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**Sh. Varinder Pal Singh (9888418070)**

S/o Sh. Manjinder Singh

R/o VPO Sahauli, Distt. Ludhiana

Complainant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**

O/o Director, Malout Institute of

Management Technology, Malout

Respondent

**Complaint Case No.: 40 of 2021**

**Through CISCO Webex**

Present:

(i) None on the behalf of the complainant.

(ii) For the respondent: Dr. Jeevanjyoti Maini (APIO) (9417941014)

**ORDER**

1. The above mentioned case earlier heard on 01.07.2021 vide which respondent pleaded that information being 3<sup>rd</sup> party which could not be provided to the appellant. He added that earlier another complaint case 104 of 2016 with the same nature of information was disposed of & closed by the Commission dated 25.05.2016 vide which the information has been denied by the Commission.

Complainant was not present for today's hearing but an email dated 30.06.2021 was received from the complainant stating that he was unable to attend today's hearing and requested for an adjournment. Request of the complainant was granted. Matter was fixed for further hearing on 22.09.2021, which was postponed and fixed for today i.e. 12.04.2022.

2. In today's hearing, respondent, Dr. Jeevanjyoti Maini states that reply has already been sent to the appellant stating that information could not be supplied to him as it is a third party information.
3. Complainant is absent despite being ware about the date of hearing. No communication is received from the complainant after the previous hearing held on 01.07.2021, ample time has elapsed, which means he has nothing to say in this regard.
4. In view of the observations noted above, the instant case is **disposed of**. Copies of this decision be sent to the parties.

**(Anumit Singh Sodhi)**

**State Information Commissioner**

**Punjab**

**Date: 12.04.2022**

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**Sh. Baldev Singh (9417831753)**

S/o Sh. Gurcharan Singh  
R/o Mastuana Road,  
Street No. 3, TalwandiSabbo,  
District Bathinda

Complainant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**

O/o DC, Bathinda

Respondent

**Complaint Case No.: 53 of 2021**  
**Through CISCO Webex**

Present: (i) Advocate, Sandeep Kumar Bansal on behalf of the complainant.  
(ii) For the respondent: Ms. Sujata (Principal) (700959532).

**ORDER**

1. The above mentioned case was earlier heard on 01.07.2021, it was observed that complete information is not exempted and respondent PIO was directed to go through the RTI application once again and supply the point-wise reply/information to the complainant. Matter was adjourned for further hearing on 22.09.2021 which was postponed and fixed for today i.e. 12.04.2022.
2. In today's hearing, appellant pointed out deficiency regarding point no. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 and respondent Ms. Sujata states that whatever information was possible, has already been supplied to the complainant. Nothing is left to be supplied.
3. After detailed deliberations, Ms. Sujata is directed to supply an affidavit in original to the complainant in connection with point no. mentioned in the para 2 of this order with a copy to the Commission as she explained during the hearing about log book, fuel bills etc.
4. In view of the observations noted above, the instant case is **disposed of**. Copies of this decision be sent to the parties.

**(Anumit Singh Sodhi)**  
**State Information Commissioner**  
**Punjab**

**Date: 12.04.2022**

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**Sh. Manjit Singh (8427498620)**

S/o Sh. Gurcharan Singh

Village Manemajra,

Tehsil Chamkaur Sahib, Distt. Ropar

Complainant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**

O/o General Manager,

Punjab Roadways, Pathankot

Respondent

**Complaint Case No.: 57 of 2021**

**Through CISCO Webex**

**Present:** None present.

**ORDER**

1. The above mentioned case was earlier heard on 01.07.2021 vide which complainant intimated the court that information with regard to point No.1 and 8 has been provided and rest points yet to be given.  
Respondent, Sh. Pardeep Kumar stated that company is not providing the required information even after issuing letters to the concerned office. The respondent PIO was directed to supply the reply/information to the complainant except point no. 1 and 8 of the RTI application. Matter was adjourned for further hearing on 22.09.2021 which was postponed and fixed for today.
2. In today's hearing, respondent PIO is not present but a letter no. 1077 dated 31.08.2021 (Commission's diary no. 24068 dated 25.10.2021) and an email dated 22.09.2021 are received by the undersigned Bench stating therein that information in connection with point no.3,4,5,6,7,8,9 and 11 is sent to the complainant on 31.08.2021 after collecting from the concerned company.
3. Complainant is absent despite being aware about the date of hearing. No communication is received from the complainant after the previous hearing held on 01.07.2021, ample time has elapsed, which means he has nothing to say in this regard. Calls were also made to him prior to hearing and during the hearing also but his number was continuously going on 'not reachable'.
4. In view of the observations noted above, the instant case is **disposed of**. Copies of this decision be sent to the parties.

**(Anumit Singh Sodhi)**

**State Information Commissioner**

**Punjab**

**Date: 12.04.2022**

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**Sh. Harmit Singh Reporter(9878691567)**

c/o Baba Bakala Finance Company,  
Phul Road, Rampura Phul,  
Bathinda

Appellant

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.: 1998 of 2021**  
**Through CISCO Webex**

**Present:**

- (i) Appellant: Absent.  
(ii) For the respondent: Sh. Harjit Singh (Clerk).

**ORDER**

1. The above mentioned case was earlier heard on 13.10.2021 vide which respondent Sh. Dharamveer Singh stated that appellant was called for the inspection of the official record on any working day but no response from the appellant till date. An email dated 13.10.2021 was also received from the respondent in this regard, which is on record. He was directed to send reply/information to the appellant within one week as per queries raised by appellant as per RTI Act, 2005.

Appellant was absent despite being aware about the date of hearing. Due to first hearing; one more opportunity was awarded to the appellant to represent this case on the next date of hearing, failing which case will be closed. Matter was adjourned for further hearing on 12.04.2022 i.e. today.

2. In today's hearing, respondent, Sh. Harjit Singh states that as per directions of the Commission dated 13.10.2021, reply on 24.03.2022 has already been sent to the appellant.
3. Appellant is continuously absent second time without any intimation to the Commission. He was also absent on the previous hearing held on 13.10.2021, which means he has nothing to say in this regard.
4. In view of the observations noted above, the instant case is **disposed of**. Copies of this decision be sent to the parties.

**(Anumit Singh Sodhi)**  
**State Information Commissioner**  
**Punjab**

**Date: 12.04.2022**

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**Sh. Rajinder Kumar (9872771117)**

Quarter No.35-L, ITI Stand Colony,  
Talwara, Tehsil Mukerian, Distt. Hoshiarpur 144216

Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**

O/o Principal, ITI, Talwara,  
Tehsil Mukerian, Distt. Hoshiarpur

**First Appellate Authority**

O/o Principal, ITI, Talwara,  
Tehsil Mukerian, Distt. Hoshiarpur

Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 2013 of 2021**

**Heard through CISCO WEBEX**

**Present:**

(i) Nobody on behalf of the appellant

(ii) For the respondent: Sh. Sushil Kumar (9417359695)

**Order:**

1. This order may be read with the previous order dated 13.10.2021 vide which appellant requested the Commission to direct the respondent PIO to supply the information with regard to retirement & extension date of Sh. Balwinder Singh, Dresser from the services of the department.

Respondent PIO was directed to supply copy of letter with regard to the retirement and extension before the next date of hearing positively. Both the parties are advised to represent this case in person on the next date of hearing, failing to which, appropriate order in their absence shall be passed. Matter was adjourned for further hearing on 12.04.2022 i.e. today.

2. In today's hearing, respondent, Sh. Sushil Kumar states that information (with regard to retirement & extension date of Sh. Balwinder Singh, Dresser from the services of the department) has already been sent to the appellant on 18.10.2021 as per the directions of the Commission vide order dated 13.10.2021. He adds that he will send a reply along with copy of the supplied information to the Commission via email after hearing will be over.
3. Appellant is absent despite being aware about the date of hearing. It is also observed that no communication is received from the appellant either for his absence or for deficiency in the supplied information, which means he has nothing to say in this regard.
4. In wake of above, no further cause of action is required. Therefore, this instant appeal case is **disposed of & closed** with the directions to the respondent PIO to send an email of the supplied information dated 18.10.2021 as per para 2 of this order. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

**Dated: 12.04.2022**

**(Anumit Singh Sodhi)  
State Information Commissioner  
Punjab**

**Note:**

After the hearing was over, an email dated 12.04.2022 is received from the respondent PIO comprising a reply vide letter no. 1183 dated 12.04.2022 along with supporting documents as per para 2 of this order, which is taken on record.

**Dated: 12.04.2022**

**(Anumit Singh Sodhi)  
State Information Commissioner  
Punjab**

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**Sh. Sandeep Singh (9041222236)**

C/o Chamber No. 736, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor,  
District Courts, Bathinda

Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**

O/o RTA, Bathinda

**First Appellate Authority**

O/o State Transport Commissioner Punjab,  
Sector-17, Chandigarh

Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 3847 of 2020**  
**Through CISCO WEBEX**

**Present:** (i) Nobody on behalf of the appellant.  
(ii) For the respondent: Sh. Mukesh (PIO).

**ORDER**

1. This order may be read with reference of the previous order of the Commission dated 27.10.2021 vide which both the parties were absent and matter was adjourned for further hearing on 12.04.2022 i.e. today with the opportunity to represent this case on the next date of hearing, failing which case will be decided in their absence.
2. In today's hearing, respondent, Sh. Mukesh states that a reply has already been sent to the Commission via an email dated 06.04.2022. He adds that appellant never appeared before the Commission as well as on the inspections fixed by the Commission at the respondent's office vide orders dated 27.04.2021, 23.06.2021 and 29.07.2021. He also added that the personal information also lies in the demanded information, which is not possible to supply to Adv. Varun Bansal as he is also a third party.
3. Appellant is continuously absent second time without any intimation to the Commission. He was also absent on the previous hearing held on 27.10.2021, which means he has nothing to say in this regard.
4. After examining the documents placed on record, I am of the considered view that no cause of action is required in this case at present; as appellant failed to represent this case twice (on the previous hearing held on 27.10.2021 and today itself). Appellant also not filed any communication regarding his absence or information, which means he does not want to pursue this case further.
5. If appellant, Sh. Sandeep Singh still wants to get the information then he is advised to visit the respondent's office in person along with self attested ID proof to collect the requisite information, within fifteen days after receipt of this order.
6. In view of the observations noted above, the instant case is **disposed of**. Copies of this decision be sent to the parties.

**Dated: 12.04.2022**

**(Anumit Singh Sodhi)**  
**State Information Commissioner**  
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**Sh. Davinder Singh (9872556357)**

S/o Sh. Balkar Singh,  
Vill. Adhiana, PO Machhiwara,  
Tehsil Samrala,  
Distt. Ludhiana.

Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**

O/o The Director of Factories, Punjab,  
Kirt Bhawan, Model Welfare Centre,  
Phase-10, Sector 64, Mohali.

**First Appellate Authority**

O/o Additional Chief Secretary  
Labour Department Pb,  
Mini Secretariat Punjab,  
Sector9-A, Chandigarh.

Respondent

**Appeal case No.: 1996 of 2021**  
**Through CISCO WEBEX**

**Present:** (i) Nobody on behalf of the appellant.  
(ii) For the respondent: Sh. Narinder Singh .

**ORDER**

1. This order may be read with reference of the previous order of the Commission dated 17.03.2022 vide which, respondent, Sh. Narinder Singh stated that information has already been sent to the appellant on 30.01.2022. Apart from this, respondent PIO was again directed to comply with the previous order passed by the then Ld. SIC, Sh. Hem Inder Singh on 02.09.2021. Matter was adjourned for further hearing on 12.04.2022.
2. In today's hearing, respondent, Sh. Narinder Kumar states that information has already been sent to the appellant twice through registered post on 30.01.2022 and 25.03.2022; as per the directions of the Commission vide orders dated 02.09.2021 and 17.03.2022.
3. Appellant is continuously absent second time without any intimation to the Commission. He was also absent on the previous hearing held on 17.03.2022, which means he has nothing to say in this regard.
4. After examining the documents placed on record, I am of the considered view that no cause of action is required in this case at present; as appellant failed to represent this case twice (on the previous hearing held on 17.03.2022 and today itself). Appellant is failed communicate his absence or information, which means he does not want to pursue this case further.
5. In view of the observations noted above, the instant case is **disposed of**. Copies of this decision be sent to the parties.

**Dated: 12.04.2022**

**(Anumit Singh Sodhi)**  
**State Information Commissioner**  
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**Sh. Manjinder Singh (9872015069)**

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

Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**

O/o Secy., Regional Transport Authority,  
Jalandhar

**First Appellate Authority**

O/o State Transport Commissioner, Pb,  
Chandigarh

Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 1890 of 2021**

**Through CISCO WEBEX**

**Present:**

- (i) Sh. Manjinder Singh, the appellant.
- (ii) Nobody on behalf of the respondent.

**ORDER:**

1. The above mentioned case was earlier heard on 24.03.2022 vide which appellant stated that the information with regard to point(s) 2 & 3 has been denied stating that the information relates to the 3<sup>rd</sup> party.

The Commission took suo moto cognizance of the situation ordered that the respondent PIO may ensure inspection of the record once and supply the identified information to the appellant. It was also ordered that respondent be present personally on the next date of hearing and matter was adjourned for further hearing on 12.04.2022 i.e. today.

2. In today's hearing, respondent PIO is absent. Appellant states that he is satisfied with the supplied information and has no objection to close this case.
3. In wake of above, no further cause of action is required. Therefore, this instant appeal case is **disposed of & closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

**Dated: 12.04.2022**

**(Anumit Singh Sodhi)  
State Information Commissioner  
Punjab**