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COMPLAINT CASE NO. 0013 OF 2021

Shri Ashwani Chawla, (9914405765) Bureau Chief, Sach Kahoon, R/o # 2872-B, Sector-42-C, Chandigarh.

...Complainant

Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o The Secretary, Subordinate Service Selection Board, Punjab, S.A.S. Nagar (Mohali).

...Respondent

HEARD THROUGH CISCO WEBEX/VC/TELEPHONE

Present None for the Complainant.

Shri Mohit, Sr. Assistant, on behalf of the Respondents.

ORDER

The Complainant demanded certain information as enumerated in RTI dated 04-09-2020, from the PIO. He filed his complaint in the Commission on 21-12-2020. Notice of hearing to both the parties was issued for 11-05-2021.

- The Respondent orally states that demanded information has already been supplied to the Complainant on 12.10.2020 and again on 23.11.2020.
- 3. The Complainant is absent today with no intimation to Commission. He is directed to be present on the next date of hearing to present his case accordingly.
- 4. The Respondent-PIO is directed to be present on the next date of hearing through CISCO WEBEX to present the case accordingly.
- 5. Adjourned and to come up on 29-07-2021 at 11.00AM for hearing through **CISCO WEBEX** meeting ID No.159 864 6555. Copies of order may be sent to the parties.

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COMPLAINT CASE NO. 0022 OF 2021

Shri Maninderjit Singh, (9815955201) S/o Sh. Swaran Singh, R/o # A-358, New Partap Nagar, Amritsar.

...Complainant

Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o Municipal Corporation, AMRITSAR.

...Respondent

HEARD THROUGH CISCO WEBEX/VC/TELEPHONE

Present Sh. Maninderjit Singh, the Complainant.

None for the Respondents.

ORDER

The Complainant demanded certain information as enumerated in RTI dated 19-03-2020 from the PIO. He filed his complaint in the Commission on 24-12-2020. Notice of hearing to both the parties was issued for 11-05-2021.

- 2. The Complainant orally states that the demanded information has not been supplied by the Respondents till date.
- 3. The Respondent PIO is absent today with no intimation to Commission. He is directed to submit his point-wise written submission by registered post in the Commission before the next date of hearing. He is further directed to be present personally for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on the next date of hearing failing which strict action will be taken against him under the provisions of RTI Act 2005.
- 4. Adjourned and to come up on **29-07-2021 at 11.00AM** for hearing through **CISCO WEBEX** meeting ID No.**159 864 6555**. Copies of order may be sent to the parties.

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APPEAL CASE NO. 0112 OF 2021

Shri Surinder Kumar, (9463165327) S/o Sh. Bhagwan Dass, R/o Ward No. 9, Tehsil Batala, FAtehgarh Churian, District Gurdaspur.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer.

O/o Vigilance Bureau, Punjab, Vigilance Bhawan, Sector-68, S.A.S. Nagar (Mohali).

First Appellate Authority

O/o The Director, Vigilance Bureau, Punjab, Vigilance Bhawan, Sector-68, S.A.S. Nagar (Mohali).

...Respondents

HEARD THROUGH CISCO WEBEX/VC/TELEPHONE

Present

Sh. Surinder Kumar, the Appellant.

S. Sukhmander Singh, Inspector, VB, for Respondents.

ORDER

The Appellant demanded certain information as enumerated in RTI dated 28-07-2020, from the PIO. He filed his 01st appeal with the First Appellant Authority on 24-09-2020 and he filed his 02nd Appeal in the Commission on 24-12-2020. Notice of hearing to both the parties was issued for 11-05-2021.

- 2. The Appellant orally states that no information has been provided by the Respondents till date.
- 3. The Respondent orally states that the Appellant has suitably been informed on 11-02-2021 that investigation in case of FIR No.20/2020 is under process. Therefore, the demanded information will be furnished to the appellant on completion of enquiry.
- 4. The Appellant orally states that the statement of the Respondent is incorrect. The Respondent-PIO is directed to submit point-wise written reply in the Commission before the next date of hearing. He is further directed to be present on the next date of hearing.
- 5. Adjourned and to come up on **20-07-2021 at 11.00AM** for hearing through **CISCO WEBEX** meeting ID No.**159 864 6555**. Copies of order may be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

(Hem Inder Singh)
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APPEAL CASE NO. 0114 OF 2021

Shri Tarlochan Singh, (9530643010) S/o Sh. Naranjan Singh, R/o Village & Post Office Hazara, Jalandhar-144025

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer.

O/o The Registrar of Firms & Societies, Punjab, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority

O/o The Director, Industries & Commerce, Punjab, Udyog Bhawan, Sector-17, Chandigarh.

...Respondents

HEARD THROUGH CISCO WEBEX/VC/TELEPHONE

Present None on behalf of both the parties.

ORDER

The Appellant demanded certain information as enumerated in RTI dated 30-07-2020, from the PIO. He filed his 01st appeal with the First Appellant Authority on 31-08-2020 and he filed his 02nd Appeal in the Commission on 24-12-2020. Notice of hearing to both the parties was issued for 11-05-2021.

- 2. The Respondent-PIO is absent today. However, a copy of letter No.RFS/RTI/5177, dated 23.07.2021 addressed to the Appellant is received in the Commission from the O/o Registrar of Firms and Societies, Punjab, stating therein that available information has already been furnished to the Appellant and the remaining information could not be provided as the very old record is not available in their record. The Respondent-PIO is directed to be present on the next date of hearing through CISCO WEBEX to present the case accordingly.
- 3. The Appellant is absent today. He is directed to be present on the next date of hearing through CISCO WEBEX to present his case.
- 4. Adjourned and to come up on **29-07-2021 at 11.00AM** for hearing through **CISCO WEBEX** meeting ID No.**159 864 6555**. Copies of order may be sent to the parties.

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APPEAL CASE NO. 0123 OF 2021

Shri Ajay Kumar Mehta, # C-118, East Mohan Nagar, (9814646309)

...Appellant

Chamrang Road, Amritsar.

Versus

Public Information Officer.

O/o The Senior Superintendent of Police, Vigilance Bureau, Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority

O/o The DGP, Vigilance Bureau, Punjab Vigilance Bhawan, Sector-68, S.A.S. Nagar (Mohali).

...Respondents

HEARD THROUGH CISCO WEBEX/VC/TELEPHONE

Present

Sh. Ajay Nand, the appellant.

Ms. Rupinder Kaur, ASI, VB, ASR & S. Harmander Singh, SI, VB, Mohali on

behalf of the Respondents.

ORDER

The Appellant demanded certain information as enumerated in RTI dated 02-09-2020. from the PIO. He filed his 01st appeal with the First Appellant Authority on 05-10-2020 and he filed his 02^{nd} Appeal in the Commission on 24-12-2020. Notice of hearing to both the parties was issued for 11-05-2021.

- 2. The Appellant orally states that the demanded information has not been supplied by the Respondents till date.
- 3. The Respondents orally state that the appellant has suitably been requested to specify the particular case of which the information is required by him. Therefore, the Appellant is directed to specify the particular case of which the information is required to Respondents by registered pot under intimation to Commission within 15 days. The Respondent-PIO is directed to supply the specified information by registered post to the Appellant with a copy to Commission before the next date of hearing failing which strict action will be taken against him.
- 4. Adjourned and to come up on 29-07-2021 at 11.00AM for hearing through CISCO WEBEX meeting ID No.159 864 6555. Both the parties are directed to be present on the next of hearing to present their case accordingly. Copies of order may be sent to the parties.

Sd/-(Hem Inder Singh) **State Information Commissioner**

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APPEAL CASE NO. 0124 OF 2021

Shri Ajay Kumar Mehta, # C-118, East Mohan Nagar, (9814646309)

Chamrang Road, Amritsar.

Versus

Public Information Officer.

O/o Senior Superintendent of Police. Vigilance Bureau, Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority

O/o DGP, Vigilance Bureau, Punjab Vigilance Bhawan, Sector-68, S.A.S. Nagar (Mohali).

...Respondents

...Appellant

HEARD THROUGH CISCO WEBEX/VC/TELEPHONE

Present

Sh. Ajay Nand, the appellant.

Ms. Rupinder Kaur, ASI, VB, ASR & S. Harmander Singh, SI, VB, Mohali on

behalf of the Respondents.

ORDER

The Appellant demanded certain information as enumerated in RTI dated 21-09-2020, from the PIO. He filed his 01st appeal with the First Appellant Authority on 04-11-2020 and he filed his 02nd Appeal in the Commission on 24-12-2020. Notice of hearing to both the parties was issued for 11-05-2021.

- 2. The Appellant orally states that the demanded information has not been supplied by the Respondents till date.
- 3. The Respondents orally say that investigation is pending and keeping in view that investigation / enquiry may not hamper, information at this stage cannot be provided to the Appellant. The Respondent-PIO O/o the SSP, Vigilance Bureau, Amritsar is directed to submit his written point-wise reply on the next date of hearing. He is further directed to be present personally on the next date of hearing through CISCO WEBEX to present the case failing which strict action under the provisions of the RTI Act 2005 will be taken against him.
- 4. Adjourned and to come up on 29-07-2021 at 11.00AM for hearing through CISCO WEBEX meeting ID No.159 864 6555. Both the parties are directed to be present on the next of hearing to present their case accordingly. Copies of order may be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

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APPEAL CASE NO. 0125 OF 2021

Shri Ajay Kumar Mehta, (9814646309) # C-118, East Mohan Nagar,

Chamrang Road, Amritsar.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer.

O/o Commissioner,

Municipal Corporation, AMRITSAR.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Commissioner,

Municipal Corporation, AMRITSAR.

...Respondents

HEARD THROUGH CISCO WEBEX/VC/TELEPHONE

Present Sh. Ajay Nand, the appellant

Shri Narinder Sharma, MTP-cum-PIO, for respondents

ORDER

The Appellant demanded certain information as enumerated in RTI dated 21-08-2020, from the PIO. He filed his 01st appeal with the First Appellant Authority on 05-10-2020 and he filed his 02nd Appeal in the Commission on 24-12-2020. Notice of hearing to both the parties was issued for 11-05-2021.

- 2. The Respondent orally says that the requisite information has already been supplied to the Appellant on 27-11-2020.
- 3. The Appellant orally states that he has not received the demanded information from the Respondents till date.
- 4. The Respondent is directed to again furnish the information by registered post and on email to the Appellant before the next date of hearing under intimation to the Commission.
- 5. Adjourned and to come up on **29-07-2021 at 11.00AM** for hearing through **CISCO WEBEX** meeting ID No.**159 864 6555**. Both the parties are directed to be present on the next of hearing to present their case accordingly. Copies of order may be sent to the parties.

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APPEAL CASE NO.1022 OF 2020

Shri Sukhwinder Singh

(9465650001)

Parents Association (Regd)

MACHHIWARA,

District Ludhiana.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer.

O/o The Secretary, School Education Department, Punjab, Punjab Civil Secretariat-II, Sector -9, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority

O/o The Secretary, School Education Department, Punjab, Punjab Civil Secretariat-II, Sector -9, Chandigarh.

...Respondents

HEARD THROUGH CISCO WEBEX - VC/TELEPHONE

PRESENT

None for the appellant.

Sh. Jaswinder Singh, Supdt-cum-PIO and Ms. Sonia Bali, Sr. Asstt-cum-APIO on behalf of both the parties.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 06-04-2021.

- 2. The Respondent-PIO orally states that requisite information has already been furnished to the Appellant by registered post. He further says that in pursuance of order of Commission on the previous date of hearing, the information has again been supplied to the Appellant on What'sApp and by registered post. He also says that reply of Show Cause Notice issued to him has been sent to Commission on 22.04.2021 requesting therein that Show Cause Notice may kindly be withdrawn.
- 4. The Appellant is absent today. He is directed to be present on the next date of hearing through Cisco Webex to present his case.

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- 5. The Respondent-PIO is directed to be present personally on the next date of hearing through Cisco Webex to present the case. Decision on dropping of Show Cause Notice issued to PIO will be taken later on.
- 6. The case is adjourned for hearing on **15-07-2021 at 11.00 AM** through CISCO WEBEX meeting **ID No.159 864 6555.** Copies of order be sent to parties.

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APPEAL CASE NO. 2420 OF 2020

Versus

Shri Varun Khanna, (9356242125) # 13, Ist Floor, Mahajan Market, Gali Acharjan, Near Karmon Deori, Amritsar-143001

...Appellant

Public Information Officer.

O/o The DPI (Secondary), Punjab, Shikhiya Bhawan, Phase-VIII, S.A.S. Nagar (Mohali).

First Appellate Authority

O/o The Secretary, School Education, Punjab, Punjba Civil Secretariat, Chandigarh.

...Respondents

HEARD Through CISCO WEBEX – VC/TELEPHONE

Sh. Varun Khanna, Appellant. **PRESENT**

Ms. Sonia, Sr. Assistant O/o School Education

Department (Education-3 Branch), on behalf of the Respondents.

ORDER:

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 06-04-2021.

- 2. The Appellant orally avers that information of point No.1 to 4 has been received. He further says that information of point No.5 & 6 is yet to be supplied by the Respondents.
- 3. The Respondent orally assures the Commission that remaining information will be supplied to the Appellant before the next date of hearing. The Respondent-PIO is directed to supply the remaining information to the appellant under intimation to Commission by registered post before the next date of hearing failing strict action under RTI Act 2005 will be taken against him.
- The case is adjourned to 15-07-2021 at 11:00 AM through CISCO WEBEX 4. MEETING ID No. 1598646555. Both the parties are directed to be present on the next date of hearing to present their case accordingly. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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APPEAL CASE NO. 3596 OF 2020

Shri Suresh Sharma, Social Worker (9855890233) R/o New Sharma Furniture House, Partap Bazar, CHHERATTA, AMRITSAR.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer.

O/o Municipal Corporation, AMRITSAR.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Municipal Corporation, AMRITSAR.

...Respondents

HEARD THROUGH CISCO WEBEX/VC/TELEPHONE

PRESENT Sh. Suresh Sharma, the appellant

None on behalf of the Respondents

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 17-02-2021.

- 2. The Appellant orally states that the sought for information has not been supplied by the Respondents till date.
- 3. The Respondent is absent for today's hearing However, on request of the respondent, the Commission had adjourned the case with direction to the Respondent-PIO to supply the information to the Appellant with a copy to Commission by registered post before the next date of hearing. It is observed that neither the Respondent-PIO has supplied the information to the Appellant nor deputed his representative to attend the hearing today. However, keeping in view the prevailing situation due to second wave of Covid-19 pandemic, last and final opportunity is afforded to the Respondent-PIO to supply the authenticated information to the Appellant within 15 days under intimation to the Commission failing which Show Cause Notice under the RTI Act 2005 will be issued to him. He is further directed to be present on the next date of hearing to present the case personally through Cisco Webex..
- 4. Adjourned and to come up on **15-07-2021 at 11.00AM** for further hearing **through CISCO WEBEX MEETING ID No. 159 864 6555.** Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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APPEAL CASE NO. 3598 OF 2020

Shri Suresh Sharma, Social Worker (9855890233) R/o New Sharma Furniture House, Partap Bazar, CHHERATTA, AMRITSAR.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer.

O/o Municipal Corporation, AMRITSAR.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Municipal Corporation, AMRITSAR.

...Respondents

HEARD THROUGH CISCO WEBEX/VC/TELEPHONE

PRESENT Sh. Suresh Sharma, the appellant

None on behalf of the Respondents

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 17-02-2021.

- 2. The Appellant orally states that the sought for information has not been supplied by the Respondents till date.
- 3. The Respondent is absent for today's hearing However, on request of the respondent, the Commission had adjourned the case with direction to the Respondent-PIO to supply the information to the Appellant with a copy to Commission by registered post before the next date of hearing. It is observed that neither the Respondent-PIO has supplied the information to the Appellant nor deputed his representative to attend the hearing today. However, keeping in view the prevailing situation due to second wave of Covid-19 pandemic, last and final opportunity is afforded to the Respondent-PIO to supply the authenticated information to the Appellant within 15 days under intimation to the Commission failing which Show Cause Notice under the RTI Act 2005 will be issued to him. He is further directed to be present on the next date of hearing to present the case personally through Cisco Webex..
- 4. Adjourned and to come up on **15-07-2021 at 11.00AM** for further hearing **through CISCO WEBEX MEETING ID No. 159 864 6555.** Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

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APPEAL CASE NO. 3628 OF 2020

Versus

Shri Suresh Sharma, Social Worker (9855890233) R/o New Sharma Furniture House, Partap Bazar, CHHERATTA, AMRITSAR...

...Appellant

Public Information Officer.

O/o Municipal Corporation, AMRITSAR.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Municipal Corporation, AMRITSAR.

...Respondents

HEARD THROUGH CISCO WEBEX/VC/TELEPHONE

PRESENT Sh. Suresh Sharma, the appellant

None on behalf of the Respondents

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 17-02-2021.

- 2. The Appellant orally states that the sought for information has not been supplied by the Respondents till date.
- 3. The Respondent-PIO is absent for the 02nd time consecutively. It is observed that neither the Respondent-PIO has supplied the information to the Appellant nor deputed his representative to attend the hearing today. However, keeping in view the prevailing situation due to second wave of Covid-19 pandemic, last and final opportunity is afforded to the Respondent-PIO to supply the authenticated information to the Appellant within 15 days under intimation to the Commission failing which Show Cause Notice under the RTI Act 2005 will be issued to him. He is further directed to be present on the next date of hearing to present the case personally through Cisco Webex.
- 4. Adjourned and to come up on **15-07-2021 at 11.00AM** for further hearing **through CISCO WEBEX MEETING ID No. 159 864 6555.** Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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APPEAL CASE NO. 3629 OF 2020

Versus

Shri Suresh Sharma, Social Worker (9855890233) R/o New Sharma Furniture House, Partap Bazar, CHHERATTA, AMRITSAR...

...Appellant

Public Information Officer.

O/o Municipal Corporation, AMRITSAR.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Municipal Corporation, AMRITSAR.

...Respondents

HEARD THROUGH CISCO WEBEX/VC/TELEPHONE

PRESENT Sh. Suresh Sharma, the appellant

None on behalf of the Respondents

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 17-02-2021.

- 2. The Appellant orally states that the sought for information has not been supplied by the Respondents till date.
- 3. The Respondent-PIO is absent for the 02nd time consecutively. It is observed that neither the Respondent-PIO has supplied the information to the Appellant nor deputed his representative to attend the hearing today. However, keeping in view the prevailing situation due to second wave of Covid-19 pandemic, last and final opportunity is afforded to the Respondent-PIO to supply the authenticated information to the Appellant within 15 days under intimation to the Commission failing which Show Cause Notice under the RTI Act 2005 will be issued to him. He is further directed to be present on the next date of hearing to present the case personally through Cisco Webex.
- 4. Adjourned and to come up on **15-07-2021 at 11.00AM** for further hearing **through CISCO WEBEX MEETING ID No. 159 864 6555.** Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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