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Sh. Amrik Singh, Block -J/26/10, BRS Nagar,  
Ludhiana - 14012

.....Complainant

..Vs

**Public Information Officer,**  
O/o Deputy Commissioner, Sangrur

.....Respondent

**CC No. 326 of 2020**

**Through CISCO webex**

Present: (i) None is present on behalf of the Complainant (9914268666)  
(ii) For the respondent : Sh. Karandeep Singh Chinna, RTA Sangrur  
(9872426400)

**ORDER**

The RTI application is dated 04.05.2020 whereby the information-seeker has sought information as mentioned in his RTI application. He filed complaint in the Commission on 16.06.2020 under Section 18 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 13.07.2020. On 13.07.2020, the above said complaint was postponed and fixed for today i.e. 07.09.2020.

3. The complainant is absent today.

4. Respondent states that the information, as exists in the record has been sent to the complainant.

5. After hearing the respondent and examining the case file, it is observed that the Complainant has raised many queries for which no information can be supplied, as the information which only exists in the record can be supplied, and the queries are not to be replied. No further action is required. Respondent submitted that due to certain queries the required information could not be given.

6. Moreover, the attention of the complainant is drawn to the decision of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India dated 12.12.2011 in Civil Appeal Nos.10787 – 10788 of 2011 (arising out of SLP © No.32768-32769/2010) wherein it has held that *while entertaining a complaint under Section 18 of the RTI Act, 2005, the Commissioners have no jurisdiction to pass an order providing for an access to the information. As per the*

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*above decision of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India, the Information Commission has a power to receive and enquire into the complaint of any person who has been refused access to any information requested under this Act (section 18 (1)(b)) or has been given incomplete, misleading or false information under the Act (Section 18(1)(e) or has not been given a response to a request for information or access to information within time limits specified under the Act (Section 18(1)(c)).*

7. In view of the foregoing, no cause of action is left, the complaint case filed by the complainant is , therefore, **disposed of and closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

**Dated :07.09.2020**

Sd/-  
**( Preety Chawla )**  
State Information Commissioner  
Punjab

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