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Sh. Karandeep Chaudhri, EX CMD, PSPCL (M-96462-00014)	
#83, New Rajguru Nagar	
Ext. Behind Ishmeet Musical Academy, Ludhiana-1410012	Appellant
Vs	
Public Information Officer,	
O/o SSP, Vigilance Bureau, EOW, Ludhiana	
First Appellate Authority	
O/o Addl DGP-cum-director, Vigilance Bureau, Pb, EOW	
Sector-68, Vigilance Bhawan, Mohali	Respondent

# AC No.279 of 2022

Present:

- (i) None is present on behalf of the appellant
- (ii) For the respondent: (i) Sh. Yogesh Kumar, Inspector (9779716585), Sh. Inderpal Singh, DSP (9915700987) and Smt. Amandeep Kaur, Inspector on behalf of the First Appellate Authority

### **ORDER**

The RTI application is dated 19.08.2021 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 03.01.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

- 2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 09.05.2022 i.e. today.
- 3. The appellant is absent today.
- 4. The respondent states that the information cannot be provided to the appelaint, as an enquiry is pending. He further states that they have also sent their reply.
- 5. The perusal of the file shows that the respondent has sent his reply which is as under:-

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2) ਉਪਰੋਕਤ ਵਿਸ਼ੇ ਦੇ ਸਬੰਧ ਵਿੱਚ ਲਿਖਿਆ ਜਾਂਦਾ ਹੈ ਕਿ ਅਪੀਲਕਰਤਾ ਸ਼੍ਰੀ ਕਰਨਦੀਪ ਚੌਧਰੀ ਵਾਸੀ ਲੁਧਿਆਣਾ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਦਰਖਾਸਤ ਮਿਤੀ 19.08.2021 ਰਾਹੀਂ ਸੀਨੀਅਰ ਕਪਤਾਨ ਪੁਲਿਸ-ਕਮ-ਲੋਕ ਸੂਚਨਾਂ ਅਫਸਰ, ਆਰਥਿਕ ਅਪਰਾਧ ਸ਼ਾਖਾ, ਵਿਜੀਲੈਂਸ ਬਿਊਰੋ, ਲੁਧਿਆਣਾ ਤੋਂ ਵਿਜੀਲੈਂਸ ਇੰਨਕੁਆਰੀ ਨੰਬਰ 05/2021 ਲੁਧਿਆਣਾ ਸਬੰਧੀ ਸੂਚਨਾਂ ਦੀ ਮੰਗ ਕੀਤੀ ਗਈ ਸੀ। ਜਿਸ ਦੇ ਸਬੰਧ ਵਿੱਚ ਸੀਨੀਅਰ ਕਪਤਾਨ ਪੁਲਿਸ-ਕਮ-ਲੋਕ ਸੂਚਨਾਂ ਅਫਸਰ, ਆਰਥਿਕ ਅਪਰਾਧ ਸ਼ਾਖਾ, ਵਿਜੀਲੈਂਸ ਬਿਊਰੋ, ਲੁਧਿਆਣਾ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਪੱਤਰ ਨੰਬਰ 1552/ਆਰ.ਟੀ.ਆਈ./ਵਬ/ਅ.ਅ.ਸ਼ਾਖਾ ਮਿਤੀ 17.09.2021 ਰਾਹੀਂ ਲਿਖਿਆ ਗਿਆ ਸੀ ਕਿ ਵਿਜੀਲੈਂਸ ਇੰਨਕੁਆਰੀ ਅਜੇ ਪੜਤਾਲ ਅਧੀਨ ਹੈ। ਇਸ ਲਈ ਆਰ.ਟੀ.ਆਈ. ਐਕਟ-2005 ਦੀ ਧਾਰਾ 8(1)(h) ਤਹਿਤ ਛੋਟ ਹੋਣ ਕਾਰਨ ਸੂਚਨਾਂ ਮੁਹੱਈਆ ਨਹੀਂ ਕਰਵਾਈ ਗਈ ਸੀ। (ਅਨੈਕਚਰ ਡੀ-1) (੨ਵਰਕ)

3) ਅਪੀਲਕਰਤਾ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਪਹਿਲੀ ਅਪੀਲ ਮਿਤੀ 28.09.2021 ਰਾਹੀਂ ਲਿਖਿਆ ਗਿਆ ਹੈ ਕਿ

- 3) ਅਪੀਲਕਰਤਾ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਪਹਿਲੀ ਅਪੀਲ ਮਿਤੀ 28.09.2021 ਰਾਹੀਂ ਲਿਖਿਆ ਗਿਆ ਹੈ ਕਿ ਲੋਕ ਸੂਚਨਾਂ ਅਫਸਰ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਸੂਚਨਾਂ ਨਹੀਂ ਭੇਜੀ ਗਈ ਹੈ, ਜੋ ਭੇਜੀ ਜਾਵੇ। ਅਪੀਲਕਰਤਾ ਦੀ ਪਹਿਲੀ ਅਪੀਲ ਨੂੰ ਵਿਚਾਰਣ ਉਪਰੰਤ ਪੱਤਰ ਨੰਬਰ 35757/ਰੀਡਰ/ਏ.ਡੀ.ਜੀ.ਪੀ./ ਵਬ/ਅ.ਅ.ਸ਼ਾਖਾ ਮਿਤੀ 11.11.2021 ਰਾਹੀਂ ਲਿਖਿਆ ਗਿਆ ਸੀ ਕਿ ਵਿਜੀਲੈਂਸ ਇੰਨਕੁਆਰੀ ਨੰਬਰ 05/2021 ਲੁਧਿਆਣਾ ਅਜੇ ਪੜਤਾਲ ਅਧੀਨ ਹੈ। ਇਸ ਲਈ ਆਪ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਮੰਗੀ ਗਈ ਸੂਚਨਾਂ ਆਰ.ਟੀ.ਆਈ. ਐਕਟ-2005 ਦੀ ਧਾਰਾ 8(1)(g) ਅਤੇ (h) ਤਹਿਤ ਦੇਣ ਤੋਂ ਛੋਟ ਹੈ। ਅਨੈਕਚਰ ਡੀ-2 (3ਵਰਕ)
- 4) ਇਸ ਲਈ ਪੈਗ੍ਹਾ ਨੰਬਰ 2 ਅਤੇ 3 ਵਿੱਚ ਦਰਸਾਈ ਸਥਿਤੀ ਅਤੇ ਤੱਥਾਂ ਦੇ ਸਨਮੁੱਖ ਬੇਨਤੀ ਹੈ ਕਿ ਅਪੀਲਕਰਤਾ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਮੰਗੀ ਗਈ ਸੂਚਨਾਂ ਸਬੰਧੀ ਵਿਜੀਲੈਂਸ ਇੰਨਕੁਆਰੀ ਨੰਬਰ 05/2021 ਲੁਧਿਆਣਾ ਦੀ ਪੜਤਾਲ ਰਿਪੋਰਟ ਸੀਨੀਅਰ ਕਪਤਾਨ ਪੁਲਿਸ, ਵਿਜੀਲੈਂਸ ਬਿਊਰੋ, ਆਰਥਿਕ ਅਪਰਾਧ ਸ਼ਾਖਾ, ਲੁਧਿਆਣਾ ਰਾਹੀਂ ਇਸ ਦਫਤਰ ਵਿਖੇ ਪ੍ਰਾਪਤ ਹੋਣ ਉਪਰੰਤ ਅਜੇ ਵਿਚਾਰ ਅਧੀਨ ਹੈ।
- 6. Since, the enquiry is pending, no cause of action is left. Therefore, the above said appeal case filed by the appellant is **disposed of and closed**. *However, the respondent is directed to provide complete information to the appellant as soon as the enquiry is finalized*. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/Dated: 09.05.2022 (Amrit Partap Singh Sekhon)
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Sh Gurmeet Singh, (M-9464241359) S/o Sh Jagat Singh, Village Bhadiaran, PO Karari, Via Datarpur, Tehsil Mukerian, Distt Hoshiarpur

.....Appellant

**Public Information Officer,** 

O/o Naib Tehsildar, Talwara, Distt Hoshiarpur

First Appellate Authority

O/o Naib Tehsildar, Talwara, Distt Hoshiarpur

.....Respondent

AC No.270 of 2022

..Vs

Present:

(i) Sh. Gurmeet Singh the appellant

(ii) for the respondent: Sh. Aman Kumar, Registry Clerk (8437943911)

#### **ORDER**

The RTI application is dated 02.09.2021 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 03.01.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

- 2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 09.05.2022 i.e. today.
- 3. The appellant states that he has not received the information so far.
- 4. The respondent states that the information has already been sent to the appellant. He further states that he has also brought copy of information today in the Commission, which is handed over to the appellant. He adds that the information demanded by the appellant is in question form.
- 5. After hearing both the parties and going through the case file, it is observed that the information demanded by the appellant is in the shape of question form. The appellant may take note that the information which only exists in record can only be provided.

Central Information Commission vide order dated 21.04.2006 in case no. CIC/AT/A/2006/00045 has decided that -

(The RTI Act does not cast on the public authority any obligation to answer queries, as in this case, in which a petitioner attempts to elicit answers to his questions with prefixes, such as, why, what, when and whether. The petitioner's right extends only to seeking information as defined in Section 2 (f) either by pinpointing the file, document, paper or record, etc., or by

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mentioning the type of information as may be available with the specified public authority.)

6. In wake of above the instant Appeal Case is hereby **disposed of and closed.** Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated: 09.05.2022

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Smt Kiran Sharma, (M-7973081420) W/o late Sh Jagdish Sharma, Street No 42, Preet Nagar, Shimlapuri, Ludhiana

..Vs

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**Public Information Officer,** O/o DGP, PB, Sector -9, Chandigarh

**First Appellate Authority O/o** DGP, PB, Sector -9, Chandigarh

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.....Appellant

#### AC No. 379 of 2022

Present:

- (i) None is present on behalf of the appellant
- (ii) For the respondent: Sh. Maninder Singh, C.I., o/o DGP Punjab

#### **ORDER**

The RTI application is dated 14.10.2021 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 11.01.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

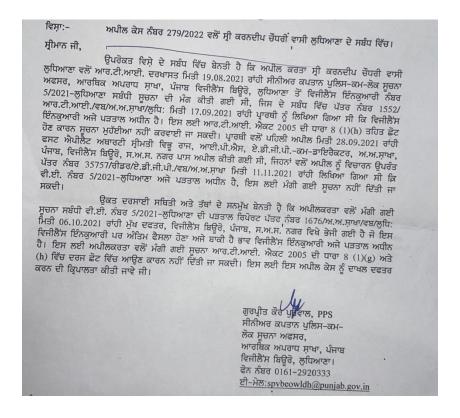
- 2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 09.05.2022 i.e. today.
- 3. The Appellant has sent her authority letter by e-mail authorizing Sh Sushil Kumar to appear on her behalf. Further, the Appellant has also sent her submissions through the e-mail. Copy of the same is taken on record.
- 4. The respondent states that they have transferred the RTI of the appellant to the Commissioner of Police, Ludhiana.
- 5. The perusal of the file shows that the PIO, o/o Commissioner of Police has sent their reply which is as under:-

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6. In view of the above reply filed by the respondent appears to be convincing, hence no further cause of action is left. Therefore the above said appeal case filed by the appellant is **disposed of and closed.** However, the respondent is directed to provide complete information to the appellant as soon as the enquiry is finalized. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

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Sh Amardeep Singh, S/o Harchand Singh, Village Kuhil Khurd, PO Lehal, Tehsil Payal, Distt ludhiana-141117 (M-8437151402)

.....Appellant

..Vs

**Public Information Officer,** O/o BDPO, Block Malaud, Ludhiana

First Appellate Authority,
O/o BDPO, Malaud, Distt Ludhiana

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#### AC No. 3299 of 2021

Present: (i) None is present on behalf of the appellant.

(ii) For the respondent: Sh. Gurpreet Singh, BDPO (9463556415), Sh. Jarnail Singh, Suptd (9855003560) and Sh. Sukhpreet Singh, Panchayat Secretary (8146263412)

#### **ORDER**

This order may be read with reference to the previous order passed by the Commission vide which Rs. 10,000/- as penalty was imposed on the respondent.

- 2. Today the appellant is absent.
- 3. The respondent states that the information has been sent to the appellant. He has also shown the acknowledgment given by the appellant in token of having received the information. Respondent further states that payment of the penalty amounting to Rs. 10,000/- (Ten Thousand Only) has been paid in the Treasury.
- 4. Since, the order of the Commission has been complied with, hence no further action is required. Therefore, the above said appeal case filed by the appellant is **disposed of and closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

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Dated: 09.05.2022

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Sh. Surinder Singh, S/o Sh. Harbans Singh, R/o H.No. 81, Phase-1, Urban Estate, Dugri, Ludhiana

.....Appellant

V/s.

**Public Information Officer**, **O/o** Secretary, Department of School Education, Pb., Mohali.

### First Appellate Authority:

O/o Secretary, Education, Pb., Mohali.

.....Respondent

### **Appeal Case No. 4789 of 2021**

Present: (i) None is present on behalf of the appellant

(ii) For the respondent: Sh. Bimla Maan, Suptd.-cum-PIO (9877216327), Sh. Pritpal

Singh, Sr. Assistant (9878640131)

#### **ORDER**

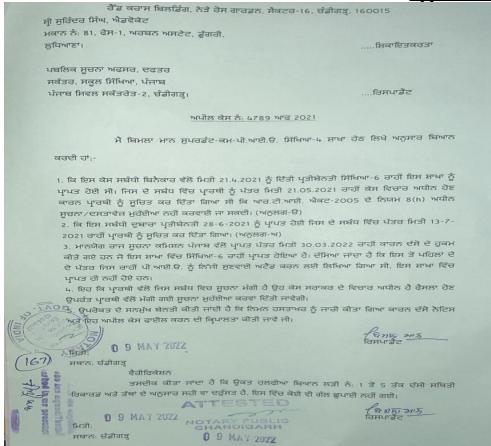
This order may be read with reference to the previous order passed by the Commission vide which a show cause notice was issued to the respondent-PIO.

- 2. Today the appellant is absent. He has informed on phone that he is unable to attend today's hearing. He has also sent his submission via mail, the same is taken on record.
- 3. The respondent has filed his reply alongwith reply of show cause notice issued to the respondent.
- 4. The reply filed by the respondent is as under:-

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**Appeal Case No. 4789 of 2021** 



5. In view of the above reply filed by the respondent appears to be convincing. Respondent has also filed the reply of show cause notice issued to him. Keeping in view all the facts mentioned in the reply the show cause notice is hereby dropped, hence no further cause of action is left. Therefore the above said appeal case filed by the appellant is **disposed of and closed.** However, the respondent is directed to provide complete information to the appellant as soon as the enquiry is finalized. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Dated: 09.05.2022 (Amrit Partap Singh Sekhon)
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Sh Tejinder Singh, Advocate Civil Courts, Tehsil Complex, Backside Sanjh Kendra, Phillaur-144410 (9041004313)

.....Appellant

**Public Information Officer,** 

O/o Principal Secretary, Finance Department. Punjab, Chandigarh

First Appellate Authority

O/o Principal Secretary, Finance Department. Punjab, Chandigarh

.....Respondent

### AC No. 4841 of 2021

..Vs

Present:

- (i) None is present on behalf of the appellant
- (ii) For the respondent: Sh. Gurbax singh, Draftsman-cum-APIO (9878890392), Smt. Bharti, Sr. Assistant (9646410148) and Smt. Rajbir Kaur, Suptd. (8054198250)

#### **ORDER**

This order may be read with reference to the previous order passed by the Commission.

- 2. The appellant is absent today.
- 3. The respondent states that the information, as exists, in the record has already been provided to the appellant.
- 4. The perusal of the file shows that the appellant is absent for second consecutive hearing without any intimation. The respondent states that the information has already been sent to the appellant. Hence it is presumed that the appellant is satisfied with the information provided by the respondent.
- 5. Accordingly, the appeal case filed by the appellant is **disposed of and closed**. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

(Amrit Partap Singh Sekhon) **State Information Commissioner** Punjab

Dated: 09.05.2022