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Rajinder Singh S/o Sh. Om Kumar, V.P.O. - Kot Fatuhi, Tehsil - Garhshankar, District Hoshiarpur - 145519 (Punjab)

....Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer O/o The Executive Engineer, Construction Division, PWD (B & R), Batala, **District Gurdaspur (Punjab)**

First Appellate Authority O/o The Superintending Engineer, Construction Circle No. 02, PWD (B & R), Pathankot (Punjab)

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 2205 of 2020

Present: Sh. Rajinder Singh, the appellant in person.

Sh. Amarjit Singh, Superintendent, on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

Heard through facility of Software/application 'CISCO Webex Meetings'. The RTI request is dated 20.5.2020. First appeal is dated 22.06.2020. Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 18.08.2020.

On the last date of hearing, held on 19.04.2021, due to technical fault in connection of network, proceedings of the instant appeal-case could not held and on the earlier hearing, held on 12.01.2021, the appellant was advised to visit the office of the respondent on 15.02.2021 to collect the required information. The respondent PIO was directed to supply the requisite information to the appellant and the appellant was advised to point out deficiencies in the information supplied to him.

Sh. Amarjit Singh, Superintendent, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, states that the required information has been given to the appellant vide letter dated 24.03.2021. He also intimates the Commission that a reply has also been sent to the Commission vide letter no. 526 dated 24.03.2021, which has been received in the Commission vide Diary No. 7282 dated 30.03.2021. He also states that another reply has also been sent to the Commission vide letter no. 566 dated 30.03.2021, which has been received in the Commission vide Diary No. 7634 dated 30.03.2021, intimating that the appellant has given acknowledgement receipt of having received the requisite. It, alongwith annexure, is taken on record.

The appellant, Sh. Rajinder Singh, who appeared in person in today's hearing, orally states that he has received the requisite information in the instant appeal-case. He also intimates the Commission that a letter has also been sent to the Commission vide letter 10.07.2021, which has been received in the Commission through an e-mail, intimating that he has received the requisite information in the instant appeal-case. It is taken on record.

Since the information stands supplied and the appellant has given his consent to close the case, the case is announced as disposed of and closed.

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

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....Appellant

Public Information Officer O/o The Executive Engineer (S), Punjab Mandi Board, Tarn Taran(Punjab)

First Appellate Authority O/o The Chief Engineer, Punjab Mandi Board, S.A.S Nagar (Mohali) (Punjab)

...Respondent

Appeal Case No. 2206 of 2020

Present: Sh. Rajinder Singh, the appellant in person.

Sh. Swadesh Kumar, S.D.O.-cum-APIO, on behalf of the respondent.

<u>ORDER</u>

Date: 12th July, 2021

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The RTI request is dated 20.50.2020. First appeal is dated 22.06.2020. Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 18.08.2020.

On the last date of hearing, held on 19.04.2021, due to technical fault in connection of network, proceedings of the instant appeal-case could not held and on the earlier hearing, held on 12.01.2021, an opportunity was given to the appellant to confirm whether he received the information.

Sh. Swadesh Kumar, S.D.O.-cum-APIO, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, states that the required information has been given to the appellant.

The appellant, Sh. Rajinder Singh, who appeared in person in today's hearing, orally states that he has received the requisite information in the instant appeal-case. He also intimates the Commission that a letter has also been sent to the Commission vide letter 10.07.2021, which has been received in the Commission through an e-mail, intimating that he has received the requisite information in the instant appeal-case. It is taken on record.

Since the information stands supplied and the appellant has given his consent to close the case, the case is announced as <u>disposed of and closed</u>.

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Jagjit Singh S/o Sh. Hukam Singh, R/o House No. 459 –A, Sector 61, Chandigarh

...Complainant

Public Information Officer O/o The Director, Technical Education & Industrial Training, Punjab, Sector 36-A, Chandigarh

...Respondent

Complaint Case No. 379 of 2019

Present: Sh. Jagjit Singh, the complainant in person.

Sh. Rupinder Singh, Deputy Director, in person.

ORDER

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V/s.

The RTI request is dated 15.03.2019. The complaint has been received in the Commission on 15.04.2019.

On the last date of hearing, held on 19.04.2021, due to technical fault in connection of network, proceedings of the instant appeal-case could not held and on the earlier hearing, held on 12.01.2021, an opportunity was given to the complainant to represent this case in person to clear the facts of this case.

Sh. Rupinder Singh, Deputy Director, who appeared in person PIO in today's hearing, states that complete information has been given to the complainant.

The complainant, Sh. Jagjit Singh, who appeared in person in today's hearing, orally states that he has received the requisite information in the instant appeal-case and will have no objection if the case is closed today itself.

Since the information stands supplied and the complainant has given his consent to close the case, the case is announced as <u>disposed of and closed</u>.

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V/s

Public Information Officer, O/o The Commissioner, **Municipal Corporation,** Ludhiana(Punjab)

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

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 60 of 2020

Sh. Sandeep Kumar, the appellant in person. Present:

Sh. Ajay Kumar, Building Inspector, Zone – A, on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

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

The RTI request is dated 11.12.2018. First appeal is dated 11.04.2019. Second appeal has

been received in the Commission on 24.12.2019.

On the last date of hearing, held on 19.04.2021, due to technical fault in connection of

network, proceedings of the instant appeal-case could not held and on the earlier hearing, held on 10.02.2021, Sh. Ajay Kumar, Building Inspector, Zone - A, stated that replies were given to the appellant vide letter no. 5282 dated 29.01.2019 and vide letter dated 17.07.2019. The respondent PIO was directed to send copy of replies given vide letter dated 29.01.2019 and dated 17.07.2019, to the Commission. Last opportunity is given to the appellant to represent this case in person or through his representative or the case would be decided on merits.

Sh. Ajay Kumar, Building Inspector, Zone – A, who appeared on behalf of the PIO in today's hearing, states that a reply has already been given to the appellant vide letter dated 05.02.2021. He also intimates the Commission that that a reply has also been sent to the Commission vide letter no. 368 dated 05.02.2021, which has been received in the Commission vide Diary No. 3060 dated 09.02.2021. It is taken on record.

He (Sh. Ajay Kumar) further states that a reply, in response to the show-cause issued to the concerned PIO vide orders dated 22.06.2020, has also been sent to the Commission vide letter no. 377 dated 10.02.2021, which has been received in the Commission vide Diary No. 3357 dated 11.02.2021. It is also taken on record.

The appellant, Sh. Sandeep Kumar, was absent on the hearings, held on 22.06.2020, 01.09.2020, 16.11.2020 and 10.02.2021. He is again absent from today's hearing without any intimation. He has neither pointed out any deficiency in the information supplied to him, to the respondent-PIO, nor approached the Commission with any contrary claim in that regard. In view of the above, it is assumed that the appellant has received the required information and is satisfied with the same.

After going through the reply dated 10.02.2021 (given in response to the show-cause issued by the concerned PIO) and finding it genuine, the show-cause issued to the concerned respondent PIO vide orders dated 22.06.2020 is dropped.

Since complete information has been supplied by the respondent PIO and no cause of action is left in the instant appeal-case, hence, the case is announced as disposed of and closed.

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Gurmeet Singh S/o Sh. Lal Singh,

Village - Kikkar Khera.

Tehsil – Abohar, Distt. - Fazilka (Punjab)

....Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer, O/o The Executive Engineer, **Punjab Water Resource Management** and Development Corporation, Lining Division - 04, Ajimgarh, Tehsil - Abohar, Distt. - Fazika (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority, O/o The Superintending Engineer, **Punjab Water Resource Management** and Development Corporation, Sadique Chowk, Faridkot (Punjab)

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 494 of 2020

None on behalf of the appellant. Present:

Sh. Rohit, S. D. O., on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

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The RTI request is dated 26.08.2019. First appeal is dated 04.10.2019. Second

appeal has been received in the Commission on 27.01.2020.

On the last date of hearing, held on 19.04.2021, due to technical fault in connection of network, proceedings of the instant appeal-case could not held and on the earlier hearing, held on 22.02.2021, Sh. Rohit, S. D. O. and Sh. Sahir Kumar, stated that complete information was supplied to the appellant vide letter dated 11.02.2021. An opportunity was given to the respondent-PIO concerned to send a copy of the supplied information to the Commission. An opportunity was given to the appellant to confirm whether he has received the information from the respondent PIO or the case would be decided on merits.

Sh. Rohit, S. D. O., who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, states that the requisite information has again been supplied to the appellant. He also intimates the Commission that replies have also been sent to the Commission vide letter dated 11.02.2021, which has been received in the Commission vide Diary No. 4130 dated 22.02.2021 and 8350 dated 15.04.2021 respectively. It, alongwith annexure, is taken on record.

The appellant, Sh. Gurmeet Singh, was absent on the hearing, held on 22.02.2021. He is again absent from today's hearing without any intimation. He has neither pointed out any deficiency in the information supplied to him, to the respondent-PIO, nor approached the Commission with any contrary claim in that regard. In view of the above, it is assumed that the appellant has received the required information and is satisfied with the same.

Since complete information has been supplied by the respondent PIO and the appellant had not approached the Commission with any contrary claim, hence, the case is announced as disposed of and closed.

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V/s

....Appellant

Public Information Officer, O/o The Executive Engineer, Rajasthan Feeder, Division Ferozepur, Office Canal Colony, Ferozepur (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority, O/o The Superintending Engineer, Canal Division, Ferozepur Canal Circle, Ferozepur (Punjab)

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 492 of 2020

Present: None on behalf of the appellant.

Sh. Gagandeep Singh, S. D. O., on behalf of the respondent

ORDER

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

The RTI request is dated 28.08.2019. First appeal is dated 10.10.2019. Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 27.01.2020.

On the last date of hearing, held on 19.04.2021, due to technical fault in connection of network, proceedings of the instant appeal-case could not held and on the earlier hearing, held on 22.02.2021, the respondent PIO through a reply vide letter no. 5182 dated 17.12.2020 had intimated the Commission that the requisite information was supplied to the appellant, vide letter no. 2483-84 dated 21.09.2020. An opportunity was given to the respondent-PIO concerned to send a copy of the supplied information to the Commission. An opportunity was given to the appellant to confirm whether he has received the information from the respondent PIO or the case would be decided on merits.

Sh. Gagandeep Singh, S. D. O., who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, states that the requisite information has already been supplied to the appellant vide letter no. 2483-84 dated 21.09.2020. He also intimates the Commission that a reply has also been sent to the Commission vide letter no. 5182 dated 17.12.2020, which has been received in the Commission vide Diary No. 349 dated 06.01.2021. It is taken on record.

The appellant, Sh. Gurmeet Singh, was absent on the hearing, held on 22.02.2021. He is again absent from today's hearing without any intimation. He has neither pointed out any deficiency in the information supplied to him, to the respondent-PIO, nor approached the Commission with any contrary claim in that regard. In view of the above, it is assumed that the appellant has received the required information and is satisfied with the same.

Since complete information has been supplied by the respondent PIO and the appellant had not approached the Commission with any contrary claim, hence, the case is announced as disposed of and closed.

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