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Deepak Waraich, Advocate, Chamber No. 820, District Court Complex, District Courts, Ludhiana (Punjab)

.... Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer, O/o The Sub Divisional Magistrate-cum Land Acquisition Collector, Mini Secretariat, Ludhiana (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority, O/o The Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana(Punjab)

.....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 2395 of 2018

Present: Sh. Deepak Waraich, the applicant in person.

None on behalf of the respondent.

<u>ORDER</u>

This case was last heard on 24.09.2018.

Neither the respondent PIO nor his representative is present in today's hearing.

After examining the documents placed on record, it is found that the respondent PIO has given a point-wise reply to the applicant, Sh. Deepak Waraich vide letter no. 362-363 dated 20.09.2018.

The applicant, Sh. Deepak Waraich, who appeared in person in today's hearing, states that incomplete information has been supplied to him by the respondent PIO so far as he has received the required information in connection with point no. 1 and 2 of his RTI request and information in connection with point no. 3 is still pending.

Another opportunity is given to the respondent PIO to send the remaining information to the applicant through registered post or in person at his residential address and produce a copy of the postal or acknowledgement receipt in the Commission by or on the next date of hearing.

The case is <u>adjourned to 28th November, 2018 (Wednesday) at 11:00 A. M.</u>
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.... Appellant

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Public Information Officer, O/o The Sub Registrar, Ludhiana (West) (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority, O/ o The Sub Divisional Magistratecum-Registrar (West) Ludhiana (Punjab)

.....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 2396 of 2018

Present: Sh. Deepak Waraich, the applicant in person.

None on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 24.09.2018.

The applicant, Sh. Deepak Waraich, appeared in person in today's hearing.

The respondent PIO through a reply vide letter no. 915 dated 05.11.2018 signed by PIO-cum-Sub-Registrar, Ludhiana (West), which has been received in the Commission vide Diary No. 22523 dated 06.11.2018, has requested for an adjournment in this case. It is taken on record.

Another opportunity is given to the respondent PIO concerned to represent this case in person or through his representative on the next date of hearing.

> The case is adjourned to 28th November, 2018 (Wednesday) at 11:00 A. M. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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.... Appellant

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First Appellate Authority, O/o The Director, Public Instructions (Colleges),Punjab, P.S.E.B Complex, Sector 62, S. A. S. Nagar (Mohali)

.....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 3710 of 2017

Present: Sh. Puneet Kumar Bansal, Advocate, on behalf of the applicant.

Sh. Jai Singh Rana, Senior Assistant, on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 23.10.2018.

Sh. Puneet Kumar Bansal, Advocate, appeared on behalf of the applicant, Sh. Sachin Singal, in today's hearing.

Sh. Jai Singh Rana, Senior Assistant, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, orally seeks an adjournment in this case.

After examining the documents placed on record, it also emerges that the respondent PIO concerned has not complied with the orders dated 14.08.2018 passed by the Commission, through which compensation of Rs. 10,000/- was awarded to the applicant.

Last opportunity is also given to the respondent PIO concerned to comply with the orders dated 14.08.2018 passed by the Commission by paying compensation of Rs. 10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand only) to the applicant before or on the next date of hearing. Any laxity shown on his/her part would attract action against him/her under the provisions of the RTI Act.

Last opportunity is given to the respondent-PIO to supply the certified copies of the required information to the applicant as per his queries raised by him in his RTI request by or on the next date of hearing.

The case is <u>adjourned to 20th November, 2018 (Tuesday) at 11:00 A. M.</u>
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.... Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer, O/o The Punjab State Human Rights Commission, S.C.O. 20-21-22, Sector 34-A, Chandigarh - 160034

First Appellate Authority, O/o The Punjab State Human Rights Commission, S.C.O. 20-21-22, Sector 34-A, Chandigarh - 160034

.....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 2789 of 2018

Present: None on behalf of the applicant.

- i) Sh. O. P. Sadana, Joint Registrar-cum-PIO;
- ii) Ms. Shivani, Senior Assistant, on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 09.10.2018.

Sh. O. P. Sadana, Joint Registrar-cum-PIO and Ms. Shivani, Senior Assistant, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, state that in response to the RTI request, a point-wise reply has already been sent to the applicant, Sh. Sarabjit Singh Kahlon vide letter no. 28114 dated 04.07.2018 and again vide letter no. 34334 dated 08.08.2018 as per official record through registered post. They also produce a copy of one page of RTI request. On that page, the applicant has put his signatures on 09.10.2018 as an acknowledgement of having received the requisite information in the above said appeal-case. It is taken on record.

The applicant, Sh. Sarabjit Singh Kahlon, is not present in today's hearing. He has also not approached the Commission with any contrary claim.

In view of the above, it is assumed that the applicant is satisfied with the Information/reply already supplied to him by the respondent PIO and hence the case is <u>disposed of</u> and closed.

Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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Partap Singh S/o Sh. Anant Ram, 5091, Urban Estate, Phase – II, Patiala (Punjab)

.... Appellant

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Public Information Officer, O/o The District & Sessions Judge, District Courts, Patiala (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority, O/o The Civil Judge(Senior Division), District Courts, Patiala (Punjab)

.....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 2809 of 2018

Present: Sh. Partap Singh, the applicant in person alongwith Sh. Sunil Sharma, Advocate.

Sh. Prabhjot Singh, Naazar in the Court of Civil Judge(Senior Division), Patiala, on

behalf of the respondent.

<u>ORDER</u>

This case was last heard on 09.10.2018.

The applicant, Sh. Partap Singh, appeared in person alongwith Sh. Sunil Sharma, Advocate, in today's hearing.

Sh. Prabhjot Singh, Naib Nazar of Court of Civil Judge(Senior Division), Patiala, who appeared in today's hearing, orally states that the record maintained in the record room as per the date of decision of case, name of the court and the applicant, Sh. Partap Singh has not mentioned the date of decision and the name of the court in his RTI request, hence, not feasible to trace the record without the date of decision or name of the court.

Another opportunity is given to the respondent PIO to put more efforts to trace out the relevant official record and directed to supply certified copies of the required information to the applicant by or on the next date of hearing.

The case is <u>adjourned to 17th December, 2018 (Monday) at 11:00 A. M.</u>
Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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.... Appellant

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Public Information Officer, O/o The Addl. Chief Secretary to Government of Punjab, Deptt. of Home Affairs & Justice, Pb. Civil Secretariat, Chandigarh

First Appellate Authority, O/o The Addl. Chief Secretary to Government of Punjab, Deptt. of Home Affairs & Justice, Pb. Civil Secretariat, Chandigarh

.....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 2790 of 2018

Present: None on behalf of the applicant.

None on behalf of the respondent.

<u>ORDER</u>

This case was last heard on 09.10.2018.

Neither the applicant, Sh. Raj Mohan Nischol nor the respondent is present in today's

hearing.

Nevertheless, another opportunity is given to the parties to represent this case in person or through their representative, on the next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to 3rd December, 2018 (Monday) at 11:00 A. M.

Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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Hardial Singh

S/o Sh. Sher Singh,

V.P.O.- Dhablan,

Teh. & Distt. - Patiala (Punjab)

.... Appellant

Public Information Officer,

O/o The Tehsildar,

Patiala (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority, O/o The Sub Divisional Magistrate, Patiala (Punjab)

.....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 2773 of 2018

Present: Sh. Hardial Singh, the applicant in person.

None on behalf of the respondent.

<u>ORDER</u>

This case was last heard on 09.10.2018 and the respondent PIO concerned was directed to supply the required information to the applicant by collecting the same from the concerned department.

The applicant, Sh. Hardial Singh, who appeared in person in today's hearing, intimates that complete information has not been supplied to him by the respondent PIO so far.

Neither the respondent PIO nor his representative is present in today's hearing.

Last opportunity is given to the respondent PIO concerned to supply the remaining information to the applicant through registered post or in person at his residential address and produce a copy of the postal or acknowledgement receipt in the Commission by or on the next date of hearing.

The respondent PIO concerned is also directed to appear in person before the Commission to represent this case on the next date of hearing to clear the facts of this case.

The case is <u>adjourned to 5th December, 2018 (Wednesday) at 11:00 A. M.</u>
Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

5th November, 2018

(A. S. Chanduraian)
State Information Commissioner

P. S. :

Sh. Gurdhian Singh, Senior Assistant, Sh. Rajesh, Patwari, and Sh. Satinder Kumar, Kanungo, appeared on behalf of the respondent, after the hearing was over. They were read out the above order.

The case stands adjourned to 5th December, 2018 (Wednesday) at 11:00 A. M.

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Vs

Street No. 5, House No.6749,

New Janta Nagar,

Daab Road, Ludhiana(Punjab)

.... Appellant

Public Information Officer,

O/o The Station House Officer, Police Station – Shimlapuri, District - Ludhiana (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,

O/o The Commissioner of Police,

Ludhiana (Punjab)

.....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 2131 of 2018

Present: Sh. Ujagar Singh, on behalf of the applicant.

None on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 09.10.2018 and the Station House Officer of Police Station – Shimlapuri, District - Ludhiana was directed to appear in person before the Commission to represent this case.

Sh. Ujagar Singh, appeared on behalf of the applicant, Sh. Bhupinder Kumar in today's hearing, states that no information has been supplied to him by the respondent PIO so far..

Neither the respondent PIO nor his representative is present in today's hearing.

After examining the documents placed on record, it emerges that the requisite information has not been supplied by the respondent PIO to the information seeker even after a period of six months.

In view of the above, a show cause notice under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act is issued to Public Information Officer of office of Station House Officer, Police Station – Shimlapuri, District - Ludhiana, as to why penalty be not imposed upon him for willful delay/denial in supplying the information to the RTI applicant and why the compensation be not awarded to the information-seeker under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005. The PIO is also hereby given an opportunity under Section 20(1) provision, thereto, for a personal hearing before the imposition of such penalty on the next date of hearing.

He may note that in case he does not file his submission and does not avail himself of the opportunity of personal hearing on the next date fixed, it will be presumed that he has nothing to say and the Commission shall proceed to take further proceedings against him ex-parte. A copy of the RTI request be sent to him alongwith this order through registered post for ready reference.

The case is adjourned to 27th November, 2018 (Tuesday) at 11:00 A. M.

(A. S. Chanduraian)

5th November, 2018

State Information Commissioner

(Regd. Post) Public Information Officer(By Name),

O/o The Station House Officer,

Police Station - Shimlapuri, District - Ludhiana (Punjab)

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Simranjit Singh S/o Sh. Jagdish Singh, House No. 93/2, Adarsh Nagar, Jalandhar (Punjab)

.... Appellant

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Public Information Officer, O/o The Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Jalandhar (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority, O/o The Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Jalandhar (Punjab)

.....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1933 of 2018

Present: Sh. Simranjit Singh, the applicant in person.

None on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 09.10.2018.

The applicant, Sh. Simranjit Singh, appeared in person in today's hearing.

Neither the respondent nor his representative is present in today's hearing.

After examining the documents placed on record, it emerges that the respondent PIO concerned has not complied with the orders dated 09.10.2018 passed by the Commission, through which compensation of Rs. 5000/- was awarded to the applicant.

Another opportunity is given to the respondent PIO concerned to comply with the orders dated 09.10.2018 passed by the Commission by paying compensation of Rs. 5000/- (Rupees Five Thousand only) to the applicant before or on the next date of hearing.

The respondent PIO concerned is also directed to appear in person before the Commission to represent this case on the next date of hearing.

The case is <u>adjourned to 28th November, 2018 (Wednesday) at 11:00 A. M.</u>
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.... Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer, O/o The Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Jalandhar (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority, O/o The Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Jalandhar (Punjab)

.....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1934 of 2018

Present: Sh. Simranjit Singh, the applicant in person.

Sh. Amit Kalia, Superintendent-cum-PIO(Building Branch), on behalf of the

respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 09.10.2018.

Sh. Amit Kalia, Superintendent-cum-PIO(Building Branch), who appeared in today's hearing, orally states that in response to the RTI request, the requisite information has already been supplied to the applicant, Sh. Simranjit Singh.

The applicant, Sh. Simranjit Singh, who appeared in person in today's hearing, states that incomplete information has been given to him by the respondent PIO.

An opportunity is given to the respondent-PIO concerned to supply the certified copies of the required information to the applicant by or on the next date of hearing.

The case is <u>adjourned to 28th November, 2018 (Wednesday) at 11:00 A. M.</u>
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.... Appellant

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Public Information Officer, O/o The Tehsildar, Moga (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority, O/o The Sub Divisional Magistrate, Moga (Punjab)

.....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1978 of 2018

Present: None on behalf of the applicant.

None on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 09.10.2018.

Neither the respondent PIO nor his representative is present in today's hearing.

After examining the documents placed on record, it is found that in response to the RTI request, replies have already been given to the applicant, Dr. Baldev Krishan Singla vide letter dated 18.07.2018 and again vide letter no. 918 dated 10.08.2018 signed by Tehsildar-cum-PIO, Moga, intimating him that the information sought for by him is regarding action taken report on his applications, which are under process.

The applicant, Dr. Baldev Krishan Singla was not present on the hearings, held on 30.07.2018, 13.08.2018, 12.09.2018 and 09.10.2018. He is also absent from today's hearing without any intimation to the Commission.

In view of the above, it is assumed that the applicant does not wish to pursue his case further and hence the case is <u>disposed of and closed</u> for non-pursuance.

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Jasbir Singh Village Bolapur Jhabewal Post Office - Ramgarh, District -Ludhiana - 123455(Punjab)

.... Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer, O/o The Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority, O/ o The Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana (Punjab)

.....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 2486 of 2018

Present: Sh. Jasbir Singh, the applicant, in person.

None on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 24.09.2018.

Neither the respondent PIO nor his representative is present in today's hearing.

After examining the documents placed in the case-file, it is found that in response to the RTI request, the respondent PIO has sent a point-wise reply, signed by APIO of office of Sub Divisional Magistrate, Ludhiana (West) to the applicant, Sh. Jasbir Singh vide letter dated 20.09.2018.

The applicant, Sh. Jasbir Singh, who appeared in person in today's hearing, expresses his dissatisfaction over the information/reply supplied to him by the respondent PIO.

The respondent PIO concerned of office of Sub Divisional Magistrate, Ludhiana (West), is directed to appear in person before the Commission to represent this case alongwith relevant official record on the next date of hearing so that facts of this case could be cleared. A copy of this order be sent to him through registered post.

The case is <u>adjourned to 5th December, 2018 (Wednesday) at 11:00 A. M.</u>
Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

5th November, 2018

(A. S. Chanduraian)
State Information Commissioner

(Regd. Post) Public Information Officer,

O/o Sub Divisional Magistrate, Ludhiana (West) (Punjab)

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.... Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer, O/o The Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority, O/ o The Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana (Punjab)

.....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 2487 of 2018

Present: Sh. Jasbir Singh, the applicant, in person.

Ms. Rattandeep Kaur, Junior Assistant, on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 24.09.2018.

The applicant, Sh. Jasbir Singh, appeared in person in today's hearing.

After examining the documents placed on record, it is found that the respondent PIO has also sent a reply vide letter no. 2759 dated 18.09.2018 signed by PIO-cum-District Revenue Officer, Ludhiana, which has been received in the Commission vide Diary No. 19718 dated 27.09.2018, showing that in response to the RTI request, replies have already been given to the applicant, Sh. Jasbir Singh time and again. It is taken on record.

Ms. Rattandeep Kaur, Junior Assistant, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, orally states that a reply has already been sent to the applicant, Sh. Jasbir Singh time and again, intimating him that the requisite information could not be supplied him as no cash register is not maintained in the office of Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana.

I have gone over the contents of the response given by the respondent PIO Concerned and the oral submission made by representative of the respondent, I found it satisfactory.

As no cause of action is left in this case, the case is <u>disposed of and closed</u>. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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.... Appellant

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Public Information Officer, O/o The Joint Sub Registrar,

KummKalan,

District Ludhiana (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority, O/ o The Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana (Punjab)

.....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 2488 of 2018

Present: Sh. Jasbir Singh, the applicant, in person.

None on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 24.09.2018.

Neither the respondent PIO nor his representative is present in today's hearing.

After examining the documents placed in the case-file, it is found that in response to the RTI request, the respondent PIO has sent a point-wise reply to the applicant, Sh. Jasbir Singh vide letter dated 24.09.2018.

The applicant, Sh. Jasbir Singh, who appeared in person in today's hearing, expresses his dissatisfaction over the information/reply supplied to him by the respondent PIO.

The respondent PIO concerned is directed to appear in person before the Commission to represent this case alongwith relevant official record on the next date of hearing so that facts of this case could be cleared. A copy of this order be sent to him through registered post.

The case is <u>adjourned to 5th December, 2018 (Wednesday) at 11:00 A. M.</u>
Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

5th November, 2018