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Shri Kamal Kumar,  
S/o Shri Tara Chand Verma,  
R/o Radha Krishan Kuteer,  
Opp. Rattna Rice Mills,  
Near Shah Palace, Fazilka.

.....Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**  
O/o Municipal Council,  
Fazilka.

**First Appellate Authority**  
O/o Municipal Council,  
Fazilka.

...Respondents

**AC No.4408/2021**

**Present:** (i) Appellant- absent.  
(ii) Shri Gaurav, Clerk O/o Municipal Council, Fazilka,  
on behalf of the PIO/respondent, in person.

**ORDER**

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

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 05.07.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.
2. The case was scheduled to be heard today. Shri Kamal Kumar, appellant has not come present to attend the hearing in person or through cisco webex.
3. Shri Gaurav, Clerk O/o Municipal Council, Fazilka comes present to attend the hearing in person before the Bench. He states that the information has been supplied to the appellant vide letter dated 16.06.2021 by registered post. He also refers to letter dated 14.01.2022 whereby submissions have been made to Hon'ble Commission with regard to the supply of information to the appellant.
4. The appellant is contacted on mobile phone. He confirms the receipt of information and also gives his consent to close the case.
5. In view of the submissions made by the representative of PIO, the show cause notice issued to the PIO is dropped.
6. 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  
05.09.2022**

**Sd/-  
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Shri Pal Singh  
S/o Shri Santokh Singh,  
R/o Radha Krishan Kuteer,  
Opp. Rattna Rice Mills,  
Near Shah Palace, Fazilka.

.....Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**  
O/o Municipal Council,  
Fazilka.

**First Appellate Authority**  
O/o Municipal Council,  
Fazilka.

...Respondents

**AC No.4409/2021**

**Present:** (i) **Appellant- absent.**  
(ii) **Shri Gaurav, Clerk O/o Municipal Council, Fazilka,  
on behalf of the PIO/respondent, in person.**

**ORDER**

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

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 05.07.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.
2. The case was scheduled to be heard today. Shri Pal Singh, appellant has not come present to attend the hearing in person or through cisco webex.
3. Shri Gaurav, Clerk O/o Municipal Council, Fazilka comes present to attend the hearing in person before the Bench. He states that the information has been supplied to the appellant vide letter dated 16.06.2021 by registered post. He also refers to letter dated 14.01.2022 whereby submissions have been made to Hon'ble Commission with regard to the supply of information to the appellant.
4. The appellant is contacted on mobile phone on his given phone number. However, the phone is picked up by Shri Kamal Kumar. He confirms the receipt of information on behalf of the appellant and also gives his consent to close the case.
5. In view of the submissions made by the representative of PIO before the Bench, the show cause notice issued to the PIO is dropped.
6. 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.

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Shri Surinder Kumar Singal,  
# 541, Sector-33B,  
Chandigarh.

.....Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**

O/o Greater Mohali Area Development  
Authority (GMADA), Mohali.

**First Appellate Authority**

O/o Chief Administrator,  
Greater Mohali Area Development  
Authority (GMADA), Mohali.

...Respondents

**AC No.4396/2021**

**Present:** (i) **Shri Vipul Babuta, Advocate on behalf of the Appellant, in person.**  
(ii) **Shri Gurwinder Singh, Assistant Estate Officer, GMADA, Mohali,  
PIO/Respondent- cisco webex.**

**ORDER**

**(Heard in person/through Cisco Webex)**

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 05.07.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.
2. The case has been heard today. Shri Vipul Babuta, Advocate comes present to attend the hearing on behalf of the appellant in person before the Bench.
3. Shri Gurwinder Singh, Assistant Estate Officer/ PIO, GMADA, Mohali comes present to attend the hearing through cisco webex. He states that the appellant visited his office for inspection of records and information as identified by the appellant has been provided to him vide letter dated 12.07.2022 by hand.
4. The representative of appellant Shri Vipul Babuta confirms that the appellant had visited the office of PIO on 12.07.2022. The information as identified by the appellant after inspection of records has been supplied by hand on 12.07.2022.
5. The Bench observes that the PIO has not filed reply to the show cause notice, thus, the PIO is directed to file reply to the show cause notice on priority.
6. 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.

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Shri Tejinder Singh, Advocate  
Civil Court, Tehsil Complex,  
Backside Sanjh Kender,  
Phillaur, District Jalandhar.

....Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**  
O/o GLADA,  
Ludhiana.

**First Appellate Authority-cum-**  
Addl. Chief Administrator,  
GLADA, Ludhiana.

....Respondents

**AC No.4316 of 2021**

**Present: (i) Shri Tejinder Singh, Appellant-cisco webex.  
(ii) Shri Divleen Singh, SDO/PIO and Shri Sumit Singla, Senior Assistant,  
O/o GLADA, Ludhiana, Respondent, in person.**

**ORDER**

**(Heard in person/through cisco webex)**

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 05.07.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.
2. The case has been heard today. Shri Tejinder Singh, appellant comes present to attend the hearing through cisco webex.
3. Shri Divleen Singh, SDO/PIO and Shri Sumit Singla, Sr. Assistant, O/o GLADA, Ludhiana, come present in person before the Bench to attend the hearing. The PIO Shri Divleen Singh states that the information has been supplied to the appellant vide letter dated 02.09.2022 by registered post, explaining the position regarding visit of team of the officials of GLADA, Ludhiana which checked the factual position at site regarding the persons presently occupying the flat as also to ascertain in whose name presently the allotment of the said flat stands.
4. On the asking of the Bench, the appellant denies to have received information. Then he is apprised of the version of the PIO and the PIO also reads out the contents of letter dated 02.09.2022 sent to the appellant. On directions of Bench, the PIO sends the letter dated 02.09.2022 on WhatsApp number of the appellant. Then the Bench clarifies to the appellant that requisite information has been supplied to him as stated by the PIO and is further apprised of the version of PIO that the amount outstanding against the said flat cannot be disclosed to any person other than the allottee of the flat.



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**AC No.4316/2021**

5. The Bench, post deliberations, directs the PIO to file an affidavit on non judicial stamp paper within 21 days, duly signed by the PIO and attested by the Notary Public to the effect that the information has been supplied to the appellants vide letter dated 02.09.2022 explaining the issues raised in RTI application of appellants in Appeal Case No.4316 of 2021. 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 appellants and copy of the same be sent to the Commission for record. The PIO assures the Bench to do the needful.

6. In view of the assurance of given by the PIO, **the instant appeal case is disposed off and closed.** Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

**Chandigarh  
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Shri Ishwar Singh S/o Sh.Amrit Singh  
Village Rasouli, Tehsil Patran,  
District Patiala.-147105.

.....Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**  
O/o District Development and  
Panchayat Officer (DDPO),  
Patiala.

**First Appellate Authority**  
O/o District Development and  
Panchayat Officer (DDPO),  
Patiala.

...Respondents

**AC No.4382/2021**

**Present:** (i) Appellant- absent.  
(ii) None on behalf of the PIO/respondent.

**ORDER**

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 05.07.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.
2. The case was scheduled to be heard today. Shri Ishwar Singh, appellant has not come present to attend the hearing in person or through cisco webex nor he has given any intimation in this regard.
3. The PIO O/o DDPO, Patiala has also not come present to attend the hearing in person or through cisco webex. Though a letter dated 25.07.2022 of DDPO Patiala is available in the case file directing the APIO-cum-BDPO, Patran, District Patiala to attend the hearing, but the APIO-cum-BDPO Patran has not come present before the Bench nor any intimation has been received.
4. The Bench observes that the appellant Shri Ishwar Singh had come present on first hearing on 18.01.2022. On subsequent hearings on 30.03.2022 & 05.07.2022, he was absent and today also, he has neither come present in person nor has given any intimation. The Bench observes that the appellant is not showing interest in pursuing the instant appeal case. He has absented himself thrice without any intimation to the Bench.
5. In view of aforesaid situation, the Bench does not feel necessity of continuing with further proceedings of the case as it will amount to wastage of time of the Commission. Thus, the present appeal case is disposed off and closed. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

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05.09.2022**

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Shri Ravinder Pal Singh Chadha,  
# 30, Banda Bahadur Nagar,  
Jalandhar.

...Appellant

**Versus**

**Public Information Officer,**  
O/o Municipal Corporation  
(Building Department),  
Jalandhar.

**First Appellate Authority**  
Commissioner, Municipal Corporation,  
Jalandhar..

...Respondents

**Appeal Case No.5483 of 2021**

**PRESENT :** (i) **Shri Ravinder Pal Singh Chadha, Appellant- cisco webex.**  
(ii) **Shri Rajiv Rishi, Superintendent, Building Branch/ATP, PIO and  
Shri Dinesh Joshi, Building Inspector, earlier APIO, M.C. Jalandhar,  
In person (now in Municipal Corporation, Hoshiarpur).**

**ORDER:**

**(Heard in person / through cisco webex)**

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 05.07.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous date of hearing.
2. The case has been heard today. Shri Ravinder Pal Singh Chadha, appellant comes present to attend the hearing through cisco webex.
3. Shri Rajiv Rishi, Superintendent, Building Branch/ATP, PIO and Shri Dinesh Joshi, Building Inspector, previous APIO, Municipal Corporation, Jalandhar, come present in person before the Bench. Shri Dinesh Joshi, Building Inspector states that earlier he was the dealing official in M.C. Jalandhar, and now he has been transferred to Municipal Corporation, Hoshiarpur. He produces before the Bench letter dated 01.09.2022 giving point-wise reply to the appellant as also letter dated 04.07.2022 from the PIO filing reply to show cause notice. He also states that the amount of penalty of Rs.5000/- has also been deposited.
4. The appellant, on the asking of the Bench, admits receipt of information. However, he is not satisfied with the information supplied stating that the building plan has not been provided to him. Upon this, the representative of PIO states that record in this regard is maintained B.A. No. wise and not building name wise and unless B.A. No. is mentioned, it is not possible to provide copy of the building plan.

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**AC No.5483/2021**

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.5483/2021 has been supplied to the appellant, also clarifying the position with regard to the building plan. 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 copy of the same be sent to the Commission for record. The PIO assures to do the needful.

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

**Chandigarh  
05.09.2022**

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Shri Kamaljeet Singh,  
S/o Shri Gurcharan Singh  
Village & PO Kalakh,  
Tehsil & District Ludhiana.

.....Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**

O/o Chief Engineer,  
Operation (Central Zone), PSPCL,  
Power-1 Colony, Ludhiana.

**First Appellate Authority**

O/o Chief Engineer,  
Operation (Central Zone), PSPCL,  
Power-1 Colony, Ludhiana.

... Respondents

**AC No.3583 of 2021**

**Present: (i) Appellant- absent,  
(ii) Shri Balwinder Singh, AAE, Sub Division, PSPCL, Narangwal,  
District Ludhiana, on behalf of the PIO/Respondent, in person.**

**ORDER**

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

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 11.07.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.
2. The case has been heard today. Shri Kamaljeet Singh, appellant has not come present either in person to attend the hearing before the Bench or through cisco webex.
3. Shri Balwinder Singh, AAE Sub Division, PSPCL, Narangwal, comes present to attend the hearing in person before the Bench on behalf of the PIO. He states that the information has already been supplied vide letter dated 04.10.2021, which was received by the appellant personally from the office on 06.10.2021. However, as per directions of Hon'ble Commission, the appellant was called for inspection of records on 29.08.2022, but he did not turn up. He further states that information as available in the official records has been supplied to the appellant.
4. The Bench contacts the appellant on his mobile phone. He denies the receipt of information. Then he is made to talk to Shri Balwinder Singh who explains to the appellant the details of information supplied and regarding receipt of information by him on 06.10.2021 by visiting the office of Sr. XEN, Operation, Sub Urban Division, Lalton Kalan, District Ludhiana.

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**AC No.3583/2021**

5. After deliberations, the Bench directs the PIO to 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.3583/2021 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 copy of the same be sent to the Commission for record. The representative of PIO assures to do the needful.

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

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Shri Inderjit Kaushal  
R/o Kothi No.127, Phase-1,  
S.A.S.Nagar (Mohali).

...Appellant

**Versus**

**Public Information Officer,**  
O/o GMADA,  
PUDA Bhawan,  
Mohali..

**First Appellate Authority-cum-**  
O/o GMADA,  
PUDA Bhawan,  
Mohali..

...Respondents

**Appeal Case No.2388 of 2021**

**PRESENT :** (i) Appellant- absent.  
(ii) Shri Gurwinder Singh, Assistant Estate Officer/PIO, GMADA,  
Mohali- cisco webex.

**ORDER:**

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 11.07.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.
2. The case has been heard today in Commission's office at Chandigarh. Shri Inderjit Kaushal, appellant has not come present to attend the hearing in person before the Bench or through cisco webex.
3. Shri Gurwinder Singh, Assistant Estate Officer/PIO attends the hearing through cisco webex. The PIO states that the appellant was called to office twice for inspection of the records so as to identify the information sought by him.
4. Since the appellant is absent today, he is contacted on his mobile phone. He states that he is out of station today, thus, could not attend the hearing. He, however, states that he wants to withdraw the appeal case as he is not interested in pursuing the matter further.
5. In view of the submissions made by the appellant, **the instant appeal case is disposed off and closed.** Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

Chandigarh  
05.09.2022

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