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Sh. Vineet Garg, S/o shriSantosh Kumar Garg,
House No. H L 409, Jamalpur Colony,
Ludhiana - 141010

.....Appellant

..Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o DCP, Ludhiana

First Appellate Authority
O/o Commissioner of Police, Ludhiana

.....Respondent

AC No. 4504 of 2019

Present (i) Sh. Vineet Garg the appellant
(ii) For the Respondent: Sh. Ramesh Kumar, ASI

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 03.03.2020.

2. During the last hearing, the appellant was absent and the respondent filed his affidavit.

3. Today, original affidavit is handed over to the appellant. Copy of the same is taken on record. The appellant demands that the respondent be penalized and he be compensated for the detriment suffered.

4. The perusal of the file shows that the appellant filed his RTI on 13.05.2019 and the respondent has sent the information on 04.07.2019. The respondent has also filed an affidavit. Original affidavit is handed over to the appellant today in the Commission. Copy of the same is taken on record. I have gone through the affidavit and have agreed with the same.

Keeping in view the justification given by the Respondent, I am of the view that in this case no compensation is to be paid for and no penalty is to be imposed on the PIO. However, Respondent PIO is warned to be more careful in future while dealing with the matters pertaining to the RTI Act, 2005 and act swiftly.

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5. In view of the foregoing, no cause of action is left, the appeal filed by the appellant is therefore **disposed of and closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated: 18.03.2020

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Ms Prabhjot Kaur,(M:9815002426)
D/o Sh Darshan Singh,
#84, New Jawahar Nagar, Jalandhar

.....Appellant

..Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o DPI(colleges) Pb, Mohali

.....Respondent

CC No. 179 of 2020

Present : (i) None is present on behalf of the Complainant.
(ii) For the respondent : Smt. Pawanjit Kaur, Sr. Assistant

ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated 29.08.2019 whereby the information-seeker has sought information as mentioned in his RTI application. He filed complaint in the Commission on 14.02.2020 under Section 18 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).
2. Notice was issued to the parties for hearing for 18.03.2020 in the Commission.
3. The appellant is absent today.
4. Respondent states that the information has been sent to the appellant.
5. The complainant is absent today. Hence, one more opportunity is given to him to appear before the Commission and state his case. **Sh. Jagdeep Singh, Deputy Director is directed to come present on the next date of hearing.**
6. To come up on **16.04.2020 at 11.00 AM** for further proceedings. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Dated: 18.03.2020

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Sh. Harvinder Singh, S/o Sh. Labh Singh
Warach Colony, Samana, Tehsil and Distt. Patiala

.....Appellant

..Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o, Civil Surgeon, Patiala

First Appellate Authority
o/o Director Health and Family Welfare Punjab
Sector 34, Parivar Kalyan Bhawan
Sector 34A, Chandigarh

.....Respondent

AC No. 283 of 2020

Present: (i) Sh. Harvinder Singh the appellant
(ii) For the respondent: Dr. Mohd. Parvez, Medical Officer

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 02.03.2020 vide which the respondent was directed to file an affidavit.

2. Today, the respondent has filed an affidavit mentioning therein that "*it is submitted that the demanded information was not available in the office due to the shifting of the office as the building in which the office of Civil Surgeon, Patiala was functioning fallen down and the relevant record regarding which the information sought was not available and best efforts made to traceout the record, but the same could not be found, however according to the record which was available in the office i.e. Dispatch Register through which it was noticed that according to the Dispatch register letter no. 480 dated 19.04.2010 the age certificate of Labh Singh son of Barkha Singh was issued and on the basis of this record necessary information was supplied to Shri Harwinder Singh son of Shri Labh Singh through letter no. RTI/19/680 dated 30.12.2019, through registered post, the copy of the letter vide which the demanded information supplied to Shri Harwinder Singh is attached.*"

3. Original affidavit is handed over to the appellant. Copy of the same is taken on record.

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AC No. 283 of 2020

4. In view of the foregoing, no cause of action is left, the appeal filed by the appellant is **disposed of and closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated: 18.03.2020

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Sh Darshan Singh, (M:981500550)
#84, New Jawahar Nagar,
Jalandhar.

.....Appellant

..Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Secretary, Governing Council,
Lyalpur Khalsa College, Jalandhar

.....Respondent

CC No. 180 of 2020

Present : None for the parties.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated NIL whereby the information-seeker has sought information as mentioned in his RTI application. He filed complaint in the Commission on 14.02.2020 under Section 18 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice was issued to the parties for hearing for 18.03.2020 in the Commission.
3. The complainant is not present today. He has sent a letter that he is unable to attend today's hearing.
4. Respondent is also absent today.
5. Since, neither the complainant nor the respondent is present, one more opportunity is given to both the parties to appear before the commission and state their case.
6. To come up on **16.04.2020 at 11.00 AM** for further proceedings. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Dated: 18.03.2020

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Sh.Rakesh Kumar Gupta, Advocate
8/237, Jagraon Road, Mandi Mullanpur
District Ludhiana - 141101

.....Appellant

..Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o, Supdt, MC, Moga

First Appellate Authority
o/o Commissioner, MC, Moga

.....Respondent

AC No. 336 of 2020

Present: (i) None is present on behalf of the appellant
(ii) For the respondent : Sh. Gautam Kumar, STP-cum-PIO

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 02.03.2020 vide which neither the appellant nor the respondent was present.

2. Today the appellant is not present. He has sent a letter.
3. The respondent states that the appellant will inspect the record tomorrow i.e. on 19.03.2020 at 12:00PM in their office. He further adds that the information will be provided to the appellant.
4. To come up on **16.04.2020 at 11:00AM** for further proceedings. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Dated: 18.03.2020

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Sh. Sandeep Kumar, S/o Sh. Tara chand
Ward No. 20, Near Pralad Factory, Street Tara Chand
Bhate Wale Di, Malout, Sri Mukatsar Sahib

.....Appellant

..Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o, Director Food Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs, Punjab
Annaj Mandi, Sector 39C, Chandigarh

First Appellate Authority
O/o, Director Food Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs, Punjab
Annaj Mandi, Sector 39C, Chandigarh

.....Respondent

AC No. 300 of 2020

Present (i) Sh. Sandeep Kumar the appellant
(ii) For the Respondent: None is present on behalf of the respondent

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 02.03.2020 vide which neither the appellant nor the respondent was present.

2. Today the appellant states that no information has been given to him so far.
3. Respondent is absent today.
4. Last opportunity is given to the respondent to appear before the Commission and state his case, failing which action under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act will be initiated.
5. To come up on **09.04.2020 at 11.00 AM** through video conference in the office of Deputy Commissioner, Sri Mukatsar Sahib. Respondent can attend the hearing in the Commission office. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Dated: 18.03.2020

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Sh Sampooran Singh,
S/o S.Lal Singh, VPO Bakipur,
Tehsil & Distt: Tarn Taran-143302

.....Appellant

..Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o General Manager,
District Industrial Centre, Amritsar

First Appellate Authority,
O/o DC, Amritsar

.....Respondent

AC No. 697 of 2020

Present None for the parties.

ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated 20.08.2019 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 14.10.2019 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 10.02.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).
2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 18.03.2020 in the Commission.
3. Today, neither the appellant nor the respondent is present. Respondent has sent an email, the same is taken on record. This is the first date of hearing, therefore one more opportunity is given to both the parties to appear before the Commission and state their case.
4. To come up on **16.04.2020 at 11:00 AM** for further proceedings. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Dated: 18.03.2020

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Sh. Tejinder Singh (Advocate)
R/o Village Bholapur, Post Office Ramgarh
Chandigarh Road, Ludhiana - 141123

.....Appellant

Vs

Registered post: **Public Information Officer,**
O/o Commissioner Food and Drugs Administration,
Kharar, Distt. SAS Nagar

First Appellate Authority
O/o Food Safety Commissioner,
Punjab, Mohali

.....Respondent

AC.No. 1817 of 2019

Present None for the parties.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 03.03.2020 vide which the appellant was not present.

2. Today, again neither the appellant nor the respondent is present. The appellant has sent a letter that he is unable to attend the hearing.
3. Last opportunity is given to the respondent to appear before the Commission and state his case, failing which action under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act will be initiated.
4. To come up on **16.04.2020 at 11.00 AM** for further proceedings. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Dated: 18.03.2020

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S Harbinder Singh, (M-9888145991)
S/o ShPiara Singh,
R/o Village KotlaKhurd(Khushipur),
PO Kathunangal,
Tehsil &Distt Amritsar

.....Appellant

..Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o DPI(Colleges) Pb, Mohali
First Appellate Authority
O/o DPI(Colleges) Pb, Mohali

.....Respondent

AC No. 710 of 2020

Present: (i)None for the Appellant.

(ii)For the Respondent: ShHem Chand, SrAsstt.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 09.10.2019 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 12.02.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 18.03.2020 in the Commission.

3. The Appellant is not present today. However, an e-mail has been received from the Appellant stating that he shall not be able to attend the hearing today.

4. The Respondent states the information cannot be provided to the Appellant as the College regarding which the information, i.e Anand College of Education for Women, does not fall under the ambit of RTI Act.

5. After perusing the case file, it is ascertained that the information has not been provided to the Appellant. The Respondent states that the College regarding which the information does not fall under the ambit of RTI Act. Hence, PIO- Sh Darshan Singh Brar, Assistant Director, is directed to be present personally on the next date of hearing and file an affidavit stating the same.

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AC No. 710 of 2020

6. To come up on **16.04.2020 at 11:00AM**. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Dated: 18.03.2020

(Preety Chawla)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

(Registered Post)

CC: PIO- ShDarshan Singh Brar, Assistant Director O/o DPI (colleges) Pb, Mohali

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S Tirlochan Singh, House No.848A,
M.I.G Jamalpur Colony, Distt Ludhiana

.....Appellant

..Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Director, Vigilance Bureau, Pb
Vigilance Bhawan, Sector 68, SAS Nagar.

First Appellate Authority
O/o Director, Vigilance Bureau, Pb
Vigilance Bhawan, Sector 68, SAS Nagar

.....Respondent

AC No. 740 of 2020

Present: (i)None for the Appellant.

(ii)For the Respondent: Sh Rajesh Kumar, SI and Mukhjinder Singh, SI

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 04.10.2019vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 14.02.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 18.03.2020 in the Commission.

3. The Appellant is not present today.

4. The Respondent states that the information sought by the Appellant relates to a third-party. However, the so-called third party has given his consent not to provide his information to the Appellant.

5. This is the first date of hearing and the Appellant is not present today. Hence, an opportunity is given to the Appellant to appear before the Commission and state his case.

6. To come up on **16.04.2020 at 11:00AM**. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

Sd-

Dated: 18.03.2020

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SmtBalwinderKaur, W/o Late ShriGurpal Singh,
Village Chanalo, PO MalokMajra,
Tehsil and Distt.Fatehgarh Sahib

.....Appellant

..Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Civil Surgeon, Patiala

.....Respondent

CC No. 982 of 2020

Present: (i) Smt BalwinderKaur, Appellant.

(ii) For the Respondent: DrMohd. Parvez, Medical officer

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 02.03.2020.

2. As directed in the previous hearing , the Respondent files his affidavit today as under:-

"I state on oath that Balwinder Kaur has been informed vide letter No. RTI/19/606 dt. 28.11.19, through registered post that due to the non-availability of record the demaded information prayed for by her cannot be given to her, the copy attached. Moreover the record regarding which the information has been sought is about 37 years old."

I have gone through the same and have agreed with it. Original copy of the affidavit is handed over to the Appellant.

3. In view of the foregoing, no further cause of action is left. Therefore, the Appeal case filed by the Appellant is **disposed off and closed**. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Dated: 18.03.2020

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Dr Sat Paul Sharma,
R/o Flat No.203/1, Block-2,
Housefed Complex,
Banur, Distt SAS Nagar

.....Appellant

..Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o MC Patiala

First Appellate Authority
O/o MC Patiala

.....Respondent

AC No. 296 of 2020

Present: None for the parties.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 02.03.2020.

2. The Appellant is not present today. However, an e-mail has been received from the Appellant stating that he shall not be able to attend that hearing today due to his ill-health.
3. No one has appeared on behalf of the Respondent today. He has sent a letter.
4. Hence, one opportunity is given to both the parties to appear before the Commission and state their case.
5. To come up on **16.04.2020 at 11:00AM**. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Dated: 18.03.2020

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Sh. Tilak Raj Sharma, # 70, Ambika Colony
Behind K M.V College, Jalandhar – 144004

..... Complainant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Director Health and Family Welfare Punjab
Parivar Kalyan Bhawan, Sector 34,
Chandigarh

Registered post: Public Information Officer
o/o Civil Surgeon, Jalandhar

Registered post: Public Information Officer
o/o Medical Education Bhawan,
Near Excise and Taxation Building, Sector 69
SAS Nagar

.....Respondent

CC.No. 1063 of 2019

Present: (i) Sh. Tilak Raj the complainant
(ii) None for the respondent

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 05.03.2020.

2. The Complainant states that the complete information has not been provided to him till date.
3. No one has appeared on behalf of the Respondent today.
4. Hence, one opportunity is given to the Respondent to appear before the Commission and state their case.
5. To come up on **09.04.2020 at 11.00 AM** through Video-Conferencing facility in the office of DC, Jalandhar. Further the Respondent can attend the hearing in the Commission office. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated: 18.03.2020

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