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**Bench: Sh. Sanjiv Garg, State Information Commissioner, Punjab.**



**Sh. Rakesh Kumar Gupta (9814924851),**  
**R/o # 8 / 237, Jagraon Road, Mandi Mullanpur,**  
**Distt. Ludhiana (141101) Punjab**

**...Appellant**

**V/s.**

**Public Information Officer,**  
**O/o The Executive Officer,**  
**Nagar Council, Mullanpur Dakha, District – Ludhiana**

**First Appellate Authority,**  
**O/o The Regional Deputy Director,**  
**Urban Local Bodies, Punjab, Ludhiana (Pb.)**

**...Respondent**

**Appeal Case No. 450 of 2020**

**{ Heard in Court Room at SICP office, Sector 16, Chandigarh }**

**Present** : The Appellant, Sh. Rakesh Kumar is present.

Sh. Manohar Singh, Executive Officer -cum- PIO and Sh. Abhay Joshi, Accountant are present from the Department.

**Order:**

This case be read with the reference of previous hearing dated 15.02.2021.

In today's hearing, the PIO, Sh. Manohar Singh states that the information consists of 143 pages has already been supplied to the Appellant.

On this, the Appellant, Sh. Rakesh Kumar states that he just needs the inspection of the online portal and he would be satisfied with that. Apart from that he does not need any information except the online inspection of the record.

On this, EO, Sh. Manohar Singh assures that he will make arrangements for inspection and requested the Court that the Appellant could visit for inspection of the online record on 24.02.2021 at 02:00 P.M..

**To which both the parties mutually agrees to this.**

In view of above, the Appellant is directed to visit the **concerned office on 24.02.2021 positively** for inspecting the concerned information from the EO, Sh. Manohar Singh and if the Appellant does not visit the concerned office for inspecting the record then it will be presumed that he does not require the information anymore and the case will be decided on merits.

If the Appellant visits for the inspection and the inspection could not take place on the said date and time from the end of the Department then it would be presumed that Sh. Manohar Singh, EO is misleading the Court and further strict action would be recommended against him, on the next date of hearing.

**This case is adjourned to 07.04.2021 at 11:00 A.M.' and both the parties are directed to be present on the next date of hearing i.e. 07.04.2021 which is going to be heard through Software/ Application Cisco Webex Meetings. (Meeting Id Number is 918782948.)**

Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

**Dated: 18.02.2021**

**Sd/-**  
**(Sanjiv Garg)**  
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**Appeal Case No. 177 of 2020**

**{ Heard in Court Room at SICP office, Sector 16, Chandigarh }**

**Present** : The Appellant, Sh. Rakesh Kumar is present.

Sh. Manohar Singh, Executive Officer -cum- PIO and Sh. Abhay Joshi, Accountant are present from the Department.

**Order:**

This case be read with the reference of previous hearing dated 15.02.2021.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Rakesh Kumar states that partial information relating to point number (ii) has been supplied to him, as he had received information relating to three buildings only.

On this, the PIO, Sh. Manohar Singh states that as per his knowledge from 01.01.2016 to till the date of RTI Application, the record of 3 buildings is available only and apart from that no other information is available.

An opportunity is given to the PIO, Sh. Manohar Singh to look into this matter and verify the information relating to buildings and supply the information to the Appellant accordingly. Else PIO is directed to file a proper reply in the form of an affidavit as per the comments passed by him during the hearing and recorded above relating to this present case.

Also, the Appellant is directed to visit the **concerned office on 24.02.2021 positively** for collecting the concerned information from the EO, Sh. Manohar Singh or for collecting the affidavit by hand.

If the Appellant does not visit the concerned office for collecting the information then it will be presumed that he does not require the information anymore and the case will be decided on merits.

If the Appellant visit for collecting the records and the information could not be supplied by the PIO on the said date and time then it would be presumed that EO, Sh. Manohar Singh is misleading the Court and further strict action would be recommended against him, on the next date of hearing.

**This case is adjourned to 07.04.2021 at 11:00 A.M.' and both the parties are directed to be present on the next date of hearing i.e. 07.04.2021 which is going to be heard through Software/ Application Cisco Webex Meetings. (Meeting Id Number is 918782948.)**

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...Respondent

**Appeal Case No. 2595 of 2019**

**{ Heard in Court Room at SICP office, Sector 16, Chandigarh }**

**Present** : The Appellant, Sh. Rakesh Kumar is present.

Sh. Manohar Singh, Executive Officer -cum- PIO and Sh. Abhay Joshi, Accountant are present from the Department.

**Order:**

This case be read with the reference of previous hearing dated 15.02.2021.

In today's hearing, the PIO, Sh. Manohar Singh states that the information has already been supplied to the Appellant.

On this, the Appellant, Sh. Rakesh Kumar states that the information which has been supplied to him is not in proper manner and requests the Court for the point wise reply relating to his present RTI Application.

On this, EO, Sh. Manohar Singh assures that he will try to resolve the same and submit the point wise reply to the Appellant as well as to the Commission and requested the Court for a date.

**Both the parties mutually agrees to this.**

**The EO, Manohar Singh is directed to supply the information (point wise reply) to the Appellant on 24.02.2021 at the time of his visit.**

In view of above, the Appellant is directed to visit the **concerned office on 24.02.2021 positively** for collecting the concerned information from the EO, Sh. Manohar Singh and if the Appellant does not visit the concerned office for collecting the record then it will be presumed that he does not require the information anymore and the case will be decided on merits.

If the Appellant visit the concerned office for the collection of records and the information could not be supplied by the PIO on the said date and time then it would be presumed that Sh. Manohar Singh, EO is misleading the Court and further strict action would be recommended against him, on the next date of hearing.

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