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<b>(Regd. Post)</b>	<b>Ms. Shivani (Advocate)</b> D/o Sh. Raj Kumar R/o House No. 89, Ward No. 10, Mohalla Katehra, Bassi Pathana, Fatehgarh Sahib, punjab	Versus	Appellant/Complainant
<b>(Regd. Post)</b>	<b>Public Information Officer</b> O/o District Bar Association Lawyer's Chambers Complex, District Court Complex, Fatehgarh Sahib-140412		
<b>(Regd. Post)</b>	<b>Sh. Tajinder Singh Dhiman (President) (M-9815087110)</b> O/o District Bar Association Lawyer's Chambers Complex, District Court Complex, Fatehgarh Sahib-140412		
<b>(Regd. Post)</b>	<b>First Appellate Authority</b> O/o District Bar Association Lawyer's Chambers Complex, District Court Complex, Fatehgarh Sahib-140412		Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 514, 515, 516 and 517 of 2019**  
**Heard through CISCO WEBEX**

**Present:** (i) Ms. Shivani, the appellant in person.  
(ii) For the respondent: Sh. Tajinder Singh Dhiman (President).

**ORDER**

1. This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 07.04.2021 vide which appellant, Ms. Shivani intimated the Commission that requisite information is still pending from the respondent PIO. She added that CCTV footage was demanded from the respondent PIO as lock was broken in his/her absence and her belongings were thrown out. She further mentioned that a fake resolution was passed and her membership was suspended as well as her voting right was also finished.

Respondent PIO was absent, despite being aware of date of hearing. A call was made by the undersigned Bench to the President, Sh. Tajinder Singh Dhiman (M-9815087110) on his mobile number for intimation of the hearing date but he did not bother to join the meeting for today's hearing.

After gone through the case file, It was observed that vide order of the Commission dated 20.08.2019 passed by the then Ld. SIC, Sh. Yashvir Mahajan directed the President of the Bar Association to provide the information to the appellant and on not receiving the requisite information from the respondent PIO, appellant approached the Commission and a letter number 138 dated 06.03.2020 was sent to the President, Bar Association, Fatehgarh Sahib by the Commission to supply the information within 15 fifteen days from the receipt of that letter but the President shows irresponsible behavior towards the Orders of the Commission and not supplied information to the appellant. Appellant again approached the Commission vide letter dated 18.06.2020 (received in the Commission vide diary no. 7065 dated 23.06.2020) stating that she approached the respondent's office along with a copy of the Order passed by the Commission but till date requisite information is still pending.

On not supplying the information to the appellant, all the above four mentioned cases were allotted to the bench of Ld. SIC, Dr. Pawan Kumar Singla dated 26.06.2020

On the hearing held on 09.12.2020 before the Ld. SIC, Dr. Pawan Kumar Singla, both the parties were absent and another opportunity was given to both the parties to represent this case on the next date of hearing positively.

*The cases have again been taken up for hearing. In spite of express directions of the Commission, the respondents have chosen to observe a studied silence. Final opportunity was afforded to the PIO to arrange to provide the information as per the order made by the Commission dated 20.08.2019 within 07 days from the date of receipt of this order under intimation to the Commission.*

*He was also directed to appear before the Commission on the next date fixed. Respondents to note that in case no one comes present on their behalf on the next date fixed, failing which penal consequences shall follow. A copy of previous order was sent to the President, Sh. Tajinder Singh Dhiman for his ready reference.*

Matter was adjourned for further hearing on 12.05.2021 i.e. today.

2. In today's hearing, respondent, Sh. Tajinder Singh Dhiman states that present executive body was elected on 06.11.2020 and reply as per record available with the Dist. Bar Association Fatehgarh Sahib is already been sent to the undersigned bench via an email dated 06.05.2021. In that reply he mentioned that Sh. Rajvir Singh Grewal was the president of Dist. Bar Association Fatehgarh Sahib in the year 2018 and Chamber maintenance committee and Dist. Bar Association Fatehgarh Sahib sent many notices to the applicant Shivani Singla to vacate the handicapped washroom and two resolutions were passed dated 17.09.2018 and 24.09.2018. He also mentioned in that reply that applicant Shivani Singla never moved any application before the Chamber Maintenance Committee Fatehgarh Sahib to take the CCTV footage and as per capacity of DVR of CCTV cameras the footage remained save only for 12 days and thereafter it gets automatically deleted, so at present Dist. Bar Association Fatehgarh Sahib as well as Chamber Maintenance Committee unable to provide the CCTV footage dated 24.09.2018. This email is received by the undersigned bench and taken on record.
3. On this, appellant, Ms. Shivani expresses his dissatisfaction and requested for supplying the requisite information.

4. After hearing both the parties and examining the case files, I am of the considered view that an important issue is involved in the above mentioned cases and all four cases requires adjudication by a Double Bench/Larger Bench. Accordingly, the **above mentioned case files are sent to Deputy Registrar to place it before the Hon'ble Chief Information Commissioner to constitute a Double Bench/Larger Bench in this case to decide this issue.**
5. Announced in the Court, copy of the order to be sent to the parties through **registered post**.

**Dated: 12.05.2021**

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

**Copy to:**

**The Deputy Registrar**  
**(Alongwith 04 Case Files).**