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District- Ludhiana. 141101.	Appellant/Complainant
Versus	
Public Information Officer	Respondent

O/o Secretary, Home,

Punjab Secretariat, Sector-1, Chandigarh.

Public Information Officer,

O/o Senior Superintendent of Police (Rural), Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Secretary, Home, Punjab Secretariat, Sector-1, Chandigarh.

Appeal Case No.3392 of 2019

Present: Appellant: Absent

Respondent: Sh. Sarabiit Singh (DSP, Security Wing, APIO), 9501300140

ORDER:

- 1. This order may be read with the reference of previous order dated 19.05.2021 and 07.07.2021.
- 2. Appellant is absent. While he has informed the Commission of his inability to attend this hearing.
- 3. The Commission offers the respondent PIO another opportunity to comply with previous order of the Commission dated 19.05.2021 and furnish the information/reply requested by the appellant. Falling to this penal proceeding under Section 20 shall be initiated.
- 4. To come up on 18.01.2022 through Cisco Webex at 11:00 am.

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O/o Director General of Police, Punjab, Punjab Police Headquarters, Sector-9, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Director General of Police, Punjab, Punjab Police Headquarters, Sector-9, Chandigarh.

Appeal Case No.3393 of 2019

Present: Appellant: Absent

Respondent: Sh. Paramjit Singh (Suptd., DGP Office), 9417376989

ORDER:

- 1. This order may be read with the reference of previous order dated 19.05.2021 and 07.07.2021.
- **2.** Appellant **is absent.** While he has informed the Commission of his inability to attend this hearing.
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Daba Road, Ludhiana.

.....Appellant/Complainant

Public Information Officer

O/o Commissioner of Police,

Amritsar.

.....Respondent

Complaint Case No. 410 and 411 of 2020

Present: Appellant: Sh. Davinder Singh

Respondent: Sh. Surinder Singh (ASI), 80575800

Versus

ORDER:

1. This order may be read with the reference of previous order dated 19.05.2021 and 07.07.2021.

2. From a perusal of the relevant case records, it is noted that the Complainant is aggrieved with the fact that the desired information was not provided to him and further prayed to the Commission to direct the Respondent to supply the desired information as sought in the RTI application.

3. The Commission observed that there is complete negligence and laxity in the public authority in dealing with the RTI application. It is abundantly clear that such matters are being ignored and set aside without application of mind which reflects disrespect towards the RTI ACT, 2005 itself. The Commission expressed its displeasure on the casual and callous approach adopted by the respondent in responding to the RTI application. It was felt that the conduct of respondent was against the spirit of the RTI ACT, 2005 which was enacted to ensure greater transparency and effective access to the information.

DECISION:

4. Keeping in view the facts of the case and the submissions made by both the parties, the Commission while expressing its deep displeasure over the casual manner in dealing with the current RTI application, directs the respondent, furnish a considered response to the RTI application filled by the appellant. Falling to this penal proceeding under Section 20 shall be initiated.

5. To come up on **22.11.2021** through Cisco Webex at 11:00 am.

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5. To come up on 22.11.2021 through Cisco Webex at 11:00 am.

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Public Information Officer

O/o NagarPanchayat, Sri Chamkaur Sahib.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Deputy Director, Urban Local Bodies, Ludhiana.

Appeal Case No.311 of 2021

Present: Appellant: Absent

Respondent: Sh. Avtar Chand (EO), 9646107505

Sh. Harjeet Singh (Clerk), 9914229111

ORDER:

1. This order may be read with the reference of previous order dated 19.05.2021 and 07.07.2021.

- 2. As the appellant is absent today, the case is adjourned to date 18.01.2022 through Cisco Webex at 11:00 am.
- 3. Another opportunity is given to both the parties to present the case on next date of hearing positively, falling to which the case would be decided on merit basis.

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Chandigarh (Maninder Singh Patti)

Dated: 11.10.2021 State Information Commissioner, Pb.