



Harjit Singh Dhillon
S/o Late Sh. Gurbaksh Singh,
H. No. 4072, Street No. 03,
Gobind Colony, Jamalpur,
Ludhiana - 141015(Punjab)

....Appellant

V/s

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

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. 1238 of 2021

Present : Sh. Harjit Singh Dhillon, the appellant in person.
Sh. Manveer Singh Sidhu, Senior Assistant(LG-1Branch), for the respondent.

ORDER

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

The RTI request is dated 16.12.2019. First appeal is dated 09.12.2020. Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 05.03.2021.

On the last date of hearing, held on 16.08. 2021 ;

- i) Sh. Balwinder Pal, Senior Assistant-cum-APIO, LG-1 Branch, stated that the requisite information was sent to the appellant vide letter no. 927 dated 16.08.2021.
- ii) The appellant stated that he had not received the information.
- iii) As the information was sent by the respondent PIO to the appellant vide letter dated 16.08.2021 (on the same day fixed for hearing) and probably the same would be pending to be delivered by the Postal Authorities to the appellant.
- iv) An opportunity was given to the appellant to confirm whether he received the information, which was sent to him by the respondent PIO vide letter dated 16.08.2021 and also 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.

Sh. Manveer Singh Sidhu, Senior Assistant (LG-1 Branch), who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, states that the requisite information has been sent to the appellant vide letter no. 927 dated 16.08.2021 through registered post. He also states that the appellant has not pointed out any deficiency in the information supplied to him till date.

The appellant, Sh. Harjit Singh Dhillon, who appeared in person in today's hearing, acknowledges that he has received the information. He has also sent a letter dated 06.11.2021, which has been received in the Commission through an e-mail, intimating that he has received the required information and the case be closed. It is taken on record.

Since complete information has been supplied by the respondent PIO and the appellant has acknowledged the same, hence, hence, the show-cause issued to the concerned respondent PIO vide orders dated 24.05.2021 is dropped and the case is announced as disposed of and closed.

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Date : : 8th November, 2021

(Sanjiv Garg)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

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Tirlochan Singh
S/o Sh. Kirpal Singh,
V. P. O. - Ghungrana,
Distt. - Ludhiana (Punjab)

.... Complainant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Senior Superintendent of Police,
Jagraon (Rural),
Distt. - Ludhiana (Punjab)

...Respondents

Complaint Case No. 1169 of 2021

Present : None on behalf of the complainant.
Sh. Nirmal Kumar, Head Constable, on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

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The RTI request is dated 13.07.2021. The complaint has been received in the Commission on 14.10.2021.

The complainant, Sh. Tirlochan Singh is not present in today's hearing.

Sh. Nirmal Kumar, Head Constable, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, states that the requisite information has already been supplied to the complainant vide letter no. 432 dated 01.11.2021 through registered post. He also intimates that a written-note dated 04.11.2021 signed by the complainant has also been sent, through which, he (complainant) claimed that he received certified copy of enquiry report. It, alongwith annexure, is taken on record.

Since complete information has been supplied by the respondent PIO and the appellant has acknowledged the same, hence, the case is announced as **disposed of and closed.**

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Punjab

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Krishan Kumar
S/o Sh. Gurdial Puri,
Haripura Basti,
Ward No. 04,
Sangrur(Punjab)

.... Complainant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Executive officer,
Nagar Council,
Sangrur (Punjab)

...Respondents

Complaint Case No. 264 of 2021

Present : None 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 06.10.2020. The complaint has been received in the Commission on 10.03.2021.

On the last date of hearing, held on 18.08.2021,

- i) Sh. Mohammad Tahir, Sanitary Inspector, stated that the requisite information could not be supplied to the complainant as he failed to deposit the required fee of Rs.1140/- for certified copies of information running into 570 pages, which was demanded from him, vide letter no. 503 dated 12.10.2020, vide letter no. 1834 dated 22.10.2020 and again vide letter no. 967 dated 23.07.2021.
- ii) Last opportunity was given to the complainant to deposit the required fee to the office of respondent PIO concerned and take certified copies of the requisite information or the case would be decided on merits.
- iii) The respondent PIO concerned was also directed to supply the requisite information to the appellant after receiving the required fee from him.

After examining the documents placed in the case-file, it is found that the respondent has given several opportunities time and again to the complainant to deposit the required fee of Rs.1140/- for certified copies of information running into 570 pages, through letter no. 503 dated 12.10.2020, vide letter no. 1834 dated 22.10.2020 and again vide letter no. 967 dated 23.07.2021.

The appellant, Sh. Krishan Kumar is not present in today's hearing. He has neither deposited the required fee to take certified copies of the requisite information as directed by vide earlier order dated 18.08.2021 nor approached the Commission with any contrary claim, which reflects that either the appellant does not require the information anymore or not interested to pursue this case further.

In view of all the above, the case is announced as **disposed of and closed.**

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Lakhvir Kumar
S/o Sh. Jaspal Ram,
Village – Gandhwa,
Tehsil – Phagwara,
Distt. - Kapurthala(Punjab)

....Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Executive Engineer,
Punjab Mandi Board,
New Sabji Mandi, Maqsudan,
Jalandhar (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Chief Engineer,
Punjab Mandi Board,
Sector 65-A, Mandi Bhawan,
S.A.S. Nagar(Mohali) (Punjab)

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 2851 of 2020

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.
Sh. Jagdeep Singh, Senior Assistant, on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

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

The RTI request is dated 01.07.2020. First appeal is dated 07.08.2020. Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 29.09.2020.

On the last date of hearing, held on 16.08. 2021 ;

- i) The appellant stated that he visited the office of the respondent and he met with Executive Engineer and Sh. Jagdeep Singh, Senior Assistant but neither official-record was presented to him for inspection nor any information was supplied to him by the respondent PIO.
- ii) Neither the respondent PIO nor any of his representative was present.
- iii) The appellant was advised to deposit the required fee to the office of respondent PIO and take certified copies of the requisite information on 10.09.2021 at 11:00 A. M.
- iv) The respondent PIO concerned was directed to supply the requisite information to the appellant during his visit to office on 10.09.2021 at 11:00 A. M., after receiving the required fee from him.
- v) An opportunity was given to the appellant to confirm whether he received the information 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 PIO concerned.

Sh. Jagdeep Singh, Senior Assistant , who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, states that the appellant did not deposit the required fee to take certified copies of the requisite information as directed by vide earlier order dated 16.08.2021.

The appellant, Sh. Lakhvir Kumar is not present in today's hearing. He has neither visited the office of the respondent on 10.09.2021 nor deposit the required fee to take certified copies of the requisite information as directed by vide earlier order dated 16.08.2021. He has also not approached the Commission with any contrary claim, which reflects that either the appellant does not require the information anymore or not interested to pursue this case further.

In view of all the above, the case is announced as **disposed of and closed.**

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Harinder Singh
S/o Sh. Lakhvir Singh,
Village – Dhilwan Kalan,
Tehsil – Kotkapura,
Distt. – Faridkot (Punjab)

....Appellant

V/s

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

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

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1229 of 2021

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.
Sh. Rajesh Kumar Singla, Legal Assistant, on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

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

The RTI request is dated 14.10.2020. First appeal is dated 27.11.2020. Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 05.03.2021.

On the last date of hearing, held on 18.08. 2021 ;

- i) The appellant stated that no information was supplied to him by the respondent PIO.
- ii) Sh. Rajesh Kumar Singla, Legal Assistant, stated that the requisite information was supplied to the appellant vide letter no. 1076 dated 16.08.2021 and vide letter no. 1077-78 dated 16.08.2021.
- iii) As the information is sent by the respondent PIO to the appellant vide letter dated 16.08.2021, which has been sent on 19.08.2021 (as per copy of postal-receipt attached) and as the information was sent by the respondent PIO to the appellant vide letter dated 16.08.2021 (on the same day fixed for hearing) and probably the same would be pending to be delivered by the Postal Authorities to the appellant.
- iv) An opportunity was given to the appellant to confirm whether he received the information and also 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.

Sh. Rajesh Kumar Singla, Legal Assistant, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, the requisite information has already been supplied to the appellant vide letter no. 1076 dated 16.08.2021 and vide letter no. 1077-78 dated 16.08.2021 through registered post. He also intimates the Commission that a reply has also been sent to the Commission vide letter no. 282476 dated 19.08.2021 through an e-mail with a copy of postal receipt as directed vide orders dated 18.08.2021. It, alongwith a copy of postal-receipt, is taken on record.

The appellant, Sh. Harinder Singh is not present in today's hearing. He has neither pointed out any deficiency in the information supplied (vide letter no. 1077-78 dated 16.08.2021) 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 requisite information and is satisfied with the same and does not wish to pursue this case further and hence the case is announced as disposed of and closed.

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Rajesh Aggarwal
S/o Sh. Ram Roop,
Sunam, Distt. – Sangrur (Punjab)

....Appellant

V/s

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

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. 1042 of 2021

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.
Sh. Ashish Kumar, Superintendent (LG – III Branch), for the respondent.

ORDER

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

The RTI request is dated 31.09.2020. First appeal is dated 09.12.2020. Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 22.02.2021.

On the last date of hearing, held on 18.08. 2021 ;

- i) Sh. Harpreet Singh, Senior Assistant, LG – III Branch, stated that the requisite information was supplied to the appellant vide letter no. 1135 dated 08.06.2021.
- ii) The appellant through a letter dated 28.06.2021, which was received in the Commission through an e-mail dated 28.06.2021, had pointed out certain deficiencies in the supplied information.
- iii) Sh. Harpreet Singh, Senior Assistant stated that no such letter was received in the Branch till date.
- iv) The appellant was advised to visit the office of the respondent on 10.09.2021 at 12:00 noon to collect the information.
- v) The respondent PIO concerned was directed to supply the certified copies of the information, after removing the deficiencies, which were pointed out by the appellant vide letter dated 28.06.2021, to him by registered post with a copy to the Commission.
- vi) The appellant was advised to confirm whether he received the information or not.

Sh. Ashish Kumar, Superintendent (LG – III Branch), who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, states that the appellant did not visit the office on 10.09.2021 as directed by vide earlier order dated 18.08.2021.

The appellant, Sh. Rajesh Aggarwal is not present in today's hearing. He has neither visited the office of the respondent on 10.09.2021 as directed by vide earlier order dated 18.08.2021 nor approached the Commission with any contrary claim, which reflects that either the appellant does not require the information anymore or not interested to pursue this case further.

In view of all the above, the case is announced as **disposed of and closed.**

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