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Shri Davinder Sharma (Bitta), (M: 94171-36539),
874, Street No.6, Janak Puri,
Ludhiana-141003.

..... Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o District Fire Officer,
Ludhiana.

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

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 3129 of 2019

Present:- Shri Davinder Sharma, appellant is absent.
Shri Navrang Singh, Leading Fireman is present on behalf of Shri Bhupinder Singh Sandhu, PIO-cum-Asstt. Div. Fire Officer, Ludhiana.

O R D E R

Shri Davinder Sharma, appellant filed RTI application dated 28.02.2019 and sought some information from the PIO, O/o District Fire Officer, Ludhiana. When no information was provided to him by the PIO, then he filed First Appeal before the First Appellate Authority on 08.04.2019. Then he filed Second Appeal before the Punjab State Information Commission on 27.08.2019. The case was registered and allocated to the Bench. Notice of hearing was issued to both the parties for today.

The appellant is absent today without any intimation to the Commission. Shri Navrang Singh is present on behalf of the PIO and he stated that the PIO has sent the information/reply to the appellant through letter no.183-186 dated 11.07.2019. He has submitted a copy of the said letter, which is taken in the file of the Commission.

I have gone through letter dated 11.07.2019. The information/reply sent to the appellant by the PIO is not complete.

So, the PIO is directed that the information sought by the appellant through para no.1 of the RTI application regarding the issuance of NOC for the fire safety for the period 2014 to 2018 along with the name of the website of the office of the PIO be sent to him through registered post within a week.

Both the parties should personally come present on the next date of hearing on **14.11.2019 at 11:00 A.M.**

Dated: 16.10.2019

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State Information Commissioner, Punjab.

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Shri R.P. Singh, (M: 97790-48083),
Through Shri Rakesh Kumar Gupta, Advocate,
Third Floor, Chamber No.362,
Court Complex, Ludhiana.

..... Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Executive Engineer,
Operation & Maintenance, Block-D Zone,
Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority-cum-
Commissioner, Municipal Corporation,
Ludhiana.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 3172 of 2019

Present:- Shri R.P. Singh, appellant is present.
None present on behalf of the PIO, O/o XEN, Operation & Maintenance, Block-D
Zone, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana.

O R D E R

Shri R.P. Singh, appellant filed RTI application dated 06.06.2019 and sought some information from the PIO, O/o Executive Engineer, Operation & Maintenance, Block-D Zone, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana. When no information was provided to him by the PIO, then he filed First Appeal before the First Appellate Authority on 08.07.2019. Then he filed Second Appeal before the Punjab State Information Commission on 29.08.2019. The case was registered and allocated to the Bench. Notice of hearing was issued to both the parties for today.

The appellant is present today, whereas none has come present on behalf of the PIO. The appellant stated that no information has been provided to him by the PIO till today.

I have gone through the RTI application dated 06.06.2019 and the appellant sought information regarding property "20-B/3332, Near Aarti Cinema (Pradhan Dhaba), Gurdev Nagar, Ludhiana" and the sought for information is detailed in para nos. 1 to 6 of the RTI application.

The PIO is directed that information sought by the appellant be sent to him through registered post within 15 days and come present personally on the next date of hearing

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along with copy of information and copy of postal receipt. In case of non compliance of the Order of the Commission strict action will be taken against the PIO under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

Both the parties should personally come present on the next date of hearing on **14.11.2019 at 11:00 A.M.**

Dated: 16.10.2019

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Shri R.P. Singh, (M: 97790-48083),
Through Shri Rakesh Kumar Gupta, Advocate,
Third Floor, Chamber No.362,
Court Complex, Ludhiana.

..... Appellant

Vs

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

First Appellate Authority-cum-
Commissioner, Municipal Corporation,
Ludhiana.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 3173 of 2019

Present:- Shri R.P. Singh, appellant is present.
None present on behalf of the PIO, O/o Commissioner, M.C., Ludhiana.

O R D E R

Shri R.P. Singh, appellant filed RTI application dated 06.06.2019 and sought some information from the PIO, O/o Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana. When no information was provided to him by the PIO, then he filed First Appeal before the First Appellate Authority on 08.07.2019. Then he filed Second Appeal before the Punjab State Information Commission on 29.08.2019. The case was registered and allocated to the Bench. Notice of hearing was issued to both the parties for today.

The appellant is present today, whereas none has come present on behalf of the PIO.

I have gone through the RTI application dated 06.06.2019 and the appellant sought information regarding property "20-B/3332, Near Aarti Cinema (Pradhan Dhaba), Gurdev Nagar, Ludhiana" and the sought for information is detailed in para nos. 1 to 3 of the RTI application.

The Commission has received an e-mail sent by the PIO, which is a copy of letter no.1473 dated 16.10.2019 and the PIO submitted in the letter that due to health problem he is unable to attend the proceedings to be held on 16.10.2019. It is further submitted by the PIO that information has been provided to the appellant vide letter no.159 dated 15.10.2019. But the appellant stated that he is not satisfied with the information.

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So, the PIO is directed that he should personally come present on the next date of hearing and file reply to the appeal filed by the appellant. In case of non compliance of the Order of the Commission strict action will be taken against the PIO under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

Both the parties should personally come present on the next date of hearing on **14.11.2019 at 11:00 A.M.**

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Shri Varinder Kumar, (M: 94631-69662),
H.No. 420, Tilak Nagar,
Near Tirkona Park,
Amritsar-143001.

Vs

..... Appellant

Public Information Officer,
O/o General Manager,
Punjab Roadways,
Batala.

First Appellate Authority-cum-
Director,
State Transport, Punjab,
Chandigarh.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 3178 of 2019

Present:- Shri Varinder Kumar, appellant is present.
Shri Gagandeep, Clerk is present on behalf of Shri Leela Singh, PIO-cum-Works
Manager, O/o General Manager, Punjab Roadways, Batala.

O R D E R

Shri Varinder Kumar, appellant filed RTI application dated 26.12.2018 and sought some information from the PIO, O/o General Manager, Punjab Roadways, Batala. When no information was provided to him by the PIO, then he filed First Appeal before the First Appellate Authority on 06.02.2019. Then he filed Second Appeal before the Punjab State Information Commission on 27.08.2019. The case was registered and allocated to the Bench. Notice of hearing was issued to both the parties for today.

Both the parties are present today. The appellant stated that no information has been provided to him by the PIO.

Shri Leela Singh, PIO-cum-Works Manager is directed that attested copies of sought for information be provided to the appellant within a week and come present personally on the next date of hearing along with copy of information.

Both the parties should personally come present on the next date of hearing on
14.11.2019 at 11:00 A.M.

Dated: 16.10.2019

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Shri Gaganpreet Singh, (M: 94632-37978),
S/o Shri Manohar Singh,
A-84, New Amritsar,
G.T. Road, Amritsar-143001.

..... Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Govt. Polytechnic College,
Chheharta Road, Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Govt. Polytechnic College,
Chheharta Road, Amritsar.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 3182 of 2019

Present:- Shri Gaganpreet Singh, appellant is present.
Shri Ravinder Jit, PIO-cum-Sr. Lecturer, O/o Govt. Polytechnic College, Amritsar.

O R D E R

Shri Gaganpreet Singh, appellant filed RTI application dated 20.03.2019 and sought some information from the PIO, O/o Govt. Polytechnic College, Chheharta Road, Amritsar. When no information was provided to him by the PIO, then he filed First Appeal before the First Appellate Authority on 22.04.2019. A reply was sent to him by the PIO vide letter no.1223 dated 23.04.2019. Then he filed Second Appeal before the Punjab State Information Commission on 29.08.2019. The case was registered and allocated to the Bench. Notice of hearing was issued to both the parties for today.

Both the parties are present today. The PIO, Shri Ravinder Jit stated that the sought for information has been provided to the appellant by hand on 16.09.2019. The appellant stated that he has received the sought for information and he is satisfied.

The Commission has received a mail sent by the appellant on 09.10.2019 and diarized vide no.19435 and he submitted in the mail that he has received the sought for information and he is satisfied.

The Commission has received another mail sent by the PIO on 09.10.2019 and diarized vide no.19478, which is a copy of letter no.3426 dated 30.09.2019 and the PIO has submitted in the mail that the sought for information has been provided to the appellant by hand on 16.09.2019.

As the information has been provided to the appellant by the PIO and the appellant is satisfied, so the present appeal case is **disposed of and closed**.

(Avtar Singh Kaler)

Dated: 16.10.2019

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Ms. Gursimran Kaur,
836, MIG, PHB Colony,
Jamalpur,
Ludhiana-141010.

..... Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,
Sector-17, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,
Sector-17, Chandigarh.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 3188 of 2019

Present:- Ms. Gursimran Kaur, appellant is absent.
Shri Gurpal Singh, APIO is present on behalf of the PIO, O/o State Transport Commissioner, PB.

O R D E R

Ms. Gursimran Kaur, appellant filed RTI application dated 29.04.2019 and sought some information from the PIO, O/o State Transport Commissioner, Punjab, Chandigarh. When no information was provided to her by the PIO, then she filed First Appeal before the First Appellate Authority on 28.06.2019. Then she filed Second Appeal before the Punjab State Information Commission on 29.08.2019. The case was registered and allocated to the Bench. Notice of hearing was issued to both the parties for today.

The appellant though is absent, but she has sent an e-mail and submitted that she is unable to appear before the Commission at the time of hearing. She further submitted that no information has been provided to her by the PIO. On the other hand Shri Gurpal Singh, APIO has come present on behalf of the PIO.

I have gone through the RTI application dated 29.04.2019. The appellant sought information regarding complete file of complaint filed by Shri Jaspal Singh, Transporter, Ferozepur. The appellant has not mentioned the date, month and year of the complaint.

So, the appellant should specify to the PIO regarding the date, month and year of the complaint within 15 days, so that the PIO would provide her the sought for information.

Both the parties should personally come present on the next date of hearing on
19.11.2019 at 11:00 A.M.

Dated: 16.10.2019

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Ms. Gursimran Kaur,
836, MIG, PHB Colony,
Jamalpur,
Ludhiana-141010.

..... Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Assistant Town Planner (HQ),
Building Branch,
Municipal Corporation, Zone-D,
Ludhiana-141001.

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

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 3189 of 2019

Present:- Ms. Gursimran Kaur, appellant is absent.
Shri Harjit Singh, Draftsman is present on behalf of Shri Vijay Kumar, PIO-cum-Asstt. Town Planner, MC, Zone-D, Ludhiana.

O R D E R

Ms. Gursimran Kaur, appellant filed RTI application dated 23.04.2019 and sought some information from the PIO, O/o Asstt. Town Planner (HQ), Building Branch, Municipal Corporation, Zone-D, Ludhiana. When no information was provided to her by the PIO, then she filed First Appeal before the First Appellate Authority on 28.06.2019 and then Second Appeal before the Punjab State Information Commission on 29.08.2019. The case was registered and allocated to the Bench. Notice of hearing was issued to both the parties for today.

The appellant though is absent, but she has sent an e-mail and submitted that she is unable to appear before the Commission at the time of hearing.

Shri Harjit Singh is present on behalf of the PIO and he stated that the information sought by the appellant was sent to her on 11.06.2019 and on 04.10.2019.

I have gone through the RTI application dated 23.04.2019. The PIO has sent the reply to the appellant vide letter no.63 dated 11.06.2019 and it was replied by the PIO that the information regarding para nos. 1, 2 and 3 of the RTI application is available on the website of the PIO and he has mentioned the website in the reply and the information regarding para no.4

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of the RTI application was sent to the appellant. But inspite of this the appellant filed Second Appeal before the Punjab State Information Commission.

So, in the interest of justice the appellant is directed that she should personally come present on the next date of hearing. In case she would not come present then the case will be heard and decided as per the reply submitted by the PIO.

Both the parties should personally come present on the next date of hearing on **30.10.2019 at 11:00 A.M.**

Dated: 16.10.2019

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Shri Gurbax Singh, (M: 75289-50026),
S/o Shri Narinder Singh,
R/o Village Bholapur, PO Ramgarh,
Chandigarh Raod, Ludhiana-141123.

..... Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Secretary,
Regional Transport Authority,
Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,
Sector-17, Chandigarh.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 3191 of 2019

Present:- Shri Gurbax Singh, appellant is absent.
None present on behalf of the PIO-cum-Secretary, RTA, Ludhiana.

O R D E R

Shri Gurbax Singh, appellant filed RTI application dated 16.01.2019 and sought some information from the PIO, O/o Secretary, Regional Transport Authority, Ludhiana. When no information was provided to him by the PIO, then he filed First Appeal before the First Appellate Authority on 18.03.2019. Then he filed Second Appeal before the Punjab State Information Commission on 29.08.2019. The case was registered and allocated to the Bench. Notice of hearing was issued to both the parties for today.

The appellant is absent without any intimation to the Commission. None has come present on behalf of the PIO, whereas the Commission has received a mail sent by the First Appellate Authority, which is a copy of letter no.2920 dated 10.10.2019 through which the PIO was directed to be present before the Commission on 16.10.2019. But inspite of this the PIO has not come present today.

So, an opportunity is granted to the PIO-cum-Secretary, RTA, Ludhiana that he should personally come present on the next date of hearing and file reply to the appeal filed by the appellant. In case of non compliance of the Order of the Commission strict action will be taken against the PIO under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

Both the parties should personally come present on the next date of hearing on
19.11.2019 at 11:00 A.M.

Dated: 16.10.2019

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Shri Nanak Singh Bhatti, Advocate, (M: 98555-60437),
R/o Village Bal Labe Dariya,
Tehsil Ajnala, Distt. Amritsar.

..... Complainant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Principal,
Dayanand I.T.I. College,
Near DAV College, Katra Sher Singh,
Amritsar.

.....Respondent

Complaint Case No. 767 of 2019

Present:- Shri Nanak Singh Bhatti (Advocate), complainant/applicant is absent without any intimation to the Commission.
Shri Lal Chand, Jr. Asstt. is present on behalf of Shri Gurbaksh Singh, PIO-cum-Principal, Dayanand I.T.I. College, Amritsar.

O R D E R

Shri Nanak Singh Bhatti (Advocate), complainant/applicant filed RTI application dated 01.07.2019 and sought some information from the PIO, O/o Principal, Dayanand I.T.I. College, Amritsar. When no information was provided to him by the PIO, then he filed complaint before the Punjab State Information Commission on 29.08.2019. The case was registered and allocated to the Bench. Notice of hearing was issued to both the parties for today.

The complainant/applicant is absent today without any intimation to the Commission, whereas Shri Lal Chand is present on behalf of the PIO and he stated that the sought for information comprising of 16 pages was sent to the complainant/applicant.

The Commission has received a mail sent by the PIO on 26.09.2019 and diarized vide no.18676, which is a copy of letter no.737 dated 20.09.2019 through which 16 pages of information was sent to the complainant/applicant. The said letter is annexed with the copies of information.

The PIO has sent the information to the appellant vide letter no.737 dated 20.09.2019. A period of about one month has been passed, but neither the complainant/applicant has come present today nor he sent any mail regarding the information. It means the complainant/applicant is satisfied with the information.

As the PIO has resolved the matter involved in the RTI application and provided the information to the complainant/applicant, so the present complaint case is **disposed of and closed**.

(Avtar Singh Kaler)

State Information Commissioner, Punjab.

Dated: 16.10.2019

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Shri Trilochan Singh, (M: 79735-14050),
848-A, MIG, Punjab Housing Board Colony,
Jamalpur, Ludhiana-141010.

Vs

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

..... Complainant

.....Respondent

Complaint Case No. 782 of 2019

Present:- Shri Trilochan Singh, complainant/applicant is absent.
None present on behalf of the PIO, O/o M.C., Ludhiana.

O R D E R

Shri Trilochan Singh, complainant/applicant filed RTI application dated 20.07.2019 and sought some information from the PIO, O/o Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana. When no information was provided to him by the PIO, then he filed complaint against the PIO before the Punjab State Information Commission on 29.08.2019. The case was registered and allocated to the Bench. Notice of hearing was issued to both the parties for today.

Both the parties are absent today. I have gone through the RTI application dated 20.07.2019 and he sought information regarding NOCs issued to petrol pumps at Dugri and Shimlapuri and secondly he sought information regarding the inquiry report related to above said NOCs.

The PIO, O/o M.C., Ludhiana is directed that he should personally come present on the next date of hearing and file reply to the complaint filed by the complainant/applicant that why the information has not been provided to the complainant/applicant within the stipulated period.

Both the parties should personally come present on the next date of hearing on **31.10.2019 at 11:00 A.M.**

Dated: 16.10.2019

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Shri H.S. Hundal, Advocate (M: 98785-00082),
203, Judicial Courts,
Sector 76,
SAS Nagar -160071.

..... Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Registrar of Firms & Societies, Punjab,
17 Bay Building, Bridge Market,
Sector 17-D, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Registrar of Firms & Societies, Punjab,
17 Bay Building, Bridge Market,
Sector 17-D, Chandigarh.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 3099 of 2019

Present:- Shri H.S. Hundal (Advocate), appellant is present.
None present on behalf of the PIO, O/o Registrar of Firms & Societies, Punjab,
Chandigarh.

O R D E R

Shri H.S. Hundal (Advocate), appellant filed RTI application dated 01.06.2019 and sought some information from the PIO, O/o Registrar of Firms & Societies, Punjab, Chandigarh. When no information was provided to him by the PIO, then he filed First Appeal before the First Appellate Authority on 08.07.2019. Then he filed Second Appeal before the Punjab State Information Commission on 26.08.2019. The case was registered and allocated to the Bench. Notice of hearing was issued to both the parties for today.

The appellant, Shri H.S. Hundal is present today, whereas none has come present on behalf of the PIO.

The PIO, O/o Registrar of Firms & Societies, Punjab is directed that the information sought by the appellant be sent to him through registered post within a week and come present personally on the next date of hearing along with copy of information and copy of postal receipt. In case of non compliance of the Order of the Commission strict action will be taken against the PIO under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

Both the parties should personally come present on the next date of hearing on **13.11.2019 at 11:00 A.M.**

Dated: 16.10.2019

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Shri Ashok Kapoor, (M: 98555-56210)
8-C, Kitchlu Nagar,
Ludhiana-141001.

..... Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Sub Divisional Magistrate (W),
Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Deputy Commissioner,
Ludhiana.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 2913 of 2018

Present:- Shri Ashok Kapoor, appellant is present.
Shri Nirmal Singh Shehri, PIO-cum-Suptd., O/o SDM (W), Ludhiana is present.

O R D E R

The Commission has received an e-mail sent by PIO-cum-Tehsildar, Ludhiana (W) that he is unable to appear before the Commission for today as he is busy due to Bye-election at Dakha-068 and requested for another date.

The Commission has received an e-mail sent by the appellant and it is submitted by the appellant that neither the information has been provided to him nor the compensation of Rs.5,000/- has been paid to him by the PIO.

A strict view is taken against the PIO for not providing the information and for not paying the compensation of Rs.5,000/- to the appellant which was awarded on 06.08.2019.

The PIO is directed that a demand draft of Rs.5,000/- from the funds of public authority be paid to the appellant within 10 days and be sent through registered post.

A Show Cause Notice was issued to the PIO on 19.03.2019. The PIO is not vigilant towards his duties. Neither he has provided the information to the appellant nor he is coming present personally on the dates of hearings. He is making pick and choose, sometimes he is coming present and sometimes he sent mails. He is not performing job as prescribed by the law. The conduct of the PIO seems to be not faithful towards the laws and rules.

So, the PIO is directed that he should personally come present on the next date of hearing and file reply to the Show Cause Notice. In case he would not come present then the Show Cause Notice will be decided in his absence assuming that he do not want to say

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anything regarding Show Cause Notice and he will be penalized U/s 20(1) of the RTI Act, 2005.

The PIO is further directed that the information sought by the appellant be sent to him through registered post within a week.

Both the parties should personally come present on the next date of hearing on **19.11.2019 at 11:00 A.M.**

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Shri Ashok Kapoor, (M: 98555-56210)
8-C, Kitchlu Nagar,
Ludhiana-141001.

..... Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Deputy Commissioner,
Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Deputy Commissioner,
Ludhiana.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 2914 of 2018

Present:- Shri Ashok Kapoor, appellant is present.
Shri Nirmal Singh Shehri, PIO-cum-Suptd., O/o SDM (W), Ludhiana is present.

O R D E R

The Commission has received an e-mail sent by PIO-cum-Tehsildar, Ludhiana (W) that he is unable to appear before the Commission for today as he is busy due to Bye-election at Dakha-068 and requested for another date.

The Commission has received an e-mail sent by the appellant and it is submitted by the appellant that neither the information has been provided to him nor the compensation of Rs.5,000/- has been paid to him by the PIO.

A strict view is taken against the PIO for not providing the information and for not paying the compensation of Rs.5,000/- to the appellant which was awarded on 18.09.2019.

The PIO is directed that a demand draft of Rs.5,000/- from the funds of public authority be paid to the appellant within 10 days and be sent through registered post.

A Show Cause Notice was issued to the PIO on 19.03.2019. The PIO is not vigilant towards his duties. Neither he has provided the information to the appellant nor he is coming present personally on the dates of hearings. He is making pick and choose, sometimes he is coming present and sometimes he sent mails. He is not performing job as prescribed by the law. The conduct of the PIO seems to be not faithful towards the laws and rules.

So, the PIO is directed that he should personally come present on the next date of hearing and file reply to the Show Cause Notice. In case he would not come present then the Show Cause Notice will be decided in his absence assuming that he do not want to say

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Appeal Case No. 2914 of 2018

anything regarding Show Cause Notice and he will be penalized U/s 20(1) of the RTI Act, 2005.

The PIO is further directed that the information sought by the appellant be sent to him through registered post within a week.

Both the parties should personally come present on the next date of hearing on **19.11.2019 at 11:00 A.M.**

Dated: 16.10.2019

(Avtar Singh Kaler)
State Information Commissioner, Punjab

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Shri Charanjit Singh,
S/o Shri Sardara Singh,
Village & PO Gill,
Tehsil & Distt. Ludhiana.

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Shiromani Gurudwara Prabandhak Committee,
Amritsar.

..... Complainant

..... Respondent

Complaint Case No. 614 of 2019

Present:- Shri Charanjit Singh, Complainant/applicant is present.
None present on behalf of the PIO, O/o SGPC, Amritsar.

O R D E R

Shri Charanjit Singh, Complainant/applicant filed RTI application dated 17.05.2019 and sought some information from the office of the PIO.

The complainant/applicant is present today, but none has come present on behalf of the PIO.

The Commission has received an e-mail sent by the PIO and he submitted that he is unable to appear before the Commission for today at the time of hearing and requested for adjournment.

The PIO, O/o SGPC, Amritsar is directed that he should personally come present on the next date of hearing and file reply to the complaint filed by the complainant/applicant. In case of non compliance of the Order of the Commission strict action will be taken against the PIO under the provisions of RTI Act, 2005.

Both the parties to come present on the next date of hearing on **07.11.2019 at 11:00 A.M.**

Dated: 16.10.2019

(Avtar Singh Kaler)
State Information Commissioner, Punjab.