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Versus

Public Information Officer O/o State Transport Commissioner, Pb., Chandigarh.

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

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 5389 of 2021 Through CISCO WEBEX

Present: Appellant - Sh. Jasbir Singh Respondent: Ms. Kulwinder Kaur (PIO –cum- Superintendent).

ORDER:

- 1. This order may be read with the reference with the previous order dated 21.07.2022.
- 2. In today's hearing both the parties are present.
- 3. The appellant states that he is satisfied with the supplied information and further requests to close his instant case.
- 4. As the appellant is satisfied with the supplied information. Therefore, no further cause of action is required in this case. Hence, this instant appeal case is **disposed of & closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated: 10.08.2022

(Anumit Singh Sodhi) State Information Commissioner Punjab



Appellant

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Public Information Officer O/o Secretary, Regional Transport Authority, Ferozepur.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Secretary, Regional Transport Authority, Ferozepur.

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 5010 of 2021 Through CISCO WEBEX

Versus

Present: Appellant - Sh. Jasbir Singh Respondent: Sh. Neeraj (Clerk).

ORDER:

- The RTI application is dated 02.08.2021 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 04.09.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 01.11.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 13.07.2022 but it was postponed and the hearing was fixed for today i.e. 10.08.2022 through Cisco Webex.
- 2. In today's hearing both the parties are present.
- 3. The appellant states that he is satisfied with the supplied information and further requests to close his instant case.
- 4. As the appellant is satisfied with the supplied information. Therefore, no further cause of action is required in this case. Hence, this instant appeal case is **disposed of & closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated: 10.08.2022

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Appellant

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Public Information Officer

O/o Secretary, Regional Transport Authority, Gurdaspur.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Secretary, Regional Transport Authority, Gurdaspur.

Appeal Case No.: 5383 of 2021 Through CISCO WEBEX

Versus

Present: Appellant - Sh. Jasbir Singh Respondent: Sh. Gurpreet Singh (Clerk).

ORDER:

- 1. This order may be read with the reference with the previous order dated 21.07.2022.
- 2. In today's hearing both the parties are present.
- 3. The appellant states that he is satisfied with the supplied information and further requests for closing his case.
- 4. The respondent states that the information has already been supplied to the appellant by hand on 21.07.2022.
- 5. As the appellant is satisfied with the supplied information. Therefore, no further cause of action is required in this case. Hence, this instant appeal case is **disposed of & closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated: 10.08.2022

(Anumit Singh Sodhi) State Information Commissioner Punjab

Appellant



Sh. Manjit Singh alias Kuku (7696018699) s/o Sh. Mahinder Singh, R/o Mohalla, Near Bada Gurudwara, Sunam, Distt. Sangrur

Versus

Public Information Officer O/o Secy.,Regional Transport Authority, Patiala

First Appellate Authority

O/o Secy., Regional Transport Authority, Patiala

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 5035 of 2021 Through CISCO WEBEX

Present: None present.

ORDER:

- The RTI application is dated 13.03.2021 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 11.05.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 03.11.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 13.07.2021 but was postponed and the hearing was fixed for today i.e. 10.08.2022.
- 2. In today's hearing both the parties are absent despite being aware about the date of hearing, which shows no regard to the Notice of Commission.
- 3. Appellant is absent despite being aware about the date of hearing, which means he has nothing to say in this regard. It is presumed that he does not want to pursue this case further, as no communication is received from the appellant after issuing the Notice of hearing by the Commission.
- 4. An email dated 20.05.2022 from the department has been received to the bench of undersigned which is taken on record.
- 5. In wake of above, no further cause of action is required. Hence, this instant case stands **disposed of/closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated: 10.08.2022



Sh. Manjinder Singh (9872015069)

2469, Sunny Enclave, Sector 125, Kharar, Distt. Mohali 140301.

Public Information Officer O/o Secy., Regional Transport, Hoshiarpur.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Secy., Regional Transport , Hoshiarpur

Appeal Case No.: 385 of 2022

Versus

Through CISCO WEBEX

Present: Appellant - Sh. Manjinder Singh in person Respondent: Sh. Surinder Bhandari (PIO).

ORDER:

- The RTI application is dated 25.06.2021 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 08.09.2021 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). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 10.08.2022 at 11.00 am.
- 2. In today's hearing, both the parties are present. Appellant states that requisite information has been supplied to him at his whatsapp number yesterday (09.08.2022) and respondent, Sh. Surinder Bhandari states that hard copy of the same had also been sent to the appellant through registered post on 09.08.2022 after receiving it from the concerned office, which will be received by the appellant soon. He further mentions about an email dated 09.08.2022 which has been sent to the Commission and is taken on record.
- 3. Respondent PIO make sure that registry received to the appellant within ten days from today or supply the information by hand to the appellant under intimation to the Commission.
- 4. After discussing with both the parties, appellant agree to close the case on the above mentioned directions. Therefore, no further cause of action is required. Hence, this case stands **disposed of/closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated: 10.08.2022

(Anumit Singh Sodhi) State Information Commissioner Punjab

Appellant



Sh. Vapinderpal Singh (9877059890) s/o Sh. Bhola Singh, R/o Near Tractor Mandi, Rori Road, Talwandi Saboo, Distt. Bathinda.

Versus

Public Information Officer O/o EO, Nagar Panchayat, Talwandi Saboo, Distt. Bathinda.

First Appellate Authority O/o A.D.C(Urban Dev.), Bathinda

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 490 of 2022 Through CISCO WEBEX

Present: None present.

ORDER:

- The RTI application is dated 28.07.2021 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 30.09.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 13.01.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 10.08.2022 at 11.00 a.m.
- 2. In today's hearing both the parties are absent despite being aware about the date of hearing, which shows no regard to the Notice of Commission.
- 3. Appellant is absent despite being aware about the date of hearing, which means he has nothing to say in this regard. It is presumed that he does not want to pursue this case further, as no communication is received from the appellant after issuing the Notice of hearing by the Commission.
- 4. In wake of above, no further cause of action is required. Hence, this instant case stands **disposed of/closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated: 10.08.2022

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Sh. Rakesh Kumar (9464659816) # 2469, Sunny Enclave, Sector 125, Kharar,

Versus

Public Information Officer O/o Tehsildar, Budhlada, Distt. Mansa

First Appellate Authority O/o D.C., Mansa

Distt. Mohali 140301.

Appeal Case No.: 414 of 2022 Through CISCO WEBEX

Present: Appellant: Absent. Respondent: Sh. Manoj Kumar, Senior Assistant

ORDER:

- The RTI application is dated 10.04.2021 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 30.06.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 13.01.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 10.08.2022 at 11.00 a.m.
- 2. In today's hearing the Senior Assistant, Sh. Manoj Kumar states that the information has already been supplied to the Appellant on 17.03.2022 and further mentions about a letter dated 25.04.2022, which has been sent to the Commission and is taken on record.
- 3. Appellant is absent despite being aware about the date of hearing, which means he has nothing to say in this regard. Even the several calls have been made to the Appellant during the hearing but there is no response from the Appellant's side. It is presumed that he does not want to pursue this case further, as no communication/deficiency is received from the appellant after issuing the Notice of hearing by the Commission even by the respondent PIO after sending the information on 17.03.2022.
- 4. In wake of above, no further cause of action is required. Hence, this instant case stands **disposed of/closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated: 10.08.2022

(Anumit Singh Sodhi) State Information Commissioner Punjab



Appellant

Sh. Madan Lal (98723-67068)

Appellant

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S/o Sh. Om Prakash, Jain Niwas, MCB-Zone-2, H. No. 10803, Street No. 18, Parinda Road, 18, Guru Teg Bahadur Nagar, Bathinda.

Versus

Public Information Officer O/o M.C., Bathinda.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Commissioner, M.C., Bathinda.

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 4863 of 2021 Through CISCO WEBEX

Present: Appellant: Absent.

Respondent: Sh. Amardeep Singh, Superintendent

ORDER:

- The RTI application is dated 14.07.2021 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 14.08.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 25.10.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 07.07.2022 but was postponed and was fixed for today's hearing i.e. 10.08.2022 at 11.00 a.m.
- 2. In today's hearing the Superintendent, Sh. Amardeep Singh states that the information has already been supplied to the Appellant.
- 3. The Appellant, Sh. Madan Lal is absent but a call was made by the undersigned Bench for today's hearing while which the Appellant has confirmed that he has received the information and requesting to dispose this instant appeal case.
- 4. As the Appellant is satisfied, no further cause of action is required. Hence, this instant case stands **disposed of/closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated: 10.08.2022

Sh. Madan Lal (98723-67068)

S/o Sh. Om Prakash, Jain Niwas, MCB-Zone-2, H. No. 10803, Street No. 18, Parinda Road, 18, Guru Teg Bahadur Nagar, Bathinda.

Versus

Public Information Officer O/o M.C., Bathinda.

First Appellate Authority O/o Commissioner, M.C., Bathinda.

Respondent

Appellant

Appeal Case No.: 2377 of 2021 Through CISCO WEBEX

Present: Appellant: Absent.

Respondent: Sh. Amardeep Singh, Superintendent

ORDER:

- 1. This order may be read with the reference with the previous order dated 14.10.2021.
- 2. In today's hearing the Superintendent, Sh. Amardeep Singh states that the information has already been supplied to the Appellant.
- 3. The Appellant, Sh. Madan Lal is absent but a call was made by the undersigned Bench for today's hearing while which the Appellant has confirmed that he has received the information and requesting to dispose this instant appeal case.
- 4. As the Appellant is satisfied, no further cause of action is required. Hence, this instant case stands **disposed of/closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated: 10.08.2022



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Ms. Amanpreet Kaur (9464659816)

D/o Sh. Ranjeet Singh, H. No. 24, Village Thiriyewal, VPO Harpura, Dhandoi, Tehsil Batala, Gurdaspur (Pin: 143505)

Versus

Public Information Officer O/o Technical Education and Industrial Training Board, Sector 36, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Punjab State Board of Technical Education and Industrial Training, Govt. of Punjab, Chandigarh.

Appeal Case No.: 419 of 2022 Through CISCO WEBEX

Present: Appellant: Ms. Amanpreet Kaur is present .

Respondent: Ms. Rajni Deputy Director is present from the Department.

ORDER:

- The RTI application is dated 19.04.2021 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 20.05.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 13.01.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 10.08.2022 at 11.00 a.m.
- 2. In today's hearing the Appellant, Ms. Amanpreet Kaur states that no information has been supplied till date and she is not satisfied with the supplied reply. She adds that RTI application was not transferred in time under Section 6 (3) within the stipulated time period as per RTI Act, 2005.
- 3. The Deputy Director, Ms. Rajni Mahajan states that the reply in connection with RTI application was sent to the appellant by the earlier concerned Official Ms. Naresh Kamal on 10.09.2021 stating therein that information could not be supplied as it belongs to 5 different departments and the Appellant could collect the requisite information from the concerned PIO's of the concerned departments.
- 4. In view of above, the Appellant, Ms. Amanpreet Kaur is directed to file a fresh RTI to the respective PIOs' of the concerned department as each and every department has separate respondent PIO. It is observed that requisite information relate with more than one PIO. The undersigned Bench, as per observations made, is of the view that the appellant cannot seek information on single RTI application from multiple authorities. A full Bench of State Information Commission, Punjab in Complaint Case No. 2903 of 2011 has decided on 13.01.2012, which is as under:-

"We hold that under Section (3) of the Act ibid, the legal obligation of a PIO who receives a request for information under Section 6(1) of the Act is limited to transfer this request to only one public authority that holds the information. This obligation does not extend to transfer to multiple authorities.

The Bench advised the appellant to go for seeking information by filing RTI application before a specific public authority that has separate PIO.

5. In wake of above, no further cause of action is required. Hence, this case stands **disposed of/closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated: 10.08.2022

(Anumit Singh Sodhi) State Information Commissioner Punjab

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Sh. Rajinder Singh (9464863510)

S/o Sh. Jaspal Singh, VPO Amarpura, Tehsil Abohar, District Fazilka. (Pin: 152116).

Public Information Officer O/o Joint Secretary, PSEB, SAS Nagar (Mohali)

First Appellate Authority O/o Secretary, PSEB, SAS Nagar (Mohali)

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 946 of 2021 Through CISCO WEBEX

Versus

Present: Appellant - Sh. Rajinder Singh is present. Respondent: Ms. Rakesh Khullar (Superintendent – Affiliation Branch) is present from the Respondent / PIO.

ORDER:

- 1. This case may be read with the reference of the previous orders dated 07.07.2021 and 20.04.2022.
- 2. In today's hearing, appellant states that incomplete information has been supplied to him. He pointed out that affiliation performa and inspection performa is still to be supplied by the respondent PIO.
- 3. The Respondent / PIO, Ms. Rakesh Khullar states that the requisite information has already been supplied to the Appellant on 06.05.2022 via registered post. She also presents copy of the supplied information during the hearing before the Commission. After gone through the supplied information, it is clearly observed that affiliation performa and inspection performa had already been supplied. Nothing is left to be supplied. Apart from that, respondent PIO is advised to send affiliation performa and inspection performa again to the appellant through registered post within seven days from today, under intimation to the Commission.
- 4. With the aforesaid directions, no further cause of action is required. Therefore, this instant case stands **disposed of/closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated: 10.08.2022

(Anumit Singh Sodhi) State Information Commissioner Punjab



Appellant



Appellant

Sh. Punjab Singh (87259-35291) S/o Sh. Satnam Singh, Village Jiunpura, Tehsil Patran, District Patiala.

Versus

Public Information Officer O/o B.D. P.O., Patran.

First Appellate Authority O/o DDPO, Patiala.

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 630 of 2021 Through CISCO WEBEX

Present: Appellant: Absent.

Respondent: Ms. Amarjeet kaur (Sarpanch) (9592633005) along with Sh. Jasvir Singh (Junior Assistant) (8872342247) is present from the department.

ORDER:

- 1. This case may be read with the reference of the previous orders dated 06.05.2021, 22.07.2021, 19.10.2021, 28.04.2022, 26.05.2022 and 21.07.2022.
- 2. In today's hearing the Junior Assistant, Sh. Jasvir Singh states that the information has already been supplied to the Appellant and further mentions that the penalty amount Rs. 10,000/- (imposed vide orders dated 26.05.2022) has already been deposited and the proof of the same has been sent to the Commission vide letter number 515 dated 08.08.2022, which is taken on record.
- 3. The Appellant, Sh. Punjab Singh is absent but a call was made by the undersigned Bench for today's hearing while which the Appellant has confirmed that he has received the information and requesting to dispose this instant appeal case. An acknowledgement receipt vide email dated 10.08.2022 has also been sent to the Commission and is taken on record.
- 4. As the Appellant is satisfied and the penalty had already been deposited as per the directions of the Commission. Therefore, no further cause of action is required. Hence, this instant case stands **disposed of/closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated: 10.08.2022

Sh. Rajinder Kumar 9646126439)

H.No.31, A.K.S. Colony, Zirakpur, Distt. Mohali 140603.

Public Information Officer

Versus

O/o I.K. Gujral Pb,. Technical University, Jalandhar.

First Appellate Authority O/o Regisrar, I.K. Gujral Pb,. Technical University, Jalandhar

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 423 of 2022 Through CISCO WEBEX

Present:

Appellant - Sh. Rajinder Kumar at PSIC Office. Respondent: Sh. Sunil Kumar, Deputy Registrar (9478098039) is present from the Respondent / PIO.

ORDER:

1. 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) on 30.11.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 17.01.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 10.08.2022 at 11.00 a.m.

- 2. In today's hearing, Respondent / PIO, Sh. Sunil Kumar, Deputy Registrar states that the requisite information relates with the third party and the same has been informed to the Appellant on 28.01.2022.
- 3. The Appellant states that he is not satisfied with the supplied information.
- 4. After hearing both the parties and examining the available documents, it is observed that supplied reply is sufficient, as the requisite information is personal information and the same could not be supplied. Therefore, no further cause of action is required. Hence, this case stands **disposed of/closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated: 10.08.2022



Sh. Rajinder Kumar 9646126439) H.No.31, A.K.S. Colony,

Zirakpur, Distt. Mohali 140603.

Public Information Officer

Versus

O/o I.K. Gujral Pb,. Technical University, Jalandhar.

First Appellate Authority O/o Regisrar, I.K. Gujral Pb,. Technical University, Jalandhar

Respondent

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Appellant

Appeal Case No.: 424 of 2022 Through CISCO WEBEX

Appellant - Sh. Rajinder Kumar at PSIC Officet.

Respondent: Sh. Hardeep Singh Examination Controller is present from the Respondent / PIO.

ORDER:

Present:

- 1. The RTI application is dated 10.11.2021 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 01.12.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 17.01.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 10.08.2022 at 11.00 a.m.
- 2. In today's hearing, Respondent / PIO, Sh. Hardeep Singh states that reply had already been sent to the appellant.
- 3. The Appellant shows a reply filed by the department vide letter dated 28.01.2020 in which it has been motioned that the B.Sc(Correspondence), MCA (Correspondence) is not run by IKGPTU. He adds that he is not satisfied with the supplied reply.
- 4. After hearing both the parties and examining the available documents during the hearing, it is observed that supplied reply is satisfactory and, in case, appellant is not satisfied with this he can approach the appropriate forum for the same.
- 5. In wake of above, no further cause of action is required. Therefore, this instant case stands **disposed of/closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated: 10.08.2022



Sh. Surinderpal Singh (8686278000) S/o Sh. Babu Singh R/o 947, HIG, Jamalpur Colony, Ludhiana-141010

None present.

Versus

Public Information Officer O/o Secy., RTA Ludhiana

First Appellate Authority O/o Secy., RTA Ludhiana

Appeal Case No.: 5560 of 2021 Through CISCO WEBEX Respondent

Present: ORDER:

- 1. This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 26.07.2022.
- 2. In today's hearing, both the parties are absent despite being aware about the date of hearing, which shows appellant does not want to pursue this case further as no communication/correspondence is received from him after the previous order of the Commission dated 26.07.2022.
- 3. Respondent PIO also shows his irresponsible behaviour towards the orders of the Commission as a Public servant. He is advised to adhere to comply with the orders of the Commission in future.
- 4. With the aforesaid directions. This case stands **disposed of/closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated: 10.08.2022