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Sh. Jagjit Singh,
r/o Aman Nagar, Street No. 3,
Backside Greenland School,
Near Jalandhar By pass,
District Ludhiana 9914248131

....Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer
O/o Addl. Deputy Commissioner, (Dev.)
District Ludhiana

First Appellate Authority
o/o Deputy Commissioner
District Ludhiana

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 3031 of 2021
(Video Conference Proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Jagjit Singh, appellant on telephone.
Sh. Avtar Singh, Public Information Officer, Sh. Jaswinder Singh, Supdt,
District Development and Panchayats Officer _____ on behalf of
the respondents.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 25.8.2021.

2. The appellant has sought the following information:-

Kindly provide me the certified point wise information regarding Sant Kirpal Vidyak mission (regd.) (chain for green land schools) Ludhiana.

1 kindly provide me the certified information of the last twenty seven years Regarding the amount (with Cheque numbers) given by which MPs from the MP LAND fund of Indian government.

2 kindly provide me the certified information of the last twenty seven years Regarding the amount (with Cheque numbers) given by which MLAs from the MLA fund of Punjab government.

3. The representative of the respondents sent the written submissions that no record is available in the office concerning the Point No.2 of the RTI application, which is taken on record. He further clarified that the school authorities have never been given the funds from

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the MLA Fund of Punjab Government by the office as no 'MLA Fund' is available in the office. However, the appellant states that he is not satisfied with the reply of the respondent as the funds has been sanctioned to the school authorities and he will try to submit the proof to the Commission for consideration.

3. Regarding Point No. 1 of the RTI application the Dy. Economical & Statistical Advisor, District Ludhiana has already filed the reply that no funds have been allocated to Sant Kirpal Vidhyak Mission (Regd.) (Chain for Green Land Schools) under MPLAD Scheme.

4. Accordingly the Commission observes that no further action is required to be taken in this case as the respondent authorities have filed their reply specifically. Hence, the case is disposed of and closed. However, the liberty is granted to the appellant to send the documentary evidence as has been requested by him within two weeks for the consideration of the Commission.

Dated: 14.9.2021

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(Suresh Arora)
Chief Information Commissioner,
Punjab.

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..Appellant

$$V_S$$

Sh. Joginder Singh,
Public Information Officer
o/o the Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana

....Respondent(s)

Appeal Case No. 519/2021
(Cisco Webex Proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Dilbagh Chand, appellant.
Sh. Avtar Singh, o/o Addl. Deputy Commissioner, District Ludhiana and Sh. Jaswinder Singh, Supdt, District Development and Panchayats Officer on behalf of the respondents. 9815196874. 9988003512

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 16.8.2021 vide which the case was adjourned for 13.9.2021 but on the request of the appellant the case was fixed for hearing today i.e. 14.9.2021.

2. The appellant has sought the following information:-

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3. The representative of the respondents brought to the notice of the Commission during the hearing dated 16.8.2021 that the appellant has sought the similar information as

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in the Appeal Case No. 960 of 2020 and the Commission has already disposed of the said case. He further stated that the RTI application of the appellant, postal order bearing No. 49F-632223 and the receipt of the postal department also remained the same in both the cases. Furthermore, the representative of the respondents also requested to dispose of the case and also requested to take stringent action against the appellant as he has misled the office as well as to the Commission by filing the two cases on a single RTI application. Therefore, a copy of the RTI application, postal order receipt and the receipt of the postal department were sent to the appellant to file the submissions in this regard.

2. The appellant states that the postal department has issued the postal order and he is not aware of the fact that how both the number in the postal order remained the same. But no satisfactory reply has been given by the appellant regarding the same RTI application as well as the same receipt number issued by the postal department in lieu of registered letter in both the 2nd appeal cases filed by him in the Commission i.e. Appeal Case No. 519 of 2021 and Appeal Case No. 960 of 2020.

3. After going through both the case files, it has transpired that the RTI application of the appellant, postal order receipt number and the receipt number of the registered letter issued by the Postal Department remained the same and the appellant misled the Commission by filing two separate 2nd appeal cases against a single RTI application.

4. Keeping in view the above, the show cause notice issued to Sh. Joginder Singh, Distt. Revenue Officer-cum-Public Information Officer o/o the Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana and Sh. Avtar Singh, respondent-Public Information Officer o/o the Addl. Deputy Commissioner, (Dev.) Ludhiana is hereby withdrawn. Also the order dated 13.7.2021 vide which the compensation amounting to Rs.5000/- was awarded in favour of the appellant is hereby withdrawn. Accordingly, the Commission observes that no further action is required to be taken in this case. Hence, the case is disposed of and closed. A copy of this order is also being sent to the Registry Branch for further necessary action.

Dated: 14.9.2021

Sd/
(Suresh Arora)
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Sh.Amit Kumar Panchal, IAS

Addl. Deputy Commissioner (Dev.)

District Administrative Complex, Ludhiana.

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