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Pin:-145024

Tehsil - Pathankot,

Distt. - Gurdaspur(Punjab)

...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer, O/o The Secretary, Regional Transport Authority, Gurdaspur(Punjab)

First Appellate Authority, O/o The State Transport Commissioner, Punjab, Sector-17, Chandigarh

... Respondents

## Appeal Case No. 4644 of 2019

Present: None on behalf of the appellant.

Sh. Ravinder Singh, Section Officer, on behalf of the respondent.

**ORDER** 

Heard through facility of Software/application 'CISCO Webex Meetings'.

The RTI request is dated 09.09.2019. First appeal is dated 15.10.2019.

Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 13.12.2019.

On the last date of hearing, held on 21.10.2020, <u>a show-cause was issued</u> to the respondent PIO concerned of office of Secretary, Regional Transport Authority, Gurdaspur <u>under the provisions of the RTI Act.</u> The respondent PIO concerned was directed to supply the required information to the appellant was advised to point out deficiencies, if any, in the information supplied to him, in writing, to the respondent PIO well in time so that the same could be removed by the respondent concerned.

The appellant, Sh. Sanjeev Thakur, is not present during the hearing of this case.

Sh. Ravinder Singh, Section Officer, who appeared in today's hearing, states that the required information has been sent to the appellant vide letter no. 11197 dated 09.07.2020 and again 11676 dated 09.07.2020. The above mentioned replies are placed in the case-file.

An opportunity is given to the appellant to intimate the Commission whether he has received the information and also to point out deficiencies, in writing, well in time to the respondent PIO concerned so that the same could be removed by the respondent-PIO concerned by the next date of hearing positively. He is also advised to represent this case in person or through his representative on the next date of hearing fixed through facility of Software/application 'CISCO Webex Meetings'

The case is <u>adjourned to 4<sup>th</sup> January, 2021 (Monday) at 11:00 A. M. for</u> <u>hearing through facility of Software/application 'CISCO Webex Meetings'.</u>

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P. S. :

The appellant, Sh. Sanjeev Thakur, appeared in person, after the hearing of the instant appeal case was over. He was read out the above order.

The case stands <u>adjourned to 4<sup>th</sup> January, 2021 (Monday) at 11:00 A. M. for</u> <u>hearing through facility of Software/application 'CISCO Webex Meetings'.</u>

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First Appellate Authority
O/o The Regional Deputy Director,
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Ferozepur Road, Ludhiana(Punjab)

...Respondents

# Appeal Case No. 683 of 2019

V/s

Present: Sh. Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia, the appellant in person.

- i) Sh. Kulwinder Singh, Municipal Engineer;
- ii) Sh. Gurdarshan Singh, Superintendent, on behalf of the respondent.

## <u>ORDER</u>

Heard through facility of Software/application 'CISCO Webex Meetings'.

The RTI request is dated 18.12.2018. First appeal is dated 07.01.2019.

Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 20.02.2019.

On the last date of hearing, held on 29.07.2020, the appellant stated that deficiencies, pointed out by him were not removed by the respondent PIO. Sh. Ranvir Singh, Executive Officer, intimated the Commission that a reply was sent to the appellant vide letter no. 2130 dated 08.05.2020 to point out deficiencies, in writing, to the office of the respondent through e-mail 'eomckhanna@gmail.com', so that the could be removed but the appellant had pointed out same not deficiency/deficiencies in the information already supplied to him. An opportunity was given to the appellant to point out deficiencies, in writing, to the office of the respondent PIO concerned and send the same to the respondent PIO concerned so that the required information could be provided to him. Last and final opportunity was given to the respondent PIO concerned to supply the required information, after removing the deficiencies, (which would be pointed out by the appellant in this particular case), as per record available in the instant appeal case-file, to the appellant well in time and send forwarding letter of the same with acknowledgement receipt/postal receipt to the Commission.

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The appellant, Sh. Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia, who appeared in person in today's hearing, orally states that he has not received the requisite information.

Sh. Kulwinder Singh, Municipal Engineer, who appeared in today's hearing with Sh. Gurdarshan Singh, Superintendent, states that the required information of thirty six pages has been given to the appellant vide letter dated 06.10.2020. He also intimates the Commission that a copy of reply vide letter no. 2158 dated 06.10.2020 has been sent to the Commission through an e-mail. It is taken on record.

An opportunity is given to the appellant to intimate the Commission whether he has received the information and also to point out deficiencies, in writing, well in time to the respondent PIO concerned so that the same could be removed.

An opportunity is given to the respondent-PIO concerned to send a copy of the information (supplied to the appellant) with acknowledgement/postal receipt to the Commission, by the next date of hearing positively.

The case is <u>adjourned to 4<sup>th</sup> January, 2021 (Monday) at 11:00 A. M. for</u> hearing through facility of Software/application 'CISCO Webex Meetings'.

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# Appeal Case No. 684 of 2019

Present: Sh. Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia, the appellant in person.

- i) Sh. Kulwinder Singh, Municipal Engineer;
- ii) Sh. Gurdarshan Singh, Superintendent, on behalf of the respondent.

### <u>ORDER</u>

Heard through facility of Software/application 'CISCO Webex Meetings'.

The RTI request is dated 18.12.2018. First appeal is dated 07.01.2019.

Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 20.02.2019.

On the last date of hearing, held on 29.07.2020, the appellant stated that deficiencies, pointed out by him were not removed by the respondent PIO. Sh. Ranvir Singh, Executive Officer, intimated the Commission that a reply was sent to the appellant vide letter no. 2121 dated 08.05.2020 to point out deficiencies, in writing, to the office of the respondent through e-mail 'eomckhanna@gmail.com', so that the could be removed but the appellant had pointed out same not deficiency/deficiencies in the information already supplied to him. An opportunity was given to the appellant to point out deficiencies, in writing, to the office of the respondent PIO concerned and send the same to the respondent PIO concerned so that the required information could be provided to him. Last and final opportunity was given to the respondent PIO concerned to supply the required information, after removing the deficiencies, (which would be pointed out by the appellant in this particular case), as per record available in the instant appeal case-file, to the appellant well in time and send forwarding letter of the same with acknowledgement receipt/postal receipt to the Commission.

Appeal Case No. 684 of 2019

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The appellant, Sh. Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia, who appeared in person in today's hearing, orally states that he has not received the requisite information.

Sh. Kulwinder Singh, Municipal Engineer, who appeared in today's hearing with Sh. Gurdarshan Singh, Superintendent, states that the required information of eight pages has been given to the appellant vide letter dated 06.10.2020. He also intimates the Commission that a copy of reply vide letter no. 2162 dated 06.10.2020 has been sent to the Commission through an e-mail. It is taken on record.

An opportunity is given to the appellant to intimate the Commission whether he has received the information and also to point out deficiencies, in writing, well in time to the respondent PIO concerned so that the same could be removed.

An opportunity is given to the respondent-PIO concerned to send a copy of the information (supplied to the appellant) with acknowledgement/postal receipt to the Commission, by the next date of hearing positively.

The case is <u>adjourned to 4<sup>th</sup> January, 2021 (Monday) at 11:00 A. M. for</u> <u>hearing through facility of Software/application 'CISCO Webex Meetings'.</u>

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First Appellate Authority O/o The Regional Deputy Director, Urban Local Government Punjab, Ferozepur Road, Ludhiana

. ... Respondents

# Appeal Case No. 763 of 2019

V/s

Present: Sh. Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia, the appellant in person.

- i) Sh. Kulwinder Singh, Municipal Engineer;
- ii) Sh. Gurdarshan Singh, Superintendent, on behalf of the respondent.

## **ORDER**

Heard through facility of Software/application 'CISCO Webex Meetings'.

The RTI request is dated 05.10.2018. First appeal is dated 27.11.2018.

Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 20.02.2019.

On the last date of hearing, held on 29.07.2020, the appellant stated that deficiencies, pointed out by him were not removed by the respondent PIO. Sh. Ranvir Singh, Executive Officer, intimated the Commission that a reply was sent to the appellant vide letter no. 2125 dated 08.05.2020 to point out deficiencies, in writing, to the office of the respondent through e-mail 'eomckhanna@gmail.com', so that the same could be removed but the appellant had not pointed deficiency/deficiencies in the information already supplied to him. The respondent PIO concerned was directed to facilitate the appellant to inspect the relevant official record on 07.08.2020 at 11:00 A. M. so that the appellant could identify the required information or hand over the letter, through which he has pointed out certain deficiencies in the information supplied to him. Last and final opportunity is given to the respondent PIO concerned to supply the required information, after removing the deficiencies, (which would be pointed out by the appellant in this particular case), as per record available in the instant appeal case-file, to the appellant well in time and send forwarding letter of the same with acknowledgement receipt/postal receipt to the Commission.

Appeal Case No. 763 of 2019

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The appellant, Sh. Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia, who appeared in person

in today's hearing, orally states that he has not received the requisite information.

Sh. Kulwinder Singh, Municipal Engineer, who appeared in today's

hearing with Sh. Gurdarshan Singh, Superintendent, states that a point-wise reply has

been given to the appellant vide letter dated 06.10.2020. He also intimates the

Commission that a copy of reply vide letter no. 2166 dated 06.10.2020 has been sent

to the Commission through an e-mail. It is taken on record.

An opportunity is given to the appellant to intimate the Commission

whether he has received the above-mentioned reply dated 06.10.2020 and also to point

out deficiencies, if any, in writing, well in time to the respondent PIO concerned so that

the same could be removed.

The case is adjourned to 4<sup>th</sup> January, 2021 (Monday) at 11:00 A. M. for

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First Appellate Authority
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Ferozepur Road, Ludhiana(Punjab)

...Respondents

## Appeal Case No. 2209 of 2018

V/s

Present: Sh. Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia, the appellant in person.

- i) Sh. Kulwinder Singh, Municipal Engineer;
- ii) Sh. Gurdarshan Singh, Superintendent, on behalf of the respondent.

## **ORDER**

Heard through facility of Software/application 'CISCO Webex Meetings'.

The RTI request is dated 23.01.2018. First appeal is dated 04.03.2018.

Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 03.07.2018.

On the last date of hearing, held on 29.07.2020, last and final opportunity was given to the respondent PIO concerned to supply the remaining information i. e. part information i. e. copy of estimate at point no. 01 and information at point no. 03 of the RTI request (which has been specified by the appellant during the hearing), as per record available in the instant appeal case-file, to the appellant well in time and send forwarding letter of the same with acknowledgement receipt signed by the appellant to the Commission. If any information is not available in the case-file, he/she (respondent-PIO concerned) will send a reply in an affidavit to the Commission. An opportunity was also given to the appellant to intimate the Commission whether he has received the information, which would be supplied to him by the respondent PIO concerned.

The appellant, Sh. Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia, who appeared in person in today's hearing, orally states that he has not received the requisite information.

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Sh. Kulwinder Singh, Municipal Engineer, who appeared in today's hearing with Sh. Gurdarshan Singh, Superintendent, states that a reply has been given to the appellant vide letter dated 06.10.2020. He also intimates the Commission that a copy of reply vide letter no. 2170 dated 06.10.2020 has been sent to the Commission

through an e-mail. It is taken on record.

An opportunity is given to the appellant to intimate the Commission whether he has received the above-mentioned reply dated 06.10.2020 and also to point out deficiencies, if any, in writing, well in time to the respondent PIO concerned so that the same could be removed.

The case is <u>adjourned to 4<sup>th</sup> January, 2021 (Monday) at 11:00 A. M. for</u> <u>hearing through facility of Software/application 'CISCO Webex Meetings'.</u>

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First Appellate Authority O/o The Regional Deputy Director, Urban Local Government Punjab, Ferozepur Road, Ludhiana

...Respondents

## Appeal Case No. 2326 of 2018

V/s

Present: Sh. Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia, the appellant in person.

- Sh. Kulwinder Singh, Municipal Engineer;
- ii) Sh. Gurdarshan Singh, Superintendent;
- iii) Sh. Jaswant Singh, Junior Engineer, on behalf of the respondent.

## <u>ORDER</u>

Heard through facility of Software/application 'CISCO Webex Meetings'.

The RTI request is dated 30.01.2018. First appeal is dated 05.03.2018.

Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 11.07.2018.

On the last date of hearing, held on 29.07.2020, Sh. Ranvir Singh,

Executive Officer, stated that part information has already been supplied to the appellant and part information would be supplied to the appellant positively. He has also intimated the Commission that to provide samples of the material to the appellant in the instant appeal case, responsibility of Sh. Kulwinder Singh, Municipal Engineer was fixed. Last and final opportunity was given to Sh. Kulwinder Singh, Municipal Engineer (whose responsibility was fixed for supplying of samples of the material as per version of Sh. Ranvir Singh, Executive Officer) to provide certified samples of the material and seal the same, to the appellant well in time and send forwarding letter of the same with acknowledgement receipt signed by the appellant to the Commission. A show cause notice under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act was issued to Sh. Kulwinder Singh, Municipal Engineer office of Executive Officer, Nagar Council, Khanna, under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

Appeal Case No. 2326 of 2018

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Sh. Kulwinder Singh, Municipal Engineer, who appeared in today's

hearing with Sh. Gurdarshan Singh, Superintendent and Sh. Jaswant Singh, Junior

Engineer, states that the requisite information has been given to the appellant vide letter

no. 2028-29 dated 31.01.2020. He also intimates the Commission that a copy of reply

has also been sent to the Commission through an e-mail. It is taken on record.

The appellant, Sh. Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia, who appeared in person

in today's hearing, orally states that he has not received the requisite information.

Sh. Kulwinder Singh, Municipal Engineer also sent a reply vide letter no.

2147 dated 05.10.2020 to the show-cause issued to him vide orders dated 29.07.2020

through an e-mail dated 06.10.2020. It is also taken on record.

The respondent PIO concerned is directed to provide the required certified

samples of the material to the appellant within four days from today and seal the same

and send a copy of the acknowledgement receipt signed by the appellant to the

Commission by the next date of hearing, failing which action would be initiated against

him under the provisions of the RTI Act.

An opportunity is given to the appellant to intimate the Commission

whether he has received the required samples/information.

The case is adjourned to 4th January, 2021 (Monday) at 11:00 A. M. for

hearing through facility of Software/application 'CISCO Webex Meetings'.

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V/s

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First Appellate Authority
O/o The Regional Deputy Director,
Urban Local Government Punjab,
Ferozepur Road, Ludhiana

...Respondents

## Appeal Case No. 2331 of 2018

Present: Sh. Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia, the appellant in person.

- i) Sh. Kulwinder Singh, Municipal Engineer;
- ii) Sh. Gurdarshan Singh, Superintendent;
- iii) Sh. Jaswant Singh, Junior Engineer, on behalf of the respondent.

### ORDER

Heard through facility of Software/application 'CISCO Webex Meetings'.

The RTI request is dated 30.01.2018. First appeal is dated 06.03.2018.

Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 11.07.2018.

On the last date of hearing, held on 29.07.2020, Sh. Ranvir Singh,

Executive Officer, stated that part information has already been supplied to the appellant and part information would be supplied to the appellant positively. He has also intimated the Commission that to provide samples of the material to the appellant in the instant appeal case, responsibility of Sh. Kulwinder Singh, Municipal Engineer was fixed. Last and final opportunity was given to Sh. Kulwinder Singh, Municipal Engineer (whose responsibility was fixed for supplying of samples of the material as per version of Sh. Ranvir Singh, Executive Officer), to provide certified samples of the material and seal the same to the appellant well in time and send forwarding letter of the same with acknowledgement receipt signed by the appellant to the Commission. A show cause notice under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act was issued to Sh. Kulwinder Singh, Municipal Engineer office of Executive Officer, Nagar Council, Khanna, under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

Appeal Case No. 2331 of 2018

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Sh. Kulwinder Singh, Municipal Engineer, who appeared in today's

hearing with Sh. Gurdarshan Singh, Superintendent and Sh. Jaswant Singh, Junior

Engineer, states that the requisite information has been given to the appellant vide letter

no. 2028-29 dated 31.01.2020. He also intimates the Commission that a copy of reply

has also been sent to the Commission through an e-mail. It is taken on record.

The appellant, Sh. Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia, who appeared in person

in today's hearing, orally states that he has not received the requisite information.

Sh. Kulwinder Singh, Municipal Engineer also sent a reply vide letter no.

2147 dated 05.10.2020 to the show-cause issued to him vide orders dated 29.07.2020

through an e-mail dated 06.10.2020. It is also taken on record.

The respondent PIO concerned is directed to provide the required certified

samples of the material to the appellant within four days from today and seal the same

and send a copy of the acknowledgement receipt signed by the appellant to the

Commission by the next date of hearing, failing which action would be initiated against

him under the provisions of the RTI Act.

An opportunity is given to the appellant to intimate the Commission

whether he has received the required samples/information.

The case is adjourned to 4th January, 2021 (Monday) at 11:00 A. M. for

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...Respondents

## Appeal Case No. 2229 of 2019

V/s

Present: Sh. Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia, the appellant in person.

- i) Sh. Kulwinder Singh, Municipal Engineer;
- ii) Sh. Gurdarshan Singh, Superintendent, on behalf of the respondent.

## <u>ORDER</u>

Heard through facility of Software/application 'CISCO Webex Meetings'.

The RTI request is dated 18.12.2018. First appeal is dated 11.02.2019.

Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 24.06.2019.

On the last date of hearing, held on 29.07.2020, Sh. Ranvir Singh,

Executive Officer, intimated the Commission that a point-wise reply to the queries raised by the appellant, was sent to the appellant vide letter dated 18.05.2020. The appellant stated that no such reply was received by him till date till date. The respondent PIO concerned is directed to send the above-mentioned reply, given vide letter dated 18.05.2020 again to the appellant well in time and send a copy of the same with acknowledgement receipt/postal receipt to the Commission. An opportunity was also given to the appellant to intimate the Commission whether he has received the above-mentioned reply dated 18.05.2020, which would be sent to him by the respondent PIO concerned.

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The appellant, Sh. Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia, who appeared in person in today's hearing, orally states that he has not received the requisite information.

Sh. Kulwinder Singh, Municipal Engineer, who appeared in today's hearing with Sh. Gurdarshan Singh, Superintendent, states that a point-wise reply has been given to the appellant vide letter dated 06.10.2020. He also intimates the Commission that a copy of reply vide letter no. 2154 dated 06.10.2020 has been sent to the Commission through an e-mail. It is taken on record.

An opportunity is given to the appellant to intimate the Commission whether he has received the above-mentioned reply dated 06.10.2020 and also to point out deficiencies, if any, in writing, well in time to the respondent PIO concerned so that the same could be removed.

The case is <u>adjourned to 4<sup>th</sup> January, 2021 (Monday) at 11:00 A. M. for</u> hearing through facility of Software/application 'CISCO Webex Meetings'.

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...Respondents

## Appeal Case No. 2230 of 2019

V/s

Present: Sh. Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia, the appellant in person.

Sh. Harpal Singh, Accountant, on behalf of the respondent.

<u>ORDER</u>

Heard through facility of Software/application 'CISCO Webex Meetings'.

The RTI request is dated 18.12.2018. First appeal is dated 07.01.2019.

Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 20.02.2019.

On the last date of hearing, held on 29.07.2020, the respondent PIO concerned was directed to hand over the required information to the appellant on 07.08.2020 at 11:00 A. M. (which has already been fixed by the Bench of the undersigned in another case for inspection of official record) and send a copy of the forwarding letter of the same with acknowledgement receipt to the Commission. An opportunity was also given to the appellant to intimate the Commission whether he has received the required information, which would be given to him by the respondent PIO concerned and also advised to point out deficiencies, if any, in the information supplied to him, in writing, to the respondent PIO well in time so that the same could be removed by the respondent concerned.

The appellant, Sh. Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia, who appeared in person in today's hearing, orally states that he has not received the requisite information.

Sh. Harpal Singh, Accountant, who appeared in today's hearing, states that the required information has been sent to the appellant and another set of copy of information supplied is kept for official record.

An opportunity is given to the appellant to intimate the Commission whether he has received the information and also to point out deficiencies, in writing, well in time to the respondent PIO concerned so that the same could be removed.

An opportunity is given to the respondent-PIO concerned to send a copy of the information (supplied to the appellant) with acknowledgement/postal receipt to the Commission, by the next date of hearing positively.

The case is <u>adjourned to 4<sup>th</sup> January, 2021 (Monday) at 11:00 A. M. for</u> <u>hearing through facility of Software/application 'CISCO Webex Meetings'.</u>

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