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V/s



Sarabjeet Singh Gill, House no. 60-35-P-376-1, Street No. 8, Maha Singh Nagar, P.O. - Dhandari Kalan, Ludhiana-141014 (Punjab)

...Appellant

Public Information Officer, O/o The Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Zone – D, Ludhiana(Punjab)

First Appellate Authority, O/o The Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana (Punjab)

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 395 of 2020

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.

ORDER

Heard through facility of Software/application 'CISCO Webex Meetings'. The RTI request is dated 29.10.2019. First appeal is dated 02.12.2019. Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 21.01.2020.

Ms. Rajvir Kaur, Building Inspector, Zone – D, on behalf of the respondent.

On the last date of hearing, held on 11.01.2021, the respondent PIO concerned was directed to facilitate the appellant to inspect the relevant official record on 05.02.2021 at 11:00 A. M. so that he could identify the required information. The respondent-PIO concerned was directed to supply the required information, which would be identified by the appellant after inspection, to him.

Ms. Rajvir Kaur, Building Inspector, Zone – D, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, states that the appellant has not visited the office on the fixed date i. e. 05.02.2021 to identify the required information. She also intimates the Commission that a reply has also been sent to the Commission vide letter no. 456 dated 22.02.2021, which has been received in the Commission vide Diary No. 4712 dated 02.03.2021. It is taken on record.

In today's hearing, Sh. Gurmej Lal, appeared on behalf of the appellant, Sh. Sarabjeet Singh Gill to represent the case despite the fact that several opportunities were given to the appellant (himself) to appear personally during the proceedings of the Court, hence, presence of Sh. Gurmej Lal in today's hearing is not acceptable.

As the appellant (himself) did not visit the office of the respondent to inspect the relevant official record on the fixed date despite the fact that directions were given the appellant, clearly mentioning that if the appellant would not visit the office of the respondent PIO on the fixed date to inspect the relevant official record, the case would be decided on merits. He (the appellant) himself is also absent from today's hearing without any intimation to the Commission. He has also not approached the Commission with any claim, which sounds that the appellant is not interested in pursuing the instant appeal-case further.

In view all of the above, the case is announced as <u>disposed of and closed</u>. Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

(Sanjiv Garg) Date :12th May, 2021 State Information Commissioner Punjab Note : Install → CISCO WEBEX Meetings → Click on Join Meeting → Enter Meeting Code ID No. i. e. is '1589136034' PUNJAB STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION RED CROSS BUILDING, MADHYA MARG, SECTOR 16, CHANDIGARH Fax 0172-2864110 Phone No-0172-2864120 Email: <u>psicsic31@punjabmail.gov.in</u> Visit us - <u>www.infocommpunjab.com</u> <u>Bench: Sh. Sanjiv Garg, State Information Commissioner, Punjab</u>



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First Appellate Authority, O/o The Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana (Punjab)

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 397 of 2020

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.

ORDER

Ms. Kashish Garg, Building Inspector, Zone – C, on behalf of the respondent.

Heard through facility of Software/application 'CISCO Webex Meetings'.

The RTI request is dated 31.10.2019. First appeal is dated 02.12.2019. Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 21.01.2020.

On the last date of hearing, held on 11.01.2021, an opportunity was given to the appellant to visit the office of the respondent PIO today itself i. e. 11.01.2021 at 03:00 P. M. to collect the required information. The respondent PIO concerned was directed to supply the required information to the appellant during his visit today itself i. e. 11.01.2021 at 03:00 P. M.

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Ms. Kashish Garg, Building Inspector, Zone – C, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, states that the appellant has visited the office on the fixed date to inspect the official record and the required information was supplied to the appellant. She also intimates the Commission that a reply has also been sent to the Commission vide letter dated 11.01.2021, which has been received in the Commission through an e-mail, appended to which is a note dated 11.01.2021, signed by the appellant as an acknowledgement of having received the requisite information, through which he claimed that he has received the information and asked for filing of his case. It is taken on record

Since the information stands supplied in the instant appeal case and no cause of action is left in this case, hence, the case is announced as <u>disposed of and closed</u>.

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First Appellate Authority, O/o The Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana (Punjab)

ORDER

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 398 of 2020

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.

Ms. Rajvir Kaur, Building Inspector, Zone – D, on behalf of the respondent.

Heard through facility of Software/application 'CISCO Webex Meetings'.

The RTI request is dated 29.10.2019. First appeal is dated 02.12.2019. Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 21.01.2020.

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Ms. Rajvir Kaur, Building Inspector, Zone – D, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, states that the appellant has not visited the office on the fixed date i. e. 05.02.2021 to identify the required information. She also intimates the Commission that a reply has also been sent to the Commission vide letter no. 457 dated 22.02.2021, which has been received in the Commission vide Diary No. 4713 dated 02.03.2021. It is taken on record.

In today's hearing, Sh. Gurmej Lal, appeared on behalf of the appellant, Sh. Sarabjeet Singh Gill to represent the case despite the fact that several opportunities were given to the appellant (himself) to appear personally during the proceedings of the Court, hence, presence of Sh. Gurmej Lal in today's hearing is not acceptable.

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