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APPEAL CASE NO. 0645 OF 2021

Shri Pritpal S/o Sh. Mehar Chand, R/o House No. 956, Dashmesh Nagar, Naya Gaon, Mohali (SAS Nagar).

(9988557081)

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o Registrar of Firms & Societies, Punjab, Sector-17, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Registrar of Firms & Societies, Punjab, Sector-17, Chandigarh.

...Respondents

HEARD Through CISCO WEBEX – VC/TELEPHONE

PRESENT: None for the parties.

ORDER:

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated: 25.05.2021.

Both parties are again absent and they were also absent on the last hearing.

The Respondent sent a letter in the Commission mentioning therein that demanded information has been sent to the appellant vide letter dated 05.07.2021, copy of the same taken on record.

The Appellant is directed to furnish the deficiencies in the provided information in writing to the Respondent within week. The Respondent is directed to remove the discrepancies, after received from the appellant, before the next date of hearing, failing which penal consequences shall follow.

The appellant is further advised to follow up his case in the Commission, failing which ex-parte decision shall be taken on merits. Adjourned, **21.10.2021 at 11:00 AM through CISCO WEBEX MEETING ID No. 159 864 6555.** Both the parties are directed to present their case accordingly. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

(Hem Inder Singh)
State Information Commissioner

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APPEAL CASE NO. 0648 OF 2021

Shri Ajit Singh Talwandi, (8968902044) Village Niku Chak, P.O. Hajipur, Tehsil Mukerian, District Hoshiarpur-144221

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o Senior Superintendent of Police, Hoshiarpur.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Senior Superintendent of Police, Hoshiarpur.

...Respondents

HEARD Through CISCO WEBEX – VC/TELEPHONE

PRESENT: None on behalf of the Appellant.

ASI Rajinder Singh on behalf of the Respondents.

ORDER:

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated: 25.05.2021.

The Appellant is again absent and he was also absent on the last date of hearing.

The Respondent reiterates his earlier version that requisite information has already been sent to the appellant vide letter no. 29623, dated 28.04.2021 through Registered Post.

In view of the above, the Appellant is again advised to pin-point the exact information and send to the PIO in writing within week. The Respondent – PIO is directed to remove the same, after received from the Appellant, before the next date of hearing.

The appellant is further advised to follow up his case in the Commission, failing which ex-parte decision shall be taken on merits. Adjourned, **21.10.2021 at 11:00 AM through CISCO WEBEX MEETING ID No. 159 864 6555.** Both the parties are directed to present their case accordingly. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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APPEAL CASE NO. 0666 OF 2021

Sh. Jatinder Kumar, () R/o House No. 162, Hill View Enclave, Sharma Store Nangal Township, Tehsil Nangal, District Ropar-140124

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o Executive Officer, Municipal Council, Garhshankar, District Hoshiarpur.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Deputy Director, Local Government, Jalandhar.

...Respondents

HEARD Through CISCO WEBEX - VC/TELEPHONE

PRESENT: None on behalf of the Appellant.

Sh. Harjeet Singh, Executive Officer for the Respondents.

ORDER:

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated: 25.05.2021.

The Appellant is again absent and he was also absent on the last date of hearing.

The Respondent reiterates his earlier version that appellant has been asked to visit the office of the Respondent and inspect the record, specify the exact demanded information and get the same after depositing the requisite fee but he did not turn up.

In view of the above, last and final opportunity is given to the appellant to follow up his case in the Commission, failing which ex-parte decision shall be taken on merits.

Adjourned, 21.10.2021 at 11:00 AM through CISCO WEBEX MEETING ID No.

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APPEAL CASE NO. 0670 OF 2021

Shri Krishan Lal, (9888310081) S/o Sh. Balram, R/o Village Badiwala Pitha, Tehsil & District Fazilka.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o Deputy Commissioner, Fazilka.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Commissioner, Ferozepur Division, Ferozepur.

...Respondents

HEARD Through CISCO WEBEX - VC/TELEPHONE

PRESENT: None on behalf of the Appellant.

Sh. Gurpreet Singh Kang, District Food Supply and Controller for the Respondents.

ORDER:

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated: 25.05.2021.

The Appellant is again absent and he was also absent on the last date of hearing.

The Respondent states that information sought by the appellant has been supplied to him vide letter dated 30.10.2020, but after that no observation has been received from him.

In view of the above, the Respondent is directed to send again this information to the appellant through registered post, under intimation to the Commission, failing which penal consequences shall follow.

Last and final opportunity is given to the appellant to follow up his case in the Commission, failing which ex-parte decision shall be taken on merits.

Adjourned, **21.10.2021** at **11:00 AM** through **CISCO WEBEX MEETING ID No. 159 864 6555.** Both the parties are directed to present their case accordingly. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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APPEAL CASE NO. 0728 OF 2021

Versus

Shri Ashwani Kumar, (9417937357) S/o Sh. Purushotam Kumar, R/o H. No. 83, Near Grain Market, Bhucho Mandi, District Bathinda.

...Appellant

Public Information Officer,

O/o Punjabi University T P D Malwa College Neighbourhood Campus, Rampura Phul-Mehraj (Bathinda).

First Appellate Authority

O/o Punjabi University, T P D Malwa College Neighbourhood Campus, Rampura Phul-Mehraj (Bathinda).

...Respondents

HEARD Through CISCO WEBEX – VC/TELEPHONE

PRESENT: None for the parties.

ORDER:

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated: 25.05.2021.

Both parties are again absent and they were also absent on the last hearing.

The Respondent is directed to file a written reply in response to the notice of the Commission and appear personally (through Cisco Webex), failing which **Show Cause Notice** will be issued to him/her as per provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

The appellant is also advised to follow up his case in the Commission, failing which ex-parte decision shall be taken on merits. Adjourned, **21.10.2021 at 11:00 AM through CISCO WEBEX MEETING ID No. 159 864 6555.** Both the parties are directed to present their case accordingly. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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APPEAL CASE NO. 0737 OF 2021

Shri Makhan Singh S/o Sh. Jagir Singh, R/o Village Bika, District SBS Nagar. (9915169047)

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o Director General Vigilance Bureau, Punjab, S.A.S. Nagar (Mohali).

First Appellate Authority

O/o Director General Vigilance Bureau, Punjab, S.A.S. Nagar (Mohali).

...Respondents

HEARD Through CISCO WEBEX – VC/TELEPHONE

PRESENT: None on behalf of the Appellant.

Inspector Sukhmander Singh on behalf of the Respondents.

ORDER:

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated: 25.05.2021.

The Appellant is again absent and he was also absent on the last date of hearing.

The Respondent states that available information has already been supplied to the appellant and rest of the information under investigation therefore cannot be provided to him and same has been conveyed to him again vide letter dated 27.07.2021.

In view of the above, the appellant is advised to follow up his case in the Commission, failing which ex-parte decision shall be taken on merits. Adjourned, **21.10.2021 at 11:00 AM through CISCO WEBEX MEETING ID No. 159 864 6555.** Both the parties are directed to present their case accordingly. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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APPEAL CASE NO. 1686 OF 2020

Advocate Ravinder Singh, H. No. 16, Shaheed Nagar, Chheharatta, Amritsar-143105 (9317561575)

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer, O/o Municipal Corporation, Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority O/o Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Amritsar.

...Respondents

HEARD THROUGH CISCO WEBEX/TELEPHONE

PRESENT: Advocate Ravinder Singh, Appellant.

None on behalf of the Respondents.

ORDER:

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 01.07.2021.

The Appellant states that he has not received the information relating to point no. 4 of his RTI application till date.

The PIO is again absent for today's hearing and he was also absent on the last hearings dated 01.09.2020; 28.10.2020; 16.12.2020 and 01.07.2021, inspite of the Notice/Orders of the Commission. This shows his disregard to the Commission. The absence of the PIO is viewed seriously and it has also affected hearing and disposal of the case.

The perusal of the case reveals that on the last date of hearing, the PIO is directed to supply the remaining information, before the next date of hearing, failing which **Show Cause Notice** will be issued to him but till date remaining information has not been supplied to the appellant after the lapse of the 17 months period. In view of the above, a **SHOW CAUSE NOTICE** under Section 20(1) of the RTI Act is issued to Sh. Narinder Sharma, Municipal Town Planner –cum – PIO O/o Municipal Corporation, Amritsar as to why penalty should not be imposed upon him for willful delay/denial in supplying the information to the RTI applicant and why the compensation be not awarded to the appellant under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

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The PIO is directed to file an affidavit in response to the Show Cause Notice and appear personally on the next date fixed, otherwise it will be presumed that he has nothing to say and the Commission shall initiate ex-parte proceeding.

The case is adjourned to 19.10.2021 at 11:00 AM through CISCO WEBEX MEETING ID No. 159 864 6555. Both the parties are directed to present their case accordingly. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Chandigarh 12.08.2021

Sd/(Hem Inder Singh)
State Information Commissioner

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Sh. Narinder Sharma,Municipal Town Planner –cum – PIO,
O/o Municipal Corporation,
Amritsar.

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SECTOR 16, CHANDIGARH.

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APPEAL CASE NO. 2555 OF 2020

Advocate Ravinder Singh, H. No. 16, Shaheed Nagar, Chheharatta, Amritsar-143105

(9317561575)

Versus

...Appellant

Public Information Officer,

O/o Municipal Corporation, Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Municipal Corporation, Amritsar.

...Respondents

HEARD THROUGH CISCO WEBEX/TELEPHONE

PRESENT: Advocate Ravinder Singh, Appellant

Sh. Kuldjit Singh Mangat, Building Inspector on the behalf of the Respondents.

ORDER:

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 01.07.2021.

The Appellant reiterates his earlier version that no information has been provided to him by the Respondents.

The Respondent states that earlier this case represented by Sh. Varinder Mohan, ATP –cum- PIO but now this case transferred by the ATP. He further seeks some time to provide the information.

On the last date of hearing, Show Cause Notice was issued to Sh. Narinder Sharma, PIO – cum – Municipal Town Planner O/o Municipal Corporation, Amritsar but again he is absent.

Last opportunity is given to him to provide the requisite information to the appellant and file a reply in response to the Show Cause Notice and present this case personally (through CISCO Webex , failing which **BAILABLE WARRANT** will be issued to him as per provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

The case is adjourned to 19.10.2021 at 11:00 AM through CISCO WEBEX MEETING ID No. 159 864 6555. Both the parties are directed to present their case accordingly. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Chandigarh (Hem Inder Singh)
12.08.2021 State Information Commissioner

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Sh. Narinder Sharma,

PIO – cum – Municipal Town Planner, O/o Municipal Corporation, Amritsar.

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APPEAL CASE NO. 2669 OF 2020

Advocate Ravinder Singh (9317561575) # 16, Shaheed Nagar, Chheharatta, AMRITSAR.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer, O/o The Commissioner, MC. Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority O/o The Commissioner,

Municipal Corporation, Amritsar.

...Respondents

HEARD THROUGH CISCO WEBEX/TELEPHONE

PRESENT: Advocate Ravinder Singh, Appellant

Ms. Raj Rani, Building Inspector on the behalf of the Respondents.

ORDER:

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 01.07.2021.

The Appellant reiterates his earlier version that no information has been provided to him by the Respondents.

The Respondent requests that some more time be given to her to provide the information. She further requests that this case has been received from the MTP Branch without complaint dated 24.10.2019 of the appellant and she requests the Court that provides her copy of complaint dated 24.10.2019 so that requisite information provided to him. Therefore, the appellant is directed to be send his RTI application along with the complaint dated 24.10.2019 to her mobile number or her office.

In view of the above, Sh. Parmjinderjit Singh, ATP –cum – PIO is directed to supply the requisite information to the appellant, before the next date of hearing, failing which Show Cause Notice will be issued to him.

Shri Narinder Sharma, MTP –cum- PIO is also directed to file his written reply in response to the Show Cause Notice issued to him, before the next date of hearing, failing which BAILABLE WARRANT will be issued to him as per provisions of the Act, 2005. Cont...Pg2

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APPEAL CASE NO. 2669 OF 2020

The case is adjourned to **19.10.2021 at 11:00 AM through CISCO WEBEX MEETING ID No. 159 864 6555.** Both the parties are directed to present their case accordingly.

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Chandigarh 12.08.2021 Sd/(Hem Inder Singh)
State Information Commissioner

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Sh. Parmjinderjit Singh,Assistant Town Planner –cum – PIO,
O/o Municipal Corporation,
Amritsar.

Sh. Narinder Sharma,Municipal Town Planner – cum – PIO,
O/o Municipal Corporation,
Amritsar.

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APPEAL CASE NO. 3180 OF 2020

Advocate Ravinder Singh, # 16, Shaheed Nagar,

(9317561575)

...Appellant

CHHEHRTTA, Amritsar.

Versus

Public Information Officer, O/o Municipal Corporation,

Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Municipal Corporation, Amritsar.

...Respondents

HEARD Through CISCO WEBEX – VC/TELEPHONE

Advocate Ravinder Singh, Appellant. **PRESENT:**

Sh. Nitin Chandok, Jr. Assistant on behalf of the Respondents.

ORDER:

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 16.06.2021.

The Appellant states incomplete information has been provided to him.

The Respondent states that some more time be given to him to supply the remaining information to the appellant.

LAST OPPORTUNITY is given to Shri Lovepreet Singh, ADFO -cum - PIO to provide the remaining information to the appellant, before the next date of hearing, failing which **Show Cause Notice** will be issued to him.

The case is adjourned to 19.10.2021 at 11:00 AM through CISCO WEBEX **MEETING ID No. 159 864 6555.** Both the parties are directed to present their case accordingly. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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Chandigarh 12.08.2021

(Hem Inder Singh) **State Information Commissioner**

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Sh. Lovepreet Singh, ADFO -cum - PIO,

O/o Municipal Corporation, Amritsar.