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Sh. Suresh Kumar, S/o Sh. Om Parkash,
I & II Floor, Ward No. 20, Piara Lal Thekedar Street,
Mansa – 151505 (0165-2233614)

.....Appellant

..Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o SDM, Budhlada

First Appellate Authority
O/o SDM, Budhlada

.....Respondent

AC No. 3315 of 2020

Present: None for the parties.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 22.06.2021.

2. Today neither the Appellant nor the Respondent is present today. However, an e-mail has been received from the appellant stating that he has not received the complete information till date. Copy of the same is taken on record.

3. Since, my term is expiring on 07.09.2021, the next date of hearing in this case cannot be fixed. Therefore, this case file is sent to Registry for further necessary action and re-allocation to some other bench.

Sd/-

Dated :05.08.2021

**(Preety Chawla)
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CC: DR (alongwith original case file)

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.....Appellant

..Vs

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O/o SDM, Budhlada

First Appellate Authority
O/o SDM, Budhlada

.....Respondent

AC No. 3318 of 2020

Present: None for the parties.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 22.06.2021.

2. Today neither the Appellant nor the Respondent is present today. However, an e-mail has been received from the appellant stating that he has not received the complete information till date. Copy of the same is taken on record.

3. Since, my term is expiring on 07.09.2021, the next date of hearing in this case cannot be fixed. Therefore, this case file is sent to Registry for further necessary action and re-allocation to some other bench.

Sd/-

Dated :05.08.2021

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Sh.Iqbal Singh Rasulpur, (M-88722-00515)
Gen Secy, Universal Human Rights Org.
Village Rasulpur, Mallah,
The Jagraon, Distt Ludhiana

.....Appellant

..Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Secy, Home Affairs and Justice,Pb
Civil Secretariate-I, Chandigarh

First Appellate Authority
O/o Secy, Home Affairs and Justice,Pb
Civil Secretariate-I, Chandigarh

.....Respondent

AC No. 3721 of 2020
(Through CISCO-Webex)

Present : (i) None the appellant
(ii) For the respondent: Sh Deepak Bansal, Sr Asstt.(81465-57907) (in the Commission office)

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 20.05.2021 vide which a show-cause notice was issued to the Respondent-PIO.

2. The appellant is not present today. However an e-mail has been received from the Appellant stating that he shall not be able to attend the hearing today and that no information has been provided to him so far.

3. The respondent states that the information has already been provided to the Appellant. The Respondent has filed an affidavit vide Commission diary no. 17359 dated 05.08.2021 in response to the show-cause notice. I have gone through the affidavit filed by the Respondent and have agreed with it. Resultantly, the proceedings under Section 20 of the RTI act are hereby dropped.

4. After perusing the case file, it is ascertained that the Appellant is not present today. He has sent an e-mail requesting for exemption from today's hearing. Hence, an opportunity is given to the Appellant to appear on the next date of hearing and present his case.

5. To come up **on 24.08.2021 at 11.00 AM** through **CISCO-Webex (Video-conferencing application)**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.
(CISCO-Webex Meeting Code No: 1582069360).

Dated :05.08.2021

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REGISTERED POST

Md. Sharafat Khan, (M- 98554-88504)
F-15, Shree Devaji Residency, Kisanpura,
Dhakoli, Zirakpur

.....Appellant

..Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o EO, Municipal Council,
Preet Colony 403, Gaushala Road,
Zirakpur, Mohali-140603

First Appellate Authority
O/o Regional Deputy Director,
Room No-409, Mini Sectt, Patiala

.....Respondent

AC No. 3768 of 2020
Through CISCO Webex

Present: (i) Mohd. Sharafat Khan the appellant
(ii) None is present on behalf of the respondent

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 20.05.2021 vide which a show-cause notice was issued to the Respondent-PIO.

2. The Appellant states that still no information has been provided to him.
3. No one has appeared on behalf of the Respondent today. They were not present on the previous hearings also. They have not even bothered to inform the Commission about their absence.

In view of the defying attitude of the respondent-PIO neither attending the court nor submitting any explanation for the delay in supplying the information within the time schedule as prescribed under the RTI Act 2005, the court comes to a logical conclusion that it is a fit case for the imposition of penalty amounting to Rs. 25000/- (Rupees Twenty five thousand only) on the PIO. Therefore, taking a lenient view, I impose a penalty of **Rs. 10000/- (Rs. Ten thousands only)**. The Drawing and Disbursing Officer of the office of EO, Municipal Council, Zirakpur is directed to deduct the amount of penalty of Rs. 5000/- from the salary of **Respondent-PIO** and

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deposited in the State Treasury in the following Head of Account and to report its compliance to the Commission:-

"0070-Other Administrative Services

60 other Services

800-Other Receipts

86-Fee under the RTI Act, 2005"

4. Further, the present PIO O/o Respondent is directed to be present personally on the next date of hearing along with the complete information, failing which, action u/s 20(1) of the RTI Act, 2005 will be initiated.

5. Since, my term is expiring on 07.09.2021, the next date of hearing in this case cannot be fixed. Therefore, this case file is sent to Registry for further necessary action and re-allocation to some other bench.

Sd/-

Dated :05.08.2021

(Preety Chawla)
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CC: 1) Deputy Director, Local Bodies, Patiala (for compliance and further necessary action)
2)DR (alongwith original case file)

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R/o 8/237, Jagraon Road,
Mandi Mullanpur, Distt. Ludhiana – 141101
(9814924851)

.....Appellant

..Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o SSP, Jagraon (Rural)
Ludhiana

First Appellate Authority,
o/o DIG, Ludhiana Range, Ludhiana

.....Respondent

AC No. 572 of 2020
(Through CISCO-Webex)

Present: (i) Sh. Rakesh Kumar Gupta the appellant
(ii) For the respondent :SI Jugraj Singh, O/o P.S Sadar, Ldh (98144-73456) and
ASI Sikander Singh, O/o CIA Jagraon(98760-22659)

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 20.05.2021.

2. The Appellant states that the complete information has not been provided to him till date.

3. SI Jugraj Singh, O/o PS Sadar, Ludhiana states that the information, as available in the official record of the Respondent has been provided to the Appellant. Further, ASI Sikander Singh O/o CIA Jagraon states that they have also sent the available information to the Appellant.

4. After hearing both the parties and perusing the case file, it is ascertained that an e-mail has been received from the O/o Respondent stating that the information is related to PIO O/o PS Sadar, Jagraon, PIO O/o PS Dakha and PIO O/o Incharge, CIA, Jagraon. SI Jugraj Singh, O/o PS Sadar, Ldh and ASI Sikander Singh O/o CIA Jagraon are appearing today and state that they have provided the information to the Appellant. However, the Appellant states that he is not satisfied with the same.

Hence, the Appellant is directed to inspect the record in the O/o PS Sadar, Ldh and O/o CIA, Ludhiana. Today, the parties mutually agreed that the applicant

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AC No. 572 of 2020

shall visit the office of respondent on 09.08.2021 at 11:00AM, inspect the relevant records, identify the documents copies whereof are required by him; and the respondent shall provided copies thereof, according to his RTI application in accordance with the relevant provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

2. Since, my term is expiring on 07.09.2021, the next date of hearing in this case cannot be fixed. Therefore, this case file is sent to Registry for further necessary action and re-allocation to some other bench.

Dated: 05.08.2021

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(9814924851)

.....Appellant

..Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Regional Deputy Director
Urban Local Govt., Mini Sectt. Ludhiana

First Appellate Authority,
o/o Director, Ludhiana Range,
Local Govt., Punjab

.....Respondent

AC No. 556 of 2020
(Through Video Conference)

Present: (i) Sh. Rakesh Kumar Gupta the appellant
(ii) For the respondent: Sh Manohar Singh, EO (99888-02911)

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 20.05.2021.

2. The Respondent states that the information has been provided to the Appellant.
3. The Appellant states that the information provided to him is not complete and he is not satisfied with the same. He further states that he has pointed out deficiencies in the information provided. The Appellant has also filed his submissions via e-mail, which is taken on record.
4. After hearing both the parties and perusing the documents placed on record, it is ascertained that the information has been provided to the Appellant but he is not satisfied with the same. The Appellant has also pointed out deficiencies in the information provided. Hence, the Respondent-PIO is directed to provide complete information to the Appellant after the removal of the deficiencies, as pointed out by the Appellant.
5. Since, my term is expiring on 07.09.2021, the next date of hearing in this case cannot be fixed. Therefore, this case file is sent to Registry for further necessary action and re-allocation to some other bench.

Dated: 05.08.2021

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R/o 8/237, Jagraon Road,
Mandi Mullanpur, Distt. Ludhiana – 141101
(9814924851)

.....Appellant

..Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o CEO, o/o Punjab Waqf Board,
Ludhiana

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Chairman, o/o Punjab Waqf Board,
Ludhiana

.....Respondent

AC No. 555 of 2020
(Through Video conference)

Present: (i) Sh. Rakesh Kumar Gupta the appellant
(ii) None for the respondent

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 20.05.2021.

2. The Appellant states that he has not been provided the complete information after the removal of deficiencies.

3. No one has appeared on behalf of the Respondent today. However, as directed in the previous hearing, the Respondent has filed an affidavit vide Commission diary no. 11802 dated 01.06.2021.

4. I have gone through the affidavit filed by the Respondent and do not agree with it. Hence, the Respondent-PIO is again directed to file a correct point-wise affidavit before the next date of hearing.

5. Since, my term is expiring on 07.09.2021, the next date of hearing in this case cannot be fixed. Therefore, this case file is sent to Registry for further necessary action and re-allocation to some other bench.

Dated: 05.08.2021

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(9814924851)

.....Appellant

..Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o SDM Jagraon, Distt. Ludhiana

First Appellate Authority,
o/o ADC, Jagraon, Distt. Ludhiana

.....Respondent

AC No. 584 of 2020
(Through Video conference)

Present: (i) Sh. Rakesh Kumar Gupta the appellant
(ii) For the respondent : Smt Kawaljit Kaur, PIO (81462-61503)

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 20.05.2021.

2. The Appellant states that the complete information has not been provided to him so far.
3. The Respondent has filed their reply vide Commission diary no. 12182 dated 07.06.2021 as under:-

1) ਇਹ ਹੈ ਕਿ ਪ੍ਰਾਰਥੀ ਸ੍ਰੀ ਰਾਕੇਸ਼ ਕੁਮਾਰ ਗੁਪਤਾ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਆਰ ਟੀ ਆਈ ਐਕਟ ਤਹਿਤ ਮੰਗੀ ਗਈ ਸੂਚਨਾ ਦੇ ਸਬੰਧ ਵਿਚ ਸਬੰਧਤ ਕਲਰਕ ਸ੍ਰੀ ਦਲਜੀਤ ਸਿੰਘ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਉਪਰੋਕਤ ਕੇਸ ਸਬੰਧੀ ਦਿੱਤੀ ਗਈ ਜਾਣਕਾਰੀ ਅਨੁਸਾਰ ਜੋ ਸੂਚਨਾ ਆਪ ਜੀ ਨੂੰ ਪੱਤਰ ਨੰਬਰ 1246 ਮਿਤੀ 03-05-2021 ਰਾਹੀਂ ਭੇਜੀ ਗਈ ਹੈ ਇਹ ਕੇਸ ਕਾਰਵਾਈ ਅਧੀਨ ਹੈ। ਉਕਤ ਪੱਤਰ ਰਾਹੀਂ ਮਾਨਯੋਗ ਰਾਜ ਸੂਚਨਾ ਕਮਿਸ਼ਨ ਪੰਜਾਬ ਚੰਡੀਗੜ੍ਹ ਨੂੰ ਦਿੱਤੀ ਗਈ ਸੂਚਨਾ ਸਹੀ ਵਾ ਦਰੁਸਤ ਹੈ।

2 ਆਪ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਮੰਗੀ ਗਈ ਸ਼ਿਕਾਇਤ ਸਬੰਧੀ ਕੀਤੀ ਕਾਰਵਾਈ ਬਾਰੇ ਦੱਸਣਾ ਚਾਹੁੰਦੇ ਹਾਂ ਕਿ ਇਸ ਸਬੰਧੀ ਸ਼ਿਕਾਇਤ ਕਰਤਾ ਗੋਪੀ ਸ਼ਰਮਾ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਆਪਣੇ ਬਿਆਨਾਂ ਵਿਚ ਕਿਹਾ ਗਿਆ ਹੈ ਕਿ ਇਸ ਸ਼ਿਕਾਇਤ ਸਬੰਧੀ ਇਕ ਪਟੀਸ਼ਨ ਮਾਨਯੋਗ ਅਦਾਲਤ ਪੰਜਾਬ ਐਡ ਹਰਿਆਣਾ ਹਾਈਕੋਰਟ ਵਿਚ ਲੰਬਿਤ ਹੈ ਇਸ ਲਈ ਮੈਂ ਦਫਤਰ ਸਬ ਡਵੀਜ਼ਨ ਮੈਜਿਸਟਰੇਟ ਜਗਰਾਉ ਵਿਚ ਦਿੱਤੀ ਸ਼ਿਕਾਇਤ ਉਪਰ ਕੋਈ ਕਾਰਵਾਈ ਨਹੀਂ ਕਰਵਾਉਣਾ ਚਾਹੁੰਦਾ ਜੋ ਵੀ ਫੈਸਲਾ ਮਾਨਯੋਗ ਅਦਾਲਤ ਪੰਜਾਬ ਐਡ ਹਰਿਆਣਾ ਹਾਈਕੋਰਟ ਜੀ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਆਵੇਗਾ ਉਹ ਮੈਨੂੰ ਮੰਨਜ਼ੂਰ ਹੋਵੇਗਾ। ਇਸ ਸ਼ਿਕਾਇਤ ਨੂੰ ਸ਼ਿਕਾਇਤ ਕਰਤਾ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਮਿਤੀ 28-05-2021 ਨੂੰ ਵਾਪਸ ਲੈ ਜਾਣ ਕਾਰਨ ਕੋਈ ਕਾਰਵਾਈ ਨਹੀਂ ਕੀਤੀ ਜਾ ਸਕਦੀ।

3 ਸ਼ਿਕਾਇਤ ਵਾਪਸ ਹੋਣ ਕਾਰਨ ਇੰਨਕੁਆਰੀ ਨਹੀਂ ਕੀਤੀ ਜਾ ਸਕਦੀ।

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AC No. 584 of 2020

4. After going through the case file, it is ascertained that the respondent was directed to file his reply on oath paper, but he has failed to file the same. Hence, he is again directed to file his reply on oath paper, failing which action under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act will be initiated.

5. Since, my term is expiring on 07.09.2021, the next date of hearing in this case cannot be fixed. Therefore, this case file is sent to Registry for further necessary action and re-allocation to some other bench.

Dated :05.08.2021

**SD/-
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(9814924851)

.....Appellant

..Vs

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O/o SSP, Jagraon (Rural)
Ludhiana
First Appellate Authority,
o/o DIG, Ludhiana Range, Ludhiana

.....Respondent

AC No. 583 of 2020
(Through Video conference)

Present: (i) Sh. Rakesh Kumar Gupta the appellant
(ii) For the respondent : Sh. Gurbans Singh Bains, DSP (9815500135)

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 20.05.2021.

2. The Appellant Sh. Rakesh Kumar Gupta states that no information has been provided to him till date.
3. Sh Gurbans Singh Bains, DSP is appearing today. He states that his personal information has been demanded by the Appellant through his RTI. He further states that he has given his consent not to provide his personal information to the Appellant.
4. After hearing both the parties and perusing the case file, it is ascertained that the Appellant has demanded personal information. Since the third-party has consented not to give his personal information to the Appellant. Therefore, it cannot be provided. Further, the Respondent-PIO is directed to provide the information available in their official record, except any third-party information.
5. Since, my term is expiring on 07.09.2021, the next date of hearing in this case cannot be fixed. Therefore, this case file is sent to Registry for further necessary action and re-allocation to some other bench.

SD/-

Dated: 05.08.2021

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(9814924851)

.....Appellant

..Vs

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O/o SSP, Jagraon (Rural)
Ludhiana

First Appellate Authority,
o/o DIG, Ludhiana Range, Ludhiana

.....Respondent

AC No. 571 of 2020
(Through CISCO-Webex)

Present: (i) Sh. Rakesh Kumar Gupta the appellant
(ii) For the respondent : Harprit Singh, ASI andh ASI Raj Singh (9914403268)

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 20.05.2021.

2. The Respondent states that the information has been provided to the Appellant.
3. The Appellant states that a part of the information as lying with PIO O/o PS Dakha has been provided to him. Rest of the information has not been provided to him. He has also filed his submissions via e-mail, which is taken on record.
4. After hearing both the parties and perusing the case file, it is ascertained that partial information has been provided to the Appellant. Hence, the Respondent-PIO is directed to provide complete information to the Appellant before the next date of hearing.
5. Since, my term is expiring on 07.09.2021, the next date of hearing in this case cannot be fixed. Therefore, this case file is sent to Registry for further necessary action and re-allocation to some other bench.

Dated: 05.08.2021

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