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Shri Rohit Sabharwal
Kundan Bhawan,
#126, Model Gram,
Ludhiana.

.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer
O/o Municipal Corporation
Zone-A, Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority
O/o The Commissioner,
Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana.

....Respondents

AC No.4189 of 2019

Present: (i) **Appellant - absent**
(ii) **Shri Ajay Kumar, Building Inspector, O/o Municipal Corporation Zone-A,
Ludhiana, on behalf of the PIO.**

ORDER:

(Heard through Video Conferencing/On Mobile Phone)

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 14.09.2020 passed by the Bench on the previous hearing.
2. The case has been heard today through V.C. in D.C. Office, Ludhiana.
3. The appellant has not come present today to attend the hearing through V.C. in D.C. Office, Ludhiana.
4. Shri Ajay Kumar, Building Inspector comes present to attend the hearing through V.C. Shri Ajay Kumar, representative of PIO states that the information has been supplied vide letter dated 06.11.2020 by speed post. He further states that reply to show cause notice has also been sent on 06.11.2020, however, the affidavit is yet to be filed.
5. The appellant is absent. His representative Ms. Sukhjinder Kaur is contacted on mobile phone. She states that she has sent her submissions by e.mail in this regard and states that some of the documents supplied are not legible.
6. Post deliberations, the representative of the PIO are directed to again send legible photocopies of the information to the appellant within next seven days. However, the requirement of filing affidavit is dispensed with as the representative of appellant does not press for the requirement of the same.
6. With the aforesaid directions, **the appeal case is disposed off and closed.** Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

**Chandigarh
09.11.2020**

Sd/-
**(Lt Gen Ajae Kumar Sharma(Retd.))
State Information Commissioner, Punjab**

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Shri Devi Dayal
S/o Late Sh.Hari Ram Sharma,
Village Harna, PO Buras
Tehsil & Distt. Fatehgarh Sahib.

.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer
O/o The District Commander,
Punjab Home Guards, Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority
O/o The Deputy Commandant General,
P.H.G., Sector-17, Chandigarh..

....Respondents

AC No.1963 of 2020

Present: (i) **Shri Devi Dayal, Appellant**
(ii) **Shri Rupinder Singh, Civil Defence Instructor, O/o District Commander, Punjab Home Guards, Ludhiana, on behalf of the PIO.**

ORDER:

(Heard through Video Conferencing)

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 14-09.2020 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.
2. The case has been heard today through V.C. in the office of D.C. Fatehgarh Sahib. Shri Devi Dayal, appellant comes present to attend the hearing through V.C. He states that he has received information which is fabricated and not correct.
3. Shri Rupinder Singh, Civil Defence Instructor, O/o District Commandant, Punjab Home Guards, Ludhiana comes present to attend the hearing through V.C. in D.C. Office, Ludhiana. He states that the information has been supplied to the appellant vide letter dated 19.10.2020 as per existing official records.
4. The appellant, however, expresses his concern and observes that information has been created and is not correct
5. Post deliberations, the representative of the PIO explains that Shri Sarabjit Singh, Company Commandant is posted in the Police Station and the details regarding his attendance are being maintained and have been given by the Police Station concerned. The information has not been created and is as per existing official records. Post deliberations, the PIO is directed to file an affidavit, within seven days, duly signed by the PIO and attested by the Notary Public to the effect that the information as available in the official



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records in AC No.1963/2020 has been supplied to the appellant and the information given is factually correct. It be further stated that nothing has been concealed and the statement made is correct and authentic. The original copy of the affidavit be sent to the appellant and photocopy of the same be sent to the Commission for record.

6. With the aforesaid directions, **the appeal case is disposed off and closed**. Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

**Chandigarh
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Shri Jai Chand (Retd.)
H No.3/130, Street Nop.1,
Ram Sharnam Colony,
Fazilka-141001.

.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o Punjab Ex-Servicemen Corporation,
SCO No.89-90, Sector-34A,
Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Punjab Ex-Servicemen Corporation,
SCO No.89-90, Sector-34A,
Chandigarh.

....Respondents

AC No.2201 of 2020

Present: (i) **Shri Jai Chand, Appellant**
(ii) **Col. J.S. Sahi, PIO, Punjab Ex-Servicemen Corporation, Sector-34, Chandigarh in person before the Bench.**

ORDER:

(Heard through Video Conferencing)

1. The RTI application is dated 27.05.2020 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 06.07.2020 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 18.08.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).
2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 09.11.2020 by the Commission through Video Conferencing facility in the office of D.C. Fazilka.
3. Shri Jai Chand, appellant attends the hearing through V.C. in DC Office, Fazilka. He states that he has been supplied only partial information. He further states that he has not been given copy of the terms & conditions along with his appointment letter. He has also not received any inputs on action taken on the complaint made by him to the Chairman, PESCO against an incident in PSPCL.
4. Col. J.S. Sahi, PIO, PESCO, Chandigarh comes present before the Bench in person for the hearing. He states that the information has been supplied to the appellant vide letter dated 23.10.2020. With



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regard to the queries of appellant, he states that the appellant is working on contract basis with PSPCL and this organization is not under the control of PESCO and as such, no action can be taken on the complaint made by the appellant. The complaint has to be addressed by the Department to which it is related. As regards copy of terms & conditions of appointment of the appellant, it is a matter between PESCO and PSCPCL and as such, the same cannot be shared with the appellant.

5. On perusal of the information supplied and post deliberations on the case with the appellant, the Bench directs the PIO to make available copy of terms and conditions of the appointment of the appellant as also to file an affidavit within 15 days, duly signed by the PIO and attested by the Notary Public to the effect that the information as available in the official records in AC No.2201 of 2020 has been supplied to the appellant. It be further stated therein that the PSPCL with which the appellant has been working on contract basis, is not under the control of PESCO and as such, no action can be taken on his complaint. It be also stated that the statement made is correct and authentic. Original copy of affidavit be sent to the appellant and photocopy of the same be sent to the Commission for record.

7. With the aforesaid directions, **the appeal case is disposed off and closed.** Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

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Shri Shakti Bhushan
S/o Shri Kewal Krishan Kaushal,
R/o Street Bhaini Sahib,
Ward No.8, Danola,
District Barnala.

.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer
O/o Addl. Transport Commissioner,
Punjab, Sector-17, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority
O/o State Transport Commissioner,
Punjab, Chandigarh.

....Respondents

AC No.2145 of 2020

Present: (i) **Appellant- absent.**
(ii) **Shri Piara Singh, ATO/ PIO, O/o S.T.C. Punjab, Chandigarh**
in person before the Bench.

ORDER:

(Heard on Mobile Phone)

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 14.09.2020 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.
2. The case has been heard today through V.C. in the office of D.C. Barnala. Shri Shakti Bhushan, appellant has not come present to attend the hearing through V.C.
3. Shri Piara Singh, PIO O/o S.T.C. Punjab, Chandigarh comes present and produces before the Bench letter dated 09.11.2020 addressed to the appellant and also states that the information supplied will be sent to the appellant through e.mail to the appellant today itself.
4. Since the appellant is absent, he is contacted on mobile phone. He is apprised of the information brought by the PIO with him to be supplied to him. Then he is made to talk to the PIO. The PIO explains to him the information provided and enquires from the appellant his e.mail Id. to enable him to send the information on e.mail also.
5. Post deliberations, the PIO is directed to send the information to the appellant by regd. post as also by e.mail on priority.



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6. With the aforesaid directions, **the appeal case is disposed off and closed. Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.** Copy of the letter dated 09.11.2020 be also sent to the appellant along with the order.

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09.11. 2020**

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Shri Manpreet Singh,
S/o Shri Joginder Singh
R/o Pakho, Basti Sahina,
Tehsil Tapa, Distt. Barnala.

.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o Regional Transport Authority,
Moga.

First Appellate Authority-cum-

O/o Regional Transport Authority,
Moga.

....Respondents

AC No.1172 of 2020

Present: (i) Appellant - absent
(ii) None on behalf of the PIO.

ORDER:

(Heard on Mobile Phone)

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 08.09.2020 passed by this Bench on the previous date of hearing.
2. The case has been heard today through V.C. in D.C. Office, Moga. Shri Manpreet Singh, appellant has not come present to attend the hearing through V.C.
3. Neither the PIO has come present nor has deputed any official to attend the hearing on her behalf. The PIO Smt. Usha Rani is contacted on mobile phone. She states that the appellant has already been supplied information vide their office letters dated 10.08.202 and letter 02.09.2020 and he has been again informed vide letter dated 02.11.2020 that apart from the information supplied, no other information relating to Vehicle Registration No.PB-29-AB-9839 is available in their office records.
4. Since the appellant is absent for today's hearing, he is contacted on mobile phone. He is apprised of the statement made by the PIO.
5. Post deliberations, the Bench directs the PIO to file an affidavit duly signed by the PIO and attested by the Notary Public to the effect that the information as available in the official records in AC No.1172 of 2020 has been supplied to the appellant and apart from the information supplied to him, nothing beyond that is available in the official records. It be further stated that nothing has been concealed therein and that the statement made is correct and authentic. Original affidavit be sent to the appellant within next 15 days and photocopy of the same be sent to the Commission for record.

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6. With the aforesaid directions, **the appeal case is disposed off and closed.** Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

**Chandigarh
09.11.2020**

**Sd/-
(Lt Gen Ajae Kumar Sharma,(Retd))
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