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**Sh. Ravinder Pal Singh (9814228629)**  
# 30, Banda Bahadur Nagar,  
Jalandhar.

Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**  
O/o MC, Jalandhar.

**First Appellate Authority**  
O/o Commissioner, MC, Jalandhar.

Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 1121 of 2022**  
**Through CISCO WEBEX**

**Present:** Appellant - Sh. Ravinder Pal Singh is present.  
Respondent: Ms. Pooja Mann, Building Inspector is present from the Department.

**ORDER:**

1. The RTI application is dated 28.06.2021 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 10.08.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 04.03.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 18.8.2022 at 11.00 a.m. i.e. today.
2. In today's hearing, appellant states that no information has been supplied to him.
3. The representative of the Respondent / PIO, Ms. Pooja Mann (Building Inspector) is present and further requests for an adjournment as she was unaware of today's hearing. She further assures that she would look into this and comply the orders of the Commission accordingly.
4. After going through the case file, I am of the view that respondent PIO is directed to supply the point-wise reply/information to the appellant within ten days from today to the appellant. The concerned PIO is also directed to represent this case in person on the next date of hearing positively, failing which stern action will be initiated against him.
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**Dated: 18.08.2022**

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Appellant

Versus

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O/o MC, Jalandhar.

**First Appellate Authority**  
O/o Commissioner, MC, Jalandhar.

Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 1122 of 2022**  
**Through CISCO WEBEX**

**Present:** Appellant - Sh. Ravinder Pal Singh is present.  
Respondent: Ms. Pooja Mann, Building Inspector is present from the Department.

**ORDER:**

1. The RTI application is dated 30.06.2021 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 10.08.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 04.03.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 18.8.2022 at 11.00 a.m. i.e. today.
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Appellant

Versus

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O/o MC, Jalandhar.

**First Appellate Authority**  
O/o Commissioner, MC, Jalandhar.

Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 1123 of 2022**  
**Through CISCO WEBEX**

**Present:** Appellant - Sh. Ravinder Pal Singh is present.  
Respondent: Ms. Pooja Mann, Building Inspector is present from the Department.

**ORDER:**

1. The RTI application is dated 02.07.2021 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 10.08.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 04.03.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 18.8.2022 at 11.00 a.m. i.e. today.
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3. The representative of the Respondent / PIO, Ms. Pooja Mann (Building Inspector) is present and further requests for an adjournment as she was unaware of today's hearing. She further assures that she would look into this and comply the orders of the Commission accordingly.
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Appellant

Versus

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O/o MC, Jalandhar.

**First Appellate Authority**  
O/o Commissioner, MC, Jalandhar.

Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 1124 of 2022**  
**Through CISCO WEBEX**

**Present:** Appellant - Sh. Ravinder Pal Singh is present.  
Respondent: Ms. Pooja Mann, Building Inspector is present from the Department.

**ORDER:**

1. The RTI application is dated 05.07.2021 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 10.08.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 04.03.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 18.8.2022 at 11.00 a.m. i.e. today.
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Appellant

Versus

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O/o MC, Jalandhar.

**First Appellate Authority**  
O/o Commissioner, MC, Jalandhar.

Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 1125 of 2022**  
**Through CISCO WEBEX**

**Present:** Appellant - Sh. Ravinder Pal Singh is present.  
Respondent: Ms. Pooja Mann, Building Inspector is present from the Department.

**ORDER:**

1. The RTI application is dated 05.07.2021 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 10.08.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 04.03.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 18.8.2022 at 11.00 a.m. i.e. today.
2. In today's hearing, appellant states that no information has been supplied to him.
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Jalandhar.

Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**  
O/o MC, Jalandhar.

**First Appellate Authority**  
O/o Commissioner, MC, Jalandhar.

Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 1126 of 2022**  
**Through CISCO WEBEX**

**Present:** Appellant - Sh. Ravinder Pal Singh is present.  
Respondent: Ms. Pooja Mann, Building Inspector is present from the Department.

**ORDER:**

1. The RTI application is dated 05.07.2021 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 10.08.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 04.03.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 18.8.2022 at 11.00 a.m. i.e. today.
2. In today's hearing, appellant states that no information has been supplied to him.
3. The representative of the Respondent / PIO, Ms. Pooja Mann (Building Inspector) is present and further requests for an adjournment as she was unaware of today's hearing. She further assures that she would look into this and comply the orders of the Commission accordingly.
4. After going through the case file, I am of the view that respondent PIO is directed to supply the point-wise reply/information to the appellant within ten days from today to the appellant. The concerned PIO is also directed to represent this case in person on the next date of hearing positively, failing which stern action will be initiated against him.
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Jalandhar.

Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**  
O/o MC, Jalandhar.

**First Appellate Authority**  
O/o Commissioner, MC, Jalandhar.

Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 1128 of 2022**  
**Through CISCO WEBEX**

**Present:** Appellant - Sh. Ravinder Pal Singh is present.  
Respondent: Ms. Pooja Mann, Building Inspector is present from the Department.

**ORDER:**

1. The RTI application is dated 14.07.2021 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 25.08.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 04.03.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 18.8.2022 at 11.00 a.m. i.e. today.
2. In today's hearing, appellant states that no information has been supplied to him.
3. The representative of the Respondent / PIO, Ms. Pooja Mann (Building Inspector) is present and further requests for an adjournment as she was unaware of today's hearing. She further assures that she would look into this and comply the orders of the Commission accordingly.
4. After going through the case file, I am of the view that respondent PIO is directed to supply the point-wise reply/information to the appellant within ten days from today to the appellant. The concerned PIO is also directed to represent this case in person on the next date of hearing positively, failing which stern action will be initiated against him.
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Jalandhar.

Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**  
O/o MC, Jalandhar.

**First Appellate Authority**  
O/o Commissioner, MC, Jalandhar.

Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 1118 of 2022**  
**Through CISCO WEBEX**

**Present:** Appellant - Sh. Ravinder Pal Singh is present.  
Respondent: Ms. Pooja Mann, Building Inspector is present from the Department.

**ORDER:**

1. This case may be read with the reference of the previous order dated 17.08.2022.
2. In today's hearing, appellant states that no information has been supplied to him.
3. The representative of the Respondent / PIO, Ms. Pooja Mann (Building Inspector) is present and further requests for an adjournment as she was unaware of today's hearing. She further assures that she would look into this and comply the orders of the Commission accordingly.
4. After going through the case file, I am of the view that respondent PIO is directed to supply the point-wise reply/information to the appellant within ten days from today to the appellant. The concerned PIO is also directed to represent this case in person on the next date of hearing positively, failing which stern action will be initiated against him.
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# 30, Banda Bahadur Nagar,  
Jalandhar.

Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**  
O/o MC, Jalandhar.

**First Appellate Authority**  
O/o Commissioner, MC, Jalandhar.

Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 1119 of 2022**  
**Through CISCO WEBEX**

**Present:** Appellant - Sh. Ravinder Pal Singh is present.  
Respondent: Ms. Pooja Mann, Building Inspector is present from the Department.

**ORDER:**

1. This case may be read with the reference of the previous order dated 17.08.2022.
2. In today's hearing, appellant states that no information has been supplied to him.
3. The representative of the Respondent / PIO, Ms. Pooja Mann (Building Inspector) is present and further requests for an adjournment as she was unaware of today's hearing. She further assures that she would look into this and comply the orders of the Commission accordingly.
4. After going through the case file, I am of the view that respondent PIO is directed to supply the point-wise reply/information to the appellant within ten days from today to the appellant. The concerned PIO is also directed to represent this case in person on the next date of hearing positively, failing which stern action will be initiated against him.
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**Sh. Manjinder Singh (9872015069)**  
# 2469, Sunny Enclave, Sector 125, Kharar,  
District Mohali (140301)

Appellant

Versus

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

**First Appellate Authority**  
O/o Secretary,  
Regional Transport Authority, Ferozepur.

Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 869 of 2022**  
**Through CISCO WEBEX**

**Present:** Appellant - Sh. Manjinder Singh is present.  
Respondent: Sh. Neeraj, Clerk is present from the Department.

**ORDER:**

1. The above mentioned case was earlier fixed for 13.07.2022, which was postponed and fixed for today i.e. 18.08.2022.
2. In today's hearing, representative of the Respondent / PIO, Clerk, Sh. Neeraj states that the information had already been supplied to him.
3. Appellant states that partial information has been supplied to him. He adds that list has been supplied to him month wise instead of date wise as demanded in RTI application with regard to point no. 1 and 2. He further adds that no information has been supplied with regard to point number 03. He also pointed out that other RTA offices had already supplied the similar information and he is not satisfied with the reply/information received from the RTA, Ferozepur.
4. After going through the case file, I am of the view that respondent PIO is directed to supply proper point-wise attested copies of reply/information (after removing the deficiencies as discussed above) to the appellant within ten days from today. The concerned PIO is also directed to represent this case in person on the next date of hearing positively, failing which stern action will be initiated against him.
5. To come up on **28.09.2022 at 11:00 A.M. through CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties. (Steps to use CISCO WEBEX: Install CISCO Webex->Click on Join Meeting->Enter Meeting Number 1582933632).

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**Sh. Sanjeev Goyal (9814197689)**

S/o Sh. Ashok Kumar,  
# 148 , Model Town, Phase- I,  
Bathinda.

Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**  
O/o SSP, Mansa.

**First Appellate Authority**  
O/o IGP, Bathinda Range, Bathinda.

Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 865 of 2022**  
**Through CISCO WEBEX**

**Present:** Appellant - Sh. Sanjeev Goyal is present.  
Respondent: Sh. Amritpal, ASI is present from the Department.

**ORDER:**

1. The above mentioned case was earlier fixed for 13.07.2022, which was postponed and fixed for 18.8.2022 i.e. today.
2. In today's hearing, appellant states that he is not satisfied with the supplied information.
3. The representative of the Respondent / PIO, ASI, Sh. Amritpal states that the information has been sent to the appellant vide dated 15.12.2021 through normal post.
4. After going through the case file, I am of the view that respondent PIO is directed to supply proper point-wise attested copies of reply/information again to the appellant within ten days from today. The concerned PIO is also directed to represent this case in person on the next date of hearing positively, failing which stern action will be initiated against him.
5. To come up on **28.09.2022 at 11:00 A.M. through CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties. (Steps to use CISCO WEBEX: Install CISCO Webex->Click on Join Meeting->Enter Meeting Number 1582933632).

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**Sh. Sanjeev Goyal (9814197689)**

S/o Sh. Ashok Kumar,  
# 148, Model Town, Phase- I,  
Bathinda.

Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer (By Name)**

**(Regd. Post)** O/o M.C., Bathinda.

**First Appellate Authority**

O/o M.C., Bathinda.

Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 3023 of 2021**

**Through CISCO WEBEX**

**Present:** Appellant - Sh. Sanjeev Goyal is present.

Respondent: Sh. Amardeep Singh, Superintendent along with Sh. Deepak, Clerk is present from the Department.

**ORDER:**

1. This case may be read with the reference of the previous order dated 17.03.2022 vide which it was observed that information in connection with point no. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 had already been supplied. A copy of previous order was sent to respondent PIO, Sh. Inderjit Singh to supply the information in connection with point no. 6 to 12. He was also directed to appear in person on the next date of hearing i.e. today (18.08.2022).
2. In today's hearing, appellant states that information relating to remaining points (i.e. from 6 to 12) is still pending.
3. The representative of the Respondent / PIO, Clerk, Sh. Deepak states that the information which relates to his department i.e. point number 4 and 5 has already been supplied to the appellant and he is satisfied with the same.
4. The Superintendent, Sh. Amardeep Singh states that information has to be supplied by ATP – PIO, Sh. Inderjit Singh but he got transferred from the department.
5. Commission takes a serious view of the casual approach of the Respondent / PIO. In view of the foregoing, respondent PIO, Sh. Inderjit Singh, O/o MC (ATP Branch), Bathinda is directed to **Show Cause** in writing or through affidavit under Section 20(1) of the RTI Act, as to why penalty be not imposed upon him for willful delay/ denial of the information to the RTI applicant and why the compensation be not awarded to the complainant under Section 19 (8)(b) of the Act for detriment suffered.
6. In addition to his submission, the PIO is also hereby given an opportunity under Section 20(1) proviso, thereto, for a personal hearing before the imposition of such penalty on the next date of hearing. He may note that in case he does not file his submission and does not avail himself of the opportunity of personal hearing on the next date fixed, it will be presumed that he has nothing to say and the Commission shall proceed to take further proceedings against him ex-parte.
7. A copy of this order be also sent to the First Appellate Authority i.e. the Commissioner, MC, Bathinda for the compliance of this order and to look into the matter as RTI Act, 2005 came into existence to promote transparency and accountability in the working of every public authority, not for the harassment of the public.

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**Appeal Case No.: 3023 of 2021**  
**Through CISCO WEBEX**



8. It is observed that respondent PIO, Sh. Inderjit Singh did not bother to comply with the previous order of the Commission, even he did not pay heed to sent a reply in this regard. Accordingly he is directed to appear in person on the next date of hearing positively.
9. Present concerned respondent PIO is also directed to appear in Commission along with the record relates with the present instant appeal case.
10. Respondents, Sh. Amardeep and Sh. Deepak in connection with point no. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 are exempted till further orders. They are advised to convey the message to concerned respondent PIOs in connection with point no. 6 to 12 of the RTI application.
11. Appellant is on liberty either to attend hearing at PSIC Office or through CISCO WEBEX Meeting (meeting number 1582933632).
12. Matter is adjourned for further hearing on **22.09.2022 at 11:00 A.M.** Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

**Dated: 18.08.2022**

**(Anumit Singh Sodhi)**  
**State Information Commissioner**  
**Punjab**

**Show Cause:**

**(Regd. Post)**

**Sh. Inderjit Singh**  
O/o M.C., (ATP Branch)  
Bathinda

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**Sh. Pankaj Kumar (9988241285)**  
S/o Sh. Nabh Singh  
MCB Zone-6, H. No. 3225, Gali No. 1-B  
Surkhpeer Road,  
Bathinda-151001

Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**  
O/o M.C., Bathinda.

**First Appellate Authority**  
O/o M.C., Bathinda.

Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 2850 of 2021**  
**Through CISCO WEBEX**

**Present:** Appellant - Sh. Sanjeev Goyal on behalf of the appellant.  
Respondent: Sh. Amardeep Singh, Superintendent along with Sh. Rajinder, Executive Engineer is present from the Department.

**ORDER:**

1. This case may be read with the reference of the previous order dated 26.04.2022 vide which the appellant was directed to visit the office of the respective PIO's to get the pending information, if any and this case was fixed for today's hearing i.e. 18.08.2022.
2. In today's hearing, representative of the appellant states that information relating to point number 6 and 7 is still pending and unattested copies of information has been supplied to him in relating to point number 4, 5, 9 and 10.
3. The representative of the Respondent / PIO, Executive Engineer, Sh. Rajinder Kumar states that the information (i.e. point number 1 and 2) relates with their department and the same has been supplied to the appellant to his satisfaction.
4. On further discussion, it has been found that the appellant did not visit the concerned office as he was supposed to go as per order passed by the undersigned bench dated 26.04.2022.
5. The Superintendent, Sh. Amardeep Singh states information has been supplied to the appellant.
6. The appellant expresses his dissatisfaction on the supplied information and he is advised to visit office of the respective PIO's to get the pending information, if any, on 22.08.2022 at 3.00 p.m. Respondent PIO is directed to supply the pending information, if any, pointed out by the appellant under intimation to the Commission on his visit at 22.08.2022. In case, information is not available, then give in writing to the appellant with a copy to the Commission. The Appellant is also directed to get the information certified which has been supplied to him earlier; at the time of his visit to the concerned department.
7. The matter is adjourned for further hearing on **22.09.2022 at 11:00 A.M. through WEBEX Meeting** (meeting number 1582933632) Copy of the orders be sent to the parties. (Steps to use CISCO WEBEX: Install CISCO Webex->Click on Join Meeting->Enter Meeting Number 1582933632).

**Dated: 18.08.2022**

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**Sh. Ravinder Pal Singh (9814228629)**  
# 30, Banda Bahadur Nagar,  
Jalandhar.

Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**  
O/o SHO, Police Station, Sangat, District Bathinda.

**First Appellate Authority**  
O/o IGP, Bathinda Range, Bathinda.

Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 4952 of 2021**  
**Through CISCO WEBEX**

**Present:** Appellant - Sh. Ravinder Pal Singh is present.  
Respondent: None is present from the Department.

**ORDER:**

1. The above mentioned case was earlier fixed for 13.07.2022, which was postponed and fixed for 17.8.2022 i.e. today.
2. In today's hearing, appellant states that no information has been supplied to him.
3. None is present from the Department.
4. After going through the case file, I am of the view that respondent PIO is directed to supply the point-wise reply/information to the appellant within ten days after receipt of this order. The concerned PIO is also directed to represent this case in person on the next date of hearing positively, failing which stern action will be initiated against him.
5. To come up on **22.09.2022 at 11:00 A.M. through CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties. (Steps to use CISCO WEBEX: Install CISCO Webex->Click on Join Meeting->Enter Meeting Number 1582933632).

**Dated: 18.08.2022**

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**Sh. Amrik Singh (9780471515)**

D 4, Ambedkar Society,  
Sector 76, SAS Nagar (Mohali)



Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**

O/o Regional Transport Authority, Amritsar.

**First Appellate Authority**

O/o State Transport Commissioner, Punjab  
Sector 17, Chandigarh .

Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 3833 of 2021**

**Through CISCO WEBEX**

**Present:** Appellant – Ms. Navneet Kaur is present on behalf of the Appellant.  
Respondent: None is present from the Department.

**ORDER:**

1. This case may be read with the reference of the previous order dated 11.05.2022 vide which the concerned PIO was directed to supply the information to the appellant relating to Appellant's RTI within seven days after receipt of this order.
2. In today's hearing, the representative of the appellant, Ms. Navneet Kaur states that no information has been supplied to the Appellant till date.
3. Respondent PIO is consecutively absent second time without any intimation to the Commission in spite prior intimation through phone calls by the undersigned Bench.
4. Commission takes a serious view of the casual approach of the Respondent / PIO. In view of the foregoing, **respondent PIO, O/o RTA, Amritsar is directed to Show Cause** in writing or through affidavit under Section 20(1) of the RTI Act, as to why penalty be not imposed upon him for willful delay/ denial of the information to the RTI applicant and why the compensation be not awarded to the complainant under Section 19 (8)(b) of the Act for detriment suffered.
5. In addition to his submission, the PIO is also hereby given an opportunity under Section 20(1) proviso, thereto, for a personal hearing before the imposition of such penalty on the next date of hearing. He may note that in case he does not file his submission and does not avail himself of the opportunity of personal hearing on the next date fixed, it will be presumed that he has nothing to say and the Commission shall proceed to take further proceedings against him ex-parte.
6. A copy of this order be also sent to the First Appellate Authority i.e. the STC, Punjab, Chandigarh for the compliance of this order and to look into the matter as RTI Act, 2005 came into existence to promote transparency and accountability in the working of every public authority, not for the harassment of the public.
7. **PIO concerned is directed to appear in Commission along with the information on the next date of hearing.**



**Appeal Case No.: 3833 of 2021**  
**Through CISCO WEBEX**

8. Appellant is on liberty either to attend hearing at PSIC Office or through CISCO WEBEX Meeting (meeting number 1582933632).
9. **Matter is adjourned for further hearing on 22.09.2022 at 11:00 A.M.** Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

**Dated: 18.08.2022**

**(Anumit Singh Sodhi)**  
**State Information Commissioner**  
**Punjab**

**Show Cause:**

**(Regd. Post)**      **Public Information Officer (By Name)**  
O/o Regional Transport Authority, Amritsar.

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**Sh. Ashok Kumar (9417295387)**

Appellant

S/o Sh. Roshan Lal,  
R/o F 7 / 250, Aarewali Street, Kashmir Avenue,  
Amritsar.

Versus

**Public Information Officer**

O/o Municipal Corporation, Amritsar.

**First Appellate Authority**

O/o Commissioner, MC, Amritsar.

Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 3702 of 2021**

**Through CISCO WEBEX**

**Present:** Appellant – Sh. Ashok Kumar is present.

Respondent: Sh. Angrej Singh, Building Inspector is present from the Department in the Court.

**ORDER:**

1. This case may be read with the reference of the previous order dated 21.07.2022 vide which the concerned PIO was directed to supply the information to the appellant relating to Appellant's RTI and a Show Cause notice was issued to him. Matter was adjourned for further hearing on 18.08.2022 i.e. today.
2. In today's hearing, the appellant, Sh. Ashok Kumar states that incomplete information has been supplied to him and further requests for Building Plan as per his RTI.
3. The Building inspector, Sh. Angrej Singh states that the same could not be provided. He submits a reply comprising a letter no.138 dated 17.08.2022 along with building permit/sanction dated 05.03.2021, which is taken on record.
4. After going through the case file, I am of the view that respondent PIO is directed to supply the Building Plan to the appellant within ten days from today to the appellant. The concerned PIO is also directed to represent this case in person on the next date of hearing positively.
5. To come up on **21.09.2022 at 11:00 A.M. through CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties. (Steps to use CISCO WEBEX: Install CISCO Webex->Click on Join Meeting->Enter Meeting Number 1582933632).

**Dated: 18.08.2022**

**(Anumit Singh Sodhi)**  
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**Sh. Baldev Singh (9814715043)**

R/o H. No. 933 / 7-A, Street No. 05,  
New Deep Nagar, Civil Lines, Ludhiana (141001)



Appellant

Versus

**(Regd. Post) Public Information Officer (By Name)**  
O/o Commissioner, Jalandhar Division,  
Jalandhar.

**(Regd. Post) Public Information Officer (By Name)**  
O/o The Deputy Commissioner,  
Jalandhar.

**First Appellate Authority**

O/o Commissioner, Jalandhar Division,  
Jalandhar.

Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 3602 of 2021**  
**Through CISCO WEBEX**

**Present:** Appellant – Sh. Baldev Singh is absent.

Respondent: Ms. Anita Rani, Junior Assistant, office of DC, Jalandhar is present from the Department.

**ORDER:**

1. This case may be read with the reference of the previous order dated 10.05.2022.
2. In today's hearing, the appellant, Sh. Baldev Singh is absent.
3. The Junior Assistant, Ms. Anita Rani states that a reply had already been sent to the Commission vide letter no. 346-C dated 04.08.2022 (received in the Commission vide diary no. 18159 dated 17.08.2022) stating as under:

ਨੰਬਰ:- 346-C /ਆਰ.ਟੀ.ਆਈ ਬ੍ਰਾਂਚ ਮਿਤੀ 4/8/22

ਵਿਸ਼ਾ:- ਅਪੀਲ ਕੇਸ ਨੰਬਰ 3602 ਆਫ 2021 (ਵਲੋਂ ਸ਼੍ਰੀ ਬਲਦੇਵ ਸਿੰਘ)।

ਉਪਰੋਕਤ ਅਪੀਲ ਕੇਸ ਸਬੰਧੀ ਬੇਨਤੀ ਹੈ ਕਿ ਇਸ ਅਪੀਲ ਕੇਸ ਨਾਲ ਸਬੰਧਤ ਆਰ.ਟੀ.ਆਈ ਦਰਖਾਸਤ ਪੀ.ਆਈ.ਓ ਦਫਤਰ ਡਿਪਟੀ ਕਮਿਸ਼ਨਰ ਜਲੰਧਰ ਨੂੰ ਪ੍ਰਾਪਤ ਨਹੀਂ ਹੋਈ। ਇਸ ਅਪੀਲ ਕੇਸ ਦੀ ਸੁਣਵਾਈ ਵਿੱਚ ਪੀ.ਆਈ.ਓ ਦਫਤਰ ਕਮਿਸ਼ਨਰ ਜਲੰਧਰ ਮੰਡਲ ਜਲੰਧਰ ਵਲੋਂ ਕਿਹਾ ਗਿਆ ਹੈ ਕਿ ਉਹਨਾਂ ਵਲੋਂ ਆਰ.ਟੀ.ਆਈ ਦਰਖਾਸਤ ਐਕਟ ਦੀ ਧਾਰਾ 6(3) ਅਧੀਨ ਟਰਾਂਸਫਰ ਕੀਤੀ ਗਈ ਹੈ। ਇਸ ਦਫਤਰ ਵਲੋਂ ਪੀ.ਆਈ.ਓ ਕਮਿਸ਼ਨਰ ਜਲੰਧਰ ਮੰਡਲ ਜਲੰਧਰ ਨੂੰ ਇਸ ਦਫਤਰ ਦੇ ਪੱਤਰ ਨੰਬਰ 364/ਆਰ.ਟੀ.ਆਈ ਬ੍ਰਾਂਚ ਮਿਤੀ 2/6/22 ਅਤੇ 364-ਏ/ਆਰ.ਟੀ.ਆਈ ਬ੍ਰਾਂਚ ਮਿਤੀ 6/7/22 ਰਾਹੀਂ ਲਿਖਿਆ ਗਿਆ ਕਿ ਉਪਰੋਕਤ ਅਪੀਲ ਕੇਸ ਨਾਲ ਸਬੰਧਤ ਦਰਖਾਸਤ ਇਸ ਦਫਤਰ ਵਿੱਚ ਪ੍ਰਾਪਤ ਨਹੀਂ ਹੋਈ, ਜਿਸ ਪੱਤਰ ਰਾਹੀਂ ਆਪ ਵਲੋਂ ਆਰ.ਟੀ.ਆਈ ਦਰਖਾਸਤ ਪੀ.ਆਈ.ਓ ਦਫਤਰ ਡਿਪਟੀ ਕਮਿਸ਼ਨਰ ਜਲੰਧਰ ਨੂੰ ਟਰਾਂਸਫਰ ਕੀਤੀ ਗਈ ਹੈ ਉਹ ਪੱਤਰ ਦੀ ਕਾਪੀ ਭੇਜੀ ਜਾਵੇ ਪ੍ਰਤੀ ਉਹਨਾਂ ਵਲੋਂ ਕੋਈ ਲਿਖਤੀ ਜਵਾਬ ਨਹੀਂ ਦਿੱਤਾ। ਉਹਨਾਂ ਵਲੋਂ ਜ਼ਬਾਨੀ ਤੌਰ ਤੇ ਦੱਸਿਆ ਗਿਆ ਕਿ ਇਸ ਅਪੀਲ ਕੇਸ ਨਾਲ ਸਬੰਧਤ ਦਰਖਾਸਤ ਪੀ.ਆਈ.ਓ ਦਫਤਰ ਡਿਪਟੀ ਕਮਿਸ਼ਨਰ ਲੁਧਿਆਣਾ ਨੂੰ ਟਰਾਂਸਫਰ ਕੀਤੀ ਗਈ ਹੈ। ਇਸ ਲਈ ਹੇਠਾਂ ਦਿੱਤੇ ਪਿੱਠ ਅੰਕਣ ਰਾਹੀਂ ਪੀ.ਆਈ.ਓ ਦਫਤਰ ਕਮਿਸ਼ਨਰ, ਜਲੰਧਰ ਮੰਡਲ ਜਲੰਧਰ ਜੀ ਨੂੰ ਵੀ ਕੇਸ ਦੀ ਧੋਰਵੀ ਲਈ ਲਿਖਿਆ ਜਾਂਦਾ ਹੈ ਤਾਂ ਜੋ ਪਤਾ ਲਗ ਸਕੇ ਕਿ ਉਹਨਾਂ ਵਲੋਂ ਦਰਖਾਸਤ ਕਿਸ ਦਫਤਰ ਨੂੰ ਟਰਾਂਸਫਰ ਕੀਤੀ ਗਈ ਹੈ।

4. After hearing the respondent and examining the case file, it is observed that respondent PIO, O/o DC, Jalandhar was impelated as a necessary party by the Bench of the then Ld. SIC, Sh. Hem Inder Singh vide order dated 02.11.2021. Accordingly, PIOs, O/o Commissioner, Jalandhar Division, Jalandhar and O/o DC, Jalandhar are directed to appear in person on the next date of hearing positively to clear the facts of this case, failing which stern action will be initiated against them. It is also observed precious time and resources of the Commission is going waste and it also affects the disposal of the case. A copy of this order be sent to the them through registered post for their ready reference.
5. To come up on **21.09.2022 at 11:00 A.M. through CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties. (Steps to use CISCO WEBEX: Install CISCO Webex->Click on Join Meeting->Enter Meeting Number 1582933632).

**Dated: 18.08.2022**

**(Anumit Singh Sodhi)**  
**State Information Commissioner**  
**Punjab**