



Tirlochan Singh,
848-A, MIG Flats,
Jamalpur Colony,
Ludhiana - 141010 (Punjab)

....Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Director,
Deptt. of Local Government, Punjab,
Municipal Bhawan, Sector 35 - A,
Plot No. 03, Chandigarh

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Director,
Deptt. of Local Government, Punjab,
Municipal Bhawan, Sector 35 - A,
Plot No. 03, Chandigarh

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1019 of 2021

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.
Sh. Vikas Kumar, Senior Assistant(Municipal Services Cell), for the respondent.

ORDER

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

The RTI request is dated 15.08.2020. First appeal is dated 14.12.2020. Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 22.02.2021.

Sh. Vikas Kumar, Senior Assistant(Municipal Services Cell), who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, states that the remaining information has already been supplied to the appellant vide letter no. 68 dated 02.06.2022 and a reply has also been sent to the Commission vide letter no. 22124 dated 27.06.2022, which has been received in the Commission vide Diary No. 14100 dated 30.06.2022, appended to which is a note signed by the appellant as an acknowledgement of having received the requisite information. It, alongwith annexure with a copy of acknowledgement -receipt is taken on record.

The appellant, Sh. Tirlochan Singh is absent from today's hearing without any intimation to the Commission.

Since complete information has been supplied by the respondent PIO and the appellant has also acknowledged that he has received the required information and has also given his consent to close the case, hence, the show-cause issued to the concerned respondent PIO vide orders dated 18.08.2021 is dropped and the instant appeal-case is announced as disposed of and closed.

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Date : 8th August, 2022

(Sanjiv Garg)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab



(Regd. Post)

Ms. Tara Rani
W/o Sh. Jaswant rai,
Ward No. 11, Gandhi Nagar,
Goniana Mandi - 151201,
Distt. – Bathinda (Punjab)

Encl: reply dated 05.08.2022

....Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o The District Education Officer(Elem.),
Bathinda (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The District Education Officer(Elem.),
Bathinda (Punjab)

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1233 of 2021

Present : Sh. Ram Manohar, Advocate , on behalf of the appellant.
Sh. Rajwinder Singh, Junior Assistant, on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

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

The RTI request is dated 24.11.2020. First appeal is dated 04.01.2021. Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 05.03.2021.

Sh. Ram Manohar, Advocate , who appeared on behalf of the appellant, Ms. Tara Raniin today's hearing, states that at point no. 02 of the RTI request regarding waiting list of SC(RO) female candidates for Teaching Fellows is still pending.

Sh. Rajwinder Singh, Junior Assistant, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, states that the remaining information at point no. 02 of the RTI request has already been supplied to the appellant vide letter no. 2005-06 dated 05.08.2022 and a copy of the reply has also been sent to the Commission, which has been received in the Commission through an e-mail. It, alongwith a copy of supplied information is taken on record.

After going over the queries raised by the appellant through his RTI request and the response given by the respondent PIO concerned and finding it satisfactory, no cause of action is left in this case, hence, the show-cause issued to the concerned respondent PIO vide orders dated 12.01.2022 is dropped.

A copy of the reply dated 05.08.2022 be sent to the appellant alongwith this order through registered post.

With this, the instant appeal-case is announced as disposed of and closed.

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Date : 8th August, 2022

(Sanjiv Garg)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Encl: reply dated 05.08.2022(02 pages)



Malkiat Singh
S/o Sh. Jeet Singh,
H. No. 230, Ward No. 07,
Mohalla Subash Nagar,
Sunam Udham Singh Wala,
Distt. – Sangrur - 148028(Punjab)

....Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Tehsildar,
Court Complex,
Sunam,
Distt. – Sangrur (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Sub Divisional Magistrate,
Sunam,
Distt. – Sangrur (Punjab)

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1907 of 2021

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.
None on behalf of the appellant.

ORDER

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

The RTI request is dated 02.12.2020. First appeal is dated 09.02.2021. Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 16.04.2021.

Neither the appellant, Sh. Malkiat Singh nor the respondent is present in today's hearing. They have also not sent any intimation regarding their non-availability.

After examining the documents placed on record, it is found that a reply has already been given by the respondent PIO to the appellant vide letter no. 53 dated 25.01.2022. It is placed in the case-file.

The appellant, Sh. Malkiat Singh, was absent on the last date of hearing, held on 18.04.2022. He is again absent from today's hearing without any intimation to the Commission. He has also not approached the Commission with any contrary claim.

Since complete information has been supplied by the respondent PIO and no cause of action is left in this case, hence, the show-cause issued to the concerned respondent PIO vide orders dated 17.08.2021, is dropped and the instant appeal-case is announced as disposed and closed.

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Date : 8th August, 2022

(Sanjiv Garg)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab



Lajpat Rai Garg
S/o Sh. Harbans Lal,
Romana Street, Jaito, Tehsil – Jaito,
District – Faridkot (Punjab)

....Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Director,
Deptt. of Local Government, Punjab,
Municipal Bhawan, Sector 35 - A,
Plot No. 03, Chandigarh

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Director,
Deptt. of Local Government, Punjab,
Municipal Bhawan, Sector 35 - A,
Plot No. 03, Chandigarh

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 2174 of 2021

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.
Ms. Sarabjit Kaur, Senior Assistant(General Branch), on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

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

The RTI request is dated 10.02.2020. First appeal is dated 16.03.2021. Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 04.05.2021.

The appellant, Sh. Lajpat Rai Garg through a letter dated 29.06.2022, has requested for an adjournment in this case. It is taken on record.

Ms. Sarabjit Kaur, Senior Assistant(General Branch), who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, states that the requisite information of 99 pages has already been supplied to the appellant. She also intimates that the appellant has not specified the particulars of the remaining information as directed vide orders dated 18.04.2022 and a reply has also been sent to the Commission vide letter no. 27514 dated 04.08.2022, which has been received in the Commission through an e-mail. It is taken on record.

As the appellant has not specified the particulars of the remaining information as directed vide orders dated 18.04.2022, which reflects that appellant has received the required information and is satisfied with the same, hence, the instant appeal-case is announced as disposed and closed.

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Date : 8th August, 2022

(Sanjiv Garg)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab



Tejinder Singh, Advocate,
Civil Courts, Tehsil Complex,
Backside Sanjh Kender,
Phillaur - 144410 (Punjab)

....Appellant

V/s

- i) Public Information Officer,
O/o The Principal Secretary
to Government. of Punjab,
Deptt. of Local Government,
Municipal Bhawan, Sector 35 - A,
Plot No. 03, Chandigarh
- ii) Public Information Officer,
O/o The Commissioner,
Municipal Corporation,
Ludhiana (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Principal Secretary
to Government. of Punjab,
Deptt. of Local Government,
Municipal Bhawan, Sector 35 - A,
Plot No. 03, Chandigarh

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 2061 of 2021

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.
None on behalf of the appellant.

ORDER

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

The RTI request is dated 21.11.2020. First appeal is dated 29.12.2020. Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 28.04.2021.

Neither the appellant, Sh. Tejinder Singh, Advocate nor the respondent is present in today's hearing. They have also not sent any intimation regarding their non-availability.

Moreover, the appellant, Sh. Tejinder Singh, Advocate, was absent on the hearings, held on 17.01.2022 and 18.04.2022. He is again absent from today's hearing without any intimation to the Commission. He has neither pointed out any deficiency in the information supplied to him, to the respondent-PIO, nor approached the Commission with any contrary claim in that regard.

In view of the above, it is assumed that the appellant either does not require the information anymore or not interested to pursue this case further and hence instant appeal-case is announced as **disposed of and closed.**

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Date : 8th August, 2022

(Sanjiv Garg)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab



Om Parkash
S/o Sh. Raj Kumar,
Ward No. 06,
Street – Ghumiyaran Wali,
Gandhi Nagar,
Fazilka – 152123 (Punjab)

....Complainant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Head Master,
Sri Jain Elementary School,
Fazilka (Punjab)

...Respondents

Complaint Case No. 525 of 2021

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.
None on behalf of the appellant.

ORDER

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

The RTI request is dated 25.03.2021. The complaint has been received in the Commission on 29.04.2021.

Neither the appellant, Sh. Om Parkash nor the respondent is present in today's hearing.

After examining the documents placed on record, it is found that the respondent PIO through a reply vide letter dated 07.08.2022, has intimated the Commission he is unable to attend today's hearing. Through that reply, he has also intimated that a reply has already been sent to the appellant vide letter dated 30.03.2021. It is taken on record.

Moreover, the appellant, Sh. Om Parkash was absent on the last date of hearing, held on 20.04.2022. He is again absent from today's hearing without any intimation to the Commission. He has also approached the Commission with any contrary claim in that regard.

In view of the above, it is assumed that the appellant either does not require the information anymore or not interested to pursue this case further and hence instant appeal-case is announced as disposed of and closed.

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Date : 8th August, 2022

(Sanjiv Garg)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab



Anil Kumar,
105-E, Jiwan Shanti Niwas,
Ranjit Nagar, Seuna Road,
Patiala - 147001(Punjab)

....Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Registrar,
Punjabi University,
Patiala(Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Registrar,
Punjabi University,
Patiala(Punjab)

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1679 of 2021

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.
Sh. Angel Sharma, Advocate, on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

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

The RTI request is dated 28.12.2020. First appeal is dated 03.02.2021. Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 01.04.2021

The appellant, Sh. Anil Kumar, is not present in today's hearing, states that

Sh. Angel Sharma, Advocate, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, states that complete information has been supplied to the appellant vide letter no. 4183 dated 03.08.2022 and a copy of reply has also been sent to the Commission vide letter no. 4274 dated 05.08.2022 through an e-mail, appended to which is an acknowledgement receipt dated 05.08.2022 signed by the appellant of having received the requisite information. It, alongwith a copy of acknowledgement-receipt is taken on record. After examining the documents placed on record, it is found that the respondent

Since complete information has been supplied by the respondent PIO and the appellant has also acknowledged, hence, no cause of action is left in this case and the instant appeal-case is announced as disposed and closed.

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Date : 8th August, 2022

(Sanjiv Garg)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab



Amarjit Singh Dhamotia,
H. No. 60-35-P-376-1,
Street – 08, Maha Singh Nagar,
P. O. - Dhandari Kalan,
Ludhiana - 141014 (Punjab)

....Appellant

V/s

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

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

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 5478 of 2021

Present : None on behalf of the appellant in person.
Sh. Tejinder Singh, Senior Assistant O/o Addl. D. C.(Urban), Malerkotla, on behalf
of the respondent.

ORDER

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

The RTI request is dated 10.09.2021. First appeal is dated 11.10.2021. Second
appeal has been received in the Commission on 02.12.2021.

Sh. Tejinder Singh, Senior Assistant office of Addl. Deputy Commissioner (Urban),
Malerkotla, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, states that the
requisite information has already been supplied to the appellant vide letter no. 1565 dated
28.04.2022 through registered post and a reply has also been sent to the Commission vide letter
no. 1566 dated 28.04.2022, which has been received in the Commission vide Diary No. 9225 dated
04.05.2022, It, alongwith a copy of supplied information is taken on record.

The appellant, Sh. Amarjit Singh Dhamotia, is absent from today's hearing
without any intimation to the Commission. He has neither pointed out any deficiency in the
information supplied to him, to the respondent-PIO, nor approached the Commission with any
contrary claim in that regard.

In view of the above, it is assumed that the appellant has received the required
information and is satisfied with the same.

As no cause of action is left in this case, the instant appeal-case is announced as
disposed and closed.

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Date : 8th August, 2022

(Sanjiv Garg)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab



Jagjit Singh
Aman Nagar, Street – 03,
Back Side Green Land School,
Near Jalandhar Bye Pass,
Ludhiana(Punjab)

....Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Director,
Public Instructions (Elem.) Pb.,
Vidya Bhawan, P.S.E.B. Complex,
Sector 62,S.A.S. Nagar (Mohali) (Punjab)

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

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 5307 of 2021

Present : Sh. Jagjit Singh, the appellant in person.
Sh. Mohinder Singh, Senior Assistant, on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

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

The RTI request is dated 20.07.2021. First appeal is dated 21.08.2021. Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 25.11.2021.

The appellant, Sh. Jagjit Singh, who appeared in person in today's hearing, states that he has received the required information except information at point no. 04 of the RTI request.

Sh. Mohinder Singh, Senior Assistant, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, states that the requisite information has already been supplied to the appellant vide letter no. 70834 dated 25.03.2022 through registered post .

After examining the documents placed on record, it is found that information demanded at point no. 04 of the RTI request is not specific, moreover, vague and voluminous in nature as the appellant has not mentioned the period for which the information is required, hence, can not be provided.

Since available and givable information has been supplied by the respondent PIO and the appellant has also acknowledged the same and information at point no. 04 is not to be given.

As no further action is left in this case, hence, the instant appeal-case is announced as **disposed and closed**.

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Date : 8th August, 2022

(Sanjiv Garg)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab



Bittu S/o Sh. Om Kumar,
Village – Bholapur Jhabewal,
P.O. Ramgarh, District – Ludhiana (Punjab)

.... Complainant

V/s

- i) Public Information Officer,
O/o The Addl. Chief Secretary
to Government. of Punjab,
Deptt. of Local Government,
Municipal Bhawan, Sector 35 - A,
Plot No. 03, Chandigarh
- ii) The Administrator,
Greater Ludhiana Area Development Authority
G. L. A. D. A., Ludhiana (Punjab)
- iii) Public Information Officer,
O/o The Addl. Deputy Commissioner,
(Urban Development), Ludhiana (Punjab)

...Respondents

Complaint Case No. 602 of 2021

Present : Sh. Jasbir Singh on behalf of the complainant.
None on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

Heard through facility of Software/application 'CISCO Webex Meetings'.
The RTI request is dated 20.03.2021. The complaint has been received in the
Commission on 19.05.2021.

Sh. Jasbir Singh, who appeared on behalf of the complainant, Sh. Bittu, in today's
hearing, states that no information has been given to the complainant by the respondent PIO.

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

After examining the documents placed on record, it is found that the complainant
has not exhausted the channel of approaching First Appellate Authority under Section 19 of the
RTI Act.

Hence, the instant complaint case is remanded to **First Appellate Authority**,
who is Addl. Deputy Commissioner(Urban Development), Ludhiana, with the directions to decide
the case as per provisions of the RTI Act, after giving due opportunity to the parties concerned,
examining the evidences, documents placed on record/submitted by the parties concerned and
subsequently pass a speaking order within forty five days from the receipt of this order. **A copy of
the RTI request of the applicant be also enclosed for ready reference of First Appellate Authority,
who will treat it as first appeal. A copy of this order be sent to him through registered post**

If concerned First Appellate Authority will not announce any order in the instant
complaint case within forty five days or if the complainant would not be satisfied with the
decision/announcement (which would be announced) by the First Appellate Authority, he is at
liberty to approach the Commission by way of second appeal.

With this, the case is announced as **disposed of and closed**.
Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

(Sanjiv Garg)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Date : 8th August, 2022

(Regd. Post) First Appellate Authority-cum-
-Additional Deputy Commissioner
(Urban Development),
Ludhiana(Punjab)

Encl : RTI Request