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Sh. Jai Parkash Chhabra,

H.No.92, Street No.21, Tripuri,

Patiala Complainant

Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o Sub Registrar-cum- Tehsildar,

Mini Sectt. Patiala Respondent

**COMPLAINT CASE NO.1008/2017**

 **Date of RTI Application : 12.07.2017**  **Date of First Appeal : Nil**

 **Date of letter of FAA : Nil**

 **Date of Second Appeal : 18.09.2017**

**Present:** Sh. Jai Parkash Chhabra, Complainant in person.

 None on behalf of the Respondent.

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**ORDER**

 The respondent has filed a written statement. The main plea is that a copy of the G.P.A. can be provided only to the beneficiary or its executor. The stance taken by the respondent, of course, is valid in normal conditions. However, in the instant case the complainant is alleging an impersonation in the execution of the above document in which he is a victim of the fraud. In such a situation, the above stand of the respondent is untenable. The Commission directs the respondent to issue him a certified copy of the General Power of Attorney No.1941 dated 14.10.2004 free of cost before the next date of hearing positively.

 To come up on **19.06.2018 at 11.30 AM.**

  **Sd/-**

**15.05.2018 (Yashvir Mahajan)**

 **State Information Commissioner**

**CC: The Deputy Commissioner, Patiala, for n/a.**