

PUNJAB STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION

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Amarjit Singh Dhamotia,
Wistle Blower Social Worker,
Distt. President Ludhiana NCAG,
H.No.60-35-P-376-1, St. 8,
Maha Singh Nagar, PO Dhandari Kalan,
Ludhiana-141014.

Versus

Public Information Officer,
o/o Chairman, Punjab Pollution Control Board,
Vatawaran Bhawan, Nabha Road,
District Patiala.

First Appellate Authority,
o/o Chairman, Punjab Pollution Control Board,
Vatawaran Bhawan, Nabha Road,
District Patiala.

Appeal Case No. 1601 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)

PRESENT:

Amarjit Singh Dhamotia (Appellant) 98887-10031
Harpreet Singh, Assistant Environment Engineer, Ludhiana (for the Respondent) 79732-97473
Bachan Pal Singh, Assistant Environment Engineer, RO-1 (for the Respondent)
Amandeep Singh, Assistant Environment Engineer, (for the Respondent) 88722-22330

ORDER:

1. The RTI application is dated **13.2.2020** vide which the appellant has sought information **regarding showroom workshop service centers for cars under the jurisdiction of Municipal Corporation Ludhiana**, as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **13.3.2020** and second appeal was filed in the Commission on **18.6.2020** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. Notice was issued to the parties for first hearing in the Commission on **11.12.2020**.

2. Both parties are present through Video Conference Facility. The respondent PIO, represented by Harpreet Singh, Assistant Environment Engineer and Bachan Pal Singh, Assistant Environment Engineer stated that two separate replies were sent to the appellant vide letter No.3935 dated 10.6.2020 and letter No.522 dated 20.10.2020. In the second letter, the appellant was invited to inspect the official record on any working day between 9.00 AM to 5.00 PM.

3. The appellant however, says that he was not permitted to conduct any inspection when he visited the office of PPCB, Regional office-I. This Commission directs the respondent PIO, Regional Office-I to arrange for another inspection by the appellant after 2.30 P.M. on 16.12.2020.

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4. IMPORTANT! All documents / information supplied to appellants / complainants must mandatorily be attested as under:

Information supplied under the RTI Act, 2005

Signature of the PIO

Name of the PIO

Name of the Public Authority

Date

5. **Next hearing on 19.2.2021 at 12.00 pm through Video Conference.** (The appellant will attend the hearing at Deputy Commissioner office at Ludhiana and the respondent PIO will attend the hearing at Deputy Commissioner office at Patiala).

Sd/-
(ASIT JOLLY)
State Information Commissioner

Chandigarh
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Appeal Case No. 1814 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)

PRESENT:

Amarjit Singh Dhamotia (Appellant) 98887-10031
Harpreet Singh, Assistant Environment Engineer, Ludhiana (for the Respondent) 79732-97473
Bachan Pal Singh, Assistant Environment Engineer, RO-1 (for the Respondent)
Amandeep Singh, Assistant Environment Engineer, (for the Respondent) 88722-22330

ORDER:

1. The RTI application is dated **25.2.2020** vide which the appellant has sought information **regarding monitoring committee established by National Green Tribunal**, as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **8.5.2020** and second appeal was filed in the Commission on **7.7.2020** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. Notice was issued to the parties for first hearing in the Commission on **11.12.2020**.
2. Both parties are present through Video Conference Facility. The respondent PIO is represented by Amandeep Singh, Assistant Environment Engineer from RO-II, Harpreet Singh from RO-IV and Bachan Pal Singh from RO-I. The respondents have sent separate replies to the appellant, who is however, not satisfied with the information furnished thereon. This Commission advises the appellant to list the deficiencies pertaining to each Regional Office in a letter to the respondent PIO, with a copy to this Commission.
3. The respondents are directed to submit detailed point-wise replies along with the requested information to the appellant with a copy to this Commission before the next hearing.

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