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Shri Jagjit Singh,
R/o Aman Nagar, St.No.3
Backside Greenland School,
Near Jalandhar By-pass,
Ludhiana.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Commissioner,
Municipal Corporation,
Ludhiana.

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

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 2322 of 2020

PRESENT : (i) Appellant- absent.
(ii) Shri Devinder Singh, Draftsman, Zone-A, M.C. Ludhiana
in person, before the Bench on behalf of the PIO.

ORDER:

(Heard through Cisco Webex)

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 31.05.2021 passed by the Bench on the previous date of hearing.
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4. Shri Jagjit Singh, appellant is contacted on mobile phone. He is unable to give satisfactory reply regarding his absence for today's hearing. The Bench clarifies that this was scheduled to be a physical hearing and based on his e.mail dated 10.08.2021, the hearing has been converted to hearing through Cisco Webex. In spite of that he has failed to attend the hearing. On the asking of the Bench, he further states that he has neither received the information nor the affidavit from the PIO.

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AC No.2322/2020

5. Post deliberations, the Bench observes that since as per appellant, only partial information has been supplied and he is not satisfied with the information supplied. As such, the Bench directs the PIO Shri Mohan Singh, ATP, Zone-A, M.C. Ludhiana to bring along the entire relevant record including copy of the information supplied as also the affidavit and produce the same before the Bench on the next date of hearing. The appellant is also advised to come present before the Bench on the next hearing.

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...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 2328 of 2020

PRESENT : (i) Appellant- absent.
(ii) Shri Devinder Singh, Draftsman, Zone-A, M.C. Ludhiana
in person before the Bench on behalf of the PIO.

ORDER:

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AC No.2328/2020

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Municipal Corporation,
Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority
O/o Commissioner,
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...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 2329 of 2020

PRESENT : (i) Appellant- absent.
(ii) Shri Devinder Singh, Draftsman, Zone-A, M.C. Ludhiana
in person before the Bench on behalf of the PIO.

ORDER:

(Heard through Cisco Webex)

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2. The case has been heard today through Cisco Webex. The appellant Shri Jagjit Singh has not come present to attend the hearing through Cisco Webex.
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4. Shri Jagjit Singh, appellant is contacted on mobile phone. He is unable to give satisfactory reply regarding his absence for today's hearing. The Bench clarifies that this was scheduled to be a physical hearing and based on his e.mail dated 10.08.2021, the hearing has been converted to hearing through Cisco Webex. In spite of that he has failed to attend the hearing. On the asking of the Bench, he further states that he has neither received the information nor the affidavit from the PIO.

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AC No.2329/2020

5. Post deliberations, the Bench observes that since as per appellant, only partial information has been supplied and he is not satisfied with the information supplied. As such, the Bench directs the PIO Shri Mohan Singh, ATP, Zone-A, M.C. Ludhiana to bring along the entire relevant record including copy of the information supplied as also the affidavit and produce the same before the Bench on the next date of hearing. The appellant is also advised to come present before the Bench on the next hearing.

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Guru Gobind Singh Nagar,
Backside Bachan Gas Agency,
Near Mair Di Chakki,
P.O. Daba, Ludhiana.

...Appellant

Versus

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Municipal Corporation,
Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority-cum-
O/o Commissioner,
Municipal Corporation,
Ludhiana.

...Respondents

AC No. 3300 of 2020

PRESENT : (i) **Shri Gurmej Lal, appellant.**
(ii) **Shri Harbans Singh Dhalla, Sr. Veterinary Officer, M.C., Ludhiana,**
on behalf of the PIO.

ORDER:

((Heard through Cisco Webex))

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 01.06.2021 passed by the Bench on the previous hearing.
2. The case has been heard today through Cisco Webex. Shri Gurmej Lal, appellant comes present to attend the hearing through Cisco Webex. He states that he has done inspection of the records on 12.08.2021 and has been supplied partial information only.
3. Shri Harbans Singh Dhalla, Sr. Veterinary Officer, comes present to attend the hearing through Cisco Webex on behalf of the PIO. He states that the appellant has done inspection of the records and he has been supplied information comprising 33 pages and that e.maiill has also been sent to the Bench regarding the confirmation given in writing by the appellant on 12.08.2021. The Bench apprises him that no reply to the show cause notice issued has been filed and the penalty imposed on the PIO has also not been deposited yet.

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AC No.3300/2020

4. On the asking of the Bench, the appellant states that the information supplied is incomplete and that the PIO has assured to supply the remaining information by 15.09.2021.

5. Post deliberations, the Bench directs the PIO to bring along the entire relevant record, including the copy of information provided, reply to the show cause notice as also the proof of having deposited the penalty and produce the same before the Bench on the next hearing. Shri Harbans Singh Dhalla, Sr. Veterinary Officer, assures to fully comply with the directions of the Bench.

6. With the aforesaid directions, the matter is adjourned. **To come up for hearing on 15.11.2021 at 11.30 AM before the Bench in Commission's office at Chandigarh.** Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

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Shri Sarabjeet Singh Gill,
H.No.60-35, P-376-1,
Street No.8, Maha Singh Nagar,
P.O: Dhandari Kalan, Ludhiana-1414014

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Commissioner,
Municipal Corporation,
Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority-cum-
O/o Commissioner,
Municipal Corporation,
Ludhiana.

...Respondents

Appeal Case No.3297 of 2020

PRESENT :

- (i) Shri Gurmej Lal, on behalf of the appellant.
- (ii) Shri Ajay Kumar, Building Inspector, Zone-A, M.C. Ludhiana
- (iii) Shri Rohit Thakur, Zone-B, M.C. Ludhiana
- (iv) Shri Dola Ram, Clerk, Zone-C, M.C. Ludhiana on behalf of PIO.
- (v) Ms. Gurpreet Kaur, Building Inspector, Zone-D, M.C. Ludhiana.

ORDER:

(Heard through Cisco Webex)

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 01.06.2021 passed by the Bench on the previous hearing.
2. The case has been heard today through Cisco Webex. Shri Gurmej Lal comes present to attend the hearing through Cisco Webex on behalf of the appellant. He states that the appellant has received information from PIO, Zone-A, Zone-C & Zone-D and only the information by Zone-B is yet to be provided.
3. Shri Ajay Kumar, Building Inspector attends the hearing on behalf of PIO, Zone-A of M.C., Ludhiana. Shri Rohit Thakur, attends the hearing on behalf of PIO Zone-B of M.C. Ludhiana. Shri Dola Ram, Clerk attends the hearing on behalf of PIO, Zone-C of M.C. Ludhiana and Ms. Gurpreet Kaur attends the hearing from Zone-D of M.C. Ludhiana. The representatives of Zone A, C & D state that the information stands supplied to the appellant.

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AC No.3297/2020

4. On the asking of the Bench, the representative of PIO Zone-B Shri Rohit Thakur states that the information sought by the appellant is voluminous and he was informed vide letter dated 31.08.2020. Upon this, the appellant states that after inspection of records, the observations regarding the information sought have been got noted to the PIO and accordingly, requests for supplying the said information.

5. Post deliberations, the Bench exempts the PIO Zone A, C & D from appearance in the further hearing in this case and directs the PIO Zone-B of Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana is directed to bring along the entire record as also information to be provided as per the observations got noted by the appellant and produce the same before the Bench on the next hearing

6. With the aforesaid directions, the matter is adjourned. **To come up for hearing on 15.11.2021 at 11.30 AM before the Bench in Commission's office at Chandigarh.** Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

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Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority-cum-
O/o Commissioner,
Municipal Corporation,
Ludhiana.

...Respondents

Appeal Case No.3299 of 2020

PRESENT : (i) Shri Gurmej Lal, on behalf of the appellant.
(ii) Shri Harbans Singh Dhalla, Sr. Veterinary Officer, M.C., Ludhiana,
on behalf of the PIO.

ORDER:

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1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 01.06.2021 passed by the Bench on the previous hearing.
2. The case has been heard today through Cisco Webex. Shri Gurmej Lal, appellant comes present to attend the hearing through Cisco Webex. He states that he has done inspection of the records on 12.08.2021 and has been supplied partial information only.
3. Shri Harbans Singh Dhalla, Sr. Veterinary Officer, comes present to attend the hearing through Cisco Webex on behalf of the PIO. He states that the appellant has done inspection of the records and he has been supplied information and that e.maill has also been sent to the Bench regarding the confirmation given in writing by the appellant on 12.08.2021. The Bench apprises him that no reply to the show cause notice issued has been filed and the penalty imposed on the PIO has also not been deposited yet.

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AC No.3299/2020

4. On the asking of the Bench, the appellant states that the information supplied is incomplete and that the PIO has assured to supply the remaining information by 15.09.2021.

5. Post deliberations, the Bench directs the PIO to bring along the entire relevant record, including the copy of information provided, reply to the show cause notice as also the proof of having deposited the penalty and produce the same before the Bench on the next hearing. Shri Harbans Singh Dhalla, Sr. Veterinary Officer, assures to fully comply with the directions of the Bench.

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Preet Nagar, Shimlapuri,
Ludhiana.

.....Appellant

Versus

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O/o Assistant Town Planner,
Zone-A, Municipal Corporation,
Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority
O/o The Commissioner,
Municipal Corporation,
Ludhiana.

....Respondents

AC No.3242 of 2020

Present: (i) Shri Gulshan Kumar, Appellant.
(ii) Shri Ajay Kumar, Building Inspector O/o Zone-A, Municipal Corporation,
Ludhiana, on behalf of the PIO.

ORDER:

(Heard through Cisco Webex)

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 01.06.2021 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.
2. The case has been heard today through Cisco Webex. Shri Gulshan Kumar, appellant comes present to attend the hearing through Cisco Webex.
3. Shri Ajay Kumar, Building Inspector, representative of the PIO, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana comes present to attend the hearing through Cisco Webex and states that the information has been sent to the appellant vide letter dated 19.10.2020 and again vide letter dated 21.12.2020 sent by speed post on 28.12.2020. He further states that an affidavit dated 11.08.2021 has also been sent to the appellant by speed post.
4. On the asking of the Bench, the appellant states that he has not received the information as per RTI application nor he has received any affidavit and as such, he is not satisfied with the information provided to him. He further states that he has also made submissions in this regard and sent

by e.mail to the Hon'ble Bench.

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AC No.3242/2020

5. The matter is deliberated with the appellant and the representative of PIO. The Bench directs the PIO/ATP, Zone-A, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana to peruse all the points of the RTI application and provide information relating to each of the points specifically replying the queries as contained in the RTI application. The PIO is also directed to come present in person before the Bench, bring along all the relevant record including the information supplied as also the copy of affidavit and produce the same before the Bench on the next hearing.

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First Appellate Authority

O/o The Commissioner,
Municipal Corporation,
Ludhiana.

....Respondents

AC No.3243 of 2020

Present:

- (i) Shri Gulshan Kumar, Appellant.
- (ii) Shri Ajay Kumar, Building Inspector O/o Zone-A, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana, on behalf of the PIO.

ORDER:

(Heard through Cisco Webex)

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 01.06.2021 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.
2. The case has been heard today through Cisco Webex. Shri Gulshan Kumar, appellant comes present to attend the hearing through Cisco Webex.
3. Shri Ajay Kumar, Building Inspector, representative of the PIO, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana comes present to attend the hearing through Cisco Webex and states that the information has been sent to the appellant vide letter dated 19.10.2020 and again vide letter dated 21.12.2020 sent by speed post on 28.12.2020. He further states that an affidavit dated 11.08.2021 has also been sent to the appellant by speed post.
4. On the asking of the Bench, the appellant states that he has not received the information as per RTI application nor he has received any affidavit and as such, he is not satisfied with the information provided to him. He further states that he has also made submissions in this regard and sent by e.mail to the Hon'ble Bench.

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AC No.3243/2020

5. The matter is deliberated with the appellant and the representative of PIO. The Bench directs the PIO/ATP, Zone-A, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana to peruse all the points of the RTI application and provide information relating to each of the points specifically replying the queries as contained in the RTI application. The PIO is also directed to come present in person before the Bench, bring along all the relevant record including the information supplied as also the copy of affidavit and produce the same before the Bench on the next hearing.

6. With the aforesaid directions, the matter is adjourned. **To come up for hearing on 15.11.2021 at 11.30 AM before the Bench in Commission's office at Chandigarh.** Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

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Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority
O/o The Commissioner,
Municipal Corporation,
Ludhiana.

....Respondents

AC No.3245 of 2020

Present: (i) Shri Gulshan Kumar, Appellant.
(ii) Shri Ajay Kumar, Building Inspector O/o Zone-A, Municipal Corporation,
Ludhiana, on behalf of the PIO.

ORDER:

(Heard through Cisco Webex)

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2. The case has been heard today through Cisco Webex. Shri Gulshan Kumar, appellant comes present to attend the hearing through Cisco Webex.
3. Shri Ajay Kumar, Building Inspector, representative of the PIO, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana comes present to attend the hearing through Cisco Webex and states that the information has been sent to the appellant vide letter dated 19.10.2020 and again vide letter dated 21.12.2020 sent by speed post on 28.12.2020. He further states that an affidavit dated 11.08.2021 has also been sent to the appellant by speed post.
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AC No.3245/2020

5. The matter is deliberated with the appellant and the representative of PIO. The Bench directs the PIO/ATP, Zone-A, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana to peruse all the points of the RTI application and provide information relating to each of the points specifically replying the queries as contained in the RTI application. The PIO is also directed to come present in person before the Bench, bring along all the relevant record including the information supplied as also the copy of affidavit and produce the same before the Bench on the next hearing.

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Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority
O/o The Commissioner,
Municipal Corporation,
Ludhiana.

....Respondents

AC No.3246 of 2020

Present: (i) Shri Gulshan Kumar, Appellant.
(ii) Shri Ajay Kumar, Building Inspector O/o Zone-A, Municipal Corporation,
Ludhiana, on behalf of the PIO.

ORDER:

(Heard through Cisco Webex)

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AC No.3246/2020

5. The matter is deliberated with the appellant and the representative of PIO. The Bench directs the PIO/ATP, Zone-A, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana to peruse all the points of the RTI application and provide information relating to each of the points specifically replying the queries as contained in the RTI application. The PIO is also directed to come present in person before the Bench, bring along all the relevant record including the information supplied as also the copy of affidavit and produce the same before the Bench on the next hearing.

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