poles have been shifted and re-installed by the PSPCL.

5. On enquiring from the PIO, he informs that no approval is required for shifting of poles and reply to this effect has been given to the appellant. He also apprises the Bench that the appellant has also been afforded opportunity to inspect the relevant plans and drawings in the office which are voluminous, but the appellant has failed to do so.

6. Post deliberations, the Bench observes that the appellant's RTI application more involves executive action by the PSPCL, rather than the information, which he has already been given. The Bench now directs the PIO to file an affidavit on non-judicial stamp paper within 21 (Twenty one) days duly signed by the PIO and attested by the Notary Public to the effect that the information as available in the official records in AC No.543/2022 has been supplied to the appellant. It be also stated that the appellant was afforded opportunity to inspect the relevant plans and drawings in the office which are voluminous, but the appellant has failed to do so. It be further stated that nothing has been concealed therein and the statement made is true and correct. Original affidavit be sent to the appellant and copy of the same be sent to the Commission for record.

7. With the aforesaid directions, **the appeal case is disposed off and closed.** Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

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Lt. Col. Vijay Kumar Padwal (Retd.),  
P-0404, Sector 114,  
Mohali.

..... Appellant

**Versus**

Public Information Officer,  
O/o BDPO,  
Dhar Kalan, Pathankot.

First Appellate Authority,  
O/o ADC (General),  
Pathankot.

.....Respondent

**Appeal Case No. 5167 of 2021**

**Present:-** (i) Lt. Col. Vijay Kumar Padwal (Retd.), appellant in person.  
(ii) Shri Balwinder Kumar, Panchayat Secretary, Gram Panchayat, Jungath, District Pathnakot, on behalf of the PIO, in person.

**ORDER**

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 21.03.2022 by this Bench during the previous hearing.

2. The case has been heard today. Lt. Col. Vijay Kumar Padwal (Retd.), appellant comes present to attend the hearing in person and states that incomplete information has been provided to him by the PIO which is not to his satisfaction.

3. Shri Balwinder Kumar, Panchayat Secretary/PIO, Gram Panchayat Jungath comes present in person before the Bench. He states that the previous Panchayat Secretary, Shri Jasbir Singh has retired and he has recently joined in his place and further states that the information has been supplied to the appellant vide letter dated 02.05.2022 as also sent by e.mail to the Hon'ble Commission. He states that information on points relating to Gram Panchayat, Jungath has been given whereas certain points relate to other departments i.e. CDPO Dhar Kalan, PSPCL, Dhar Kalan, District Food & Supplies Controller which should be obtained directly from these Departments by the appellant by filing separate RTI applications.

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4. The Bench observes that the information relating to Gram Panchayat, Jungath, as available in the official records stands supplied. As regards the issues raised relating to other departments, the appellant is advised to file separate RTI application to specific Public Authority. It is also clarified that RTI application must be addressed to not more than one PIO as far as possible.

5. Post deliberations, the Bench now directs the PIO to file an affidavit on non judicial stamp paper within 21 (Twenty one) days duly signed by the PIO and attested by the Notary Public to the effect that the information as available in the official records in AC No.5167/2021 has been supplied to the appellant. It be also stated that certain points relate to other departments i.e. CDPO Dhar Kalan, PSPCL, Dhar Kalan, District Food & Supplies Controller which can be obtained by the appellant from the concerned departments by filing separate RTI application to the concerned public authority. It be further stated that nothing has been concealed therein and the statement made is true and correct. Original affidavit be sent to the appellant and copy of the same be sent to the Commission for record.

6. With the aforesaid directions, **the appeal case is disposed off and closed.** Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

**Chandigarh  
04.05.2022**

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State Information Commissioner, Punjab**

**Copy to: Shri Balwinder Kumar, Panchayat Secretary,  
Gram Panchayat Jungath, Tehsil Dhar Kalan,  
District Pathankot.**