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Sh.R.P.Mittal , # 20 Sukhmani Enclave,  
PO Tower Town Colony, Jalandhar -144014  
(9815483298)

.....Appellant

**Vs**

**Public Information Officer,**  
O/o Additional Chief Secretary to Govt. of Punjab  
Department of Governance Reforms,  
Chandigarh  
**First Appellate Authority,**  
O/o Additional Chief Secretary to Govt. of Punjab  
Department of Governance Reforms,  
Chandigarh

.....Respondent

**AC.No. 2909 of 2021**

**Present:** (i) Sh. R.P.Mittal the appellant through CISCO Webex  
(ii) for the respondent :Smt. Prabhjeet Kaur, Law Officer (8054211398), Sh.  
Amanpreet Singh, Sr. Assistant (9822846222)

**ORDER**

1. The RTI application is dated 08.11.2020 vide which the appellant has sought following information :-

*"copy of rules of business of the Government of Punjab which authorized Shri Parminder pal Singh the then Joint Secy of the deptt to telephonically intimate the Department of Legal and Legislative affairs Punjab that the provision with regard to overriding effect on other laws was not required to be retained in the Punjab Transparency and Accountability in delivery of Public Service ordinance."*

2. On not receiving any information , the appellant filed first appeal with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 14.01.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 01.10.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

3. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 18.10.2021 i.e. today.

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**AC.No. 2909 of 2021**

4. Due to poor network connectivity, both the parties could not be heard, hence the appeal case is adjourned to **16.02.2022 at 12.00 PM** in the Commission office for further proceedings. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

**Dated : 18.10.2021**

Sd/-  
(Amrit Partap Singh Sekhon)  
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Department of Governance Reforms,  
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.....Respondent

**AC.No. 2920 of 2021**

**Present:** (i) Sh. R.P.Mittal the appellant through CISCO Webex  
(ii) for the respondent :Smt. Prabhjeet Kaur, Law Officer (8054211398), Sh.  
Amanpreet Singh, Sr. Assistant (9822846222)

**ORDER**

The RTI application is dated 09.10.2020 vide which the appellant has sought following information :-

*"Copy of reference sent to Punjab Governance Reforms and Ethincs Commission during 10.04.2017 to 25.09.2017 soliciting comments on the functioning of Punjab Right to Service Commission constituted under the Punjab Right to Service Act 2011 as well as the Act itself. 2) Copy of report of Chairman Punjab Governance Reforms and Ethics Commission received in response to be above-said.*

2. On not receiving any information, the appellant filed first appeal with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 15.01.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 25.06.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

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**AC.No. 2920 of 2021**

3. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 18.10.2021 i.e. today.
4. Due to poor network connectivity, both the parties could not be heard, hence the appeal case is adjourned to **31.01.2022 at 12.00 PM** in the Commission office for further proceedings. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

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**First Appellate Authority,**  
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Department of Governance Reforms,  
Chandigarh

.....Respondent

**AC.No. 2160 of 2021**

**Present:** (i) Sh. R.P.Mittal the appellant through CISCO Webex  
(ii) for the respondent :Smt. Prabhjeet Kaur, Law Officer (8054211398), Sh.  
Amanpreet Singh, Sr. Assistant (9822846222)

**ORDER**

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 22.09.2021 vide which the respondent stated that the information regarding point no. 1 will be provided to the appellant. Regarding information on point no. 2, the matter is *sub-judice* in the Hon'ble Punjab and Haryana High Court, hence the information could not be provided. Further, the appellant stated that he wants the copy of notification/Judgment be provided to him, wherein it is stated that the information which is *sub-judice* cannot be provided.

2. Due to poor network connectivity, both the parties could not be heard, hence the appeal case is adjourned to **31.01.2022 at 12.00 PM** in the Commission office for further proceedings. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

**Dated : 18.10.2021**

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Chandigarh  
**First Appellate Authority,**  
O/o Additional Chief Secretary to Govt. of Punjab  
Department of Governance Reforms,  
Chandigarh

.....Respondent

**AC.No. 2161 of 2021**

**Present:** (i) Sh. R.P.Mittal the appellant through CISCO Webex  
(ii) For the respondent :Smt. Prabhjeet Kaur, Law Officer (8054211398), Sh. Amanpreet Singh, Sr. Assistant (9822846222)

**ORDER**

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 22.09.2021 vide which the respondent the respondent Sh. Gurwinder Singh , Legal Assistant o/o Additional Chief Secretary to GOP stated that the matter is *sub-judice* in the Hon'ble Punjab and Haryana High Court, hence the information could not provided. Further, the appellant stated that he wants the copy of notification/Judgment be provided to him, wherein it is stated that the information which is *sub-judice* cannot be provided.

2. Due to poor network connectivity, both the parties could not be heard, hence the appeal case is adjourned to **07.02.2022 at 12.00 PM** in the Commission office for further proceedings. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

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Chandigarh  
**First Appellate Authority,**  
O/o Additional Chief Secretary to Govt. of Punjab  
Department of Governance Reforms,  
Chandigarh

.....Respondent

**AC.No. 2162 of 2021**

**Present:** (i) Sh. R.P.Mittal the appellant through CISCO Webex  
(ii) for the respondent :Smt. Prabhjeet Kaur, Law Officer (8054211398), Sh.  
Amanpreet Singh, Sr. Assistant (9822846222)

**ORDER**

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 22.09.2021 vide which the respondent the respondent Sh. Gurwinder Singh , Legal Assistant o/o Additional Chief Secretary to GOP stated that the matter is *sub-judice* in the Hon'ble Punjab and Haryana High Court, hence the information could not provided. Further, the appellant stated that he wants the copy of notification/Judgment be provided to him, wherein it is stated that the information which is *sub-judice* cannot be provided.

2. Due to poor network connectivity, both the parties could not be heard, hence the appeal case is adjourned to 07.02.2022 at 12.00 PM in the Commission office for further proceedings. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

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Chandigarh  
**First Appellate Authority,**  
O/o Additional Chief Secretary to Govt. of Punjab  
Department of Governance Reforms,  
Chandigarh

.....Respondent

**AC.No. 2163 of 2021**

**Present:** (i) Sh. R.P.Mittal the appellant through CISCO Webex  
(ii) for the respondent :Smt. Prabhjeet Kaur, Law Officer (8054211398), Sh.  
Amanpreet Singh, Sr. Assistant (9822846222)

**ORDER**

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 22.09.2021 vide which the respondent the respondent Sh. Gurwinder Singh , Legal Assistant o/o Additional Chief Secretary to GOP stated that the matter is *sub-judice* in the Hon'ble Punjab and Haryana High Court, hence the information could not provided. Further, the appellant stated that he wants the copy of notification/Judgment be provided to him, wherein it is stated that the information which is *sub-judice* cannot be provided.

2. Due to poor network connectivity, both the parties could not be heard, hence the appeal case is adjourned to **16.02.2022 at 12.00 PM** in the Commission office for further proceedings. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

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Sh. Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia (RTI Activist)  
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Amloh Road, Khanna – 141401. (9464500405)

.....Appellant

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**First Appellate Authority,**  
O/o Regional Deputy Director  
Urban Local Govt., 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Mini Sect..  
Ferozepur Road, Ludhiana

.....Respondent

**AC.No. 2733 of 2021**

**Present:** (i) Sh. Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia the appellant through VC  
(ii) for the respondent :Sh. Gurjant Singh , JE (9464156944) through VC

### **ORDER**

This order may be read with reference to the previous orders dated 04.08.2021 and 08.09.2021. During the hearing dated 08.09.2021 , the appellant had attended the hearing through CISCO Webex and the respondent had brought the information in the Commission office. Therefore, the information was taken on record and the appellant was directed to collect the same from the Commission office on any working day. On 21.09.2021, the appellant collected the information from the Commission office.

2. Today, the appellant states that he has pointed out deficiencies to the respondent, but no information has been given to him so far.

3. The respondent states that he has not received copy of deficiencies.

4. Copy of the deficiencies is handed over to the respondent today with these directions that whatever deficiencies remain in the matter of information demanded by the Applicant should be made good before the next date of hearing. The respondent is also directed to file an affidavit that the information that has been supplied is true, complete

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**AC.No. 2733 of 2021**

and no other information relating to this RTI application is available in the record. The affidavit should be on a stamp paper duly signed by the PIO and to be provided within 15 days.

5. To come up on **16.02.2022 at 12.00 PM** for further proceedings in the Commission.  
Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

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O/o Regional Deputy Director  
Urban Local Govt., 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Mini Sect..  
Ferozepur Road, Ludhiana

.....Respondent

**AC.No. 2739 of 2021**

**Present:** (i) Sh. Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia the appellant through VC  
(ii) for the respondent :Sh. Gurjant Singh , JE (9464156944) through VC

### **ORDER**

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 08.09.2021. During the hearing dated 08.09.2021 , the respondent was directed to send the information in the Commission office. Further, the respondent was directed to collect the same from the Commission office.

2. Today, the appellant Sh. Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia states that no information has been given to him so far.

3. The respondent states that the information, as exists, in the record has been sent to the Commission office.

4. The perusal of the file shows that as per directions of the Commission, the respondent has sent the copy of information, duly attested, in the Commission on 01.10.2021. Hence, the appellant can collect the same from the Commission office on any working day. The respondent is directed to file an affidavit that the information that has

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**AC.No. 2739 of 2021**

been supplied is true, complete and no other information relating to this RTI application is available in the record. The affidavit should be on a stamp paper duly signed by the PIO and to be provided within 15 days after receipt of the order.

5. To come up on **07.02.2022 at 12.00 PM** for further proceedings in the Commission office. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

**Dated : 18.10.2021**

**(Amrit Partap Singh Sekhon)**  
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O/o Regional Deputy Director  
Urban Local Govt., 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Mini Sect.  
Ferozepur Road, Ludhiana

.....Respondent

**AC.No. 2734 of 2021**

**Present:** (i) Sh. Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia the appellant through VC  
(ii) For the respondent : Sh. Gurjant Singh, JE (9464156944) through VC

### **ORDER**

This order may be read with reference to the previous orders dated 04.08.2021 and 08.09.2021. During the hearing dated 08.09.2021, the appellant had attended the hearing through CISCO Webex and the respondent had brought the information in the Commission office. Therefore, the information was taken on record and the appellant was directed to collect the same from the Commission office on any working day. On 21.09.2021, the appellant had collected the information from the commission office.

2. Today, the appellant Sh. Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia states that the information provided by the respondent is not attested. He further states that he has already pointed out deficiencies to the respondent, but no information has been given to him so far.

3. The respondent states that he has not received copy of deficiencies.

4. Copy of the deficiencies is handed over to the respondent today with these directions that whatever deficiencies remain in the matter of information demanded by the Applicant should be made good before the next date of hearing. The respondent is also

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**AC.No. 2734 of 2021**

directed to file an affidavit that the information that has been supplied is true, complete and no other information relating to this RTI application is available in the record. The affidavit should be on a stamp paper duly signed by the PIO

5. To come up on **07.02.2022 at 12.00 PM** for further proceedings in the Commission.  
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**Dated : 18.10.2021**

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O/o Regional Deputy Director  
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Ferozepur Road, Ludhiana

.....Respondent

**AC.No. 2730 of 2021**

**Present:** (i) Sh. Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia the appellant through VC  
(ii) For the respondent :Sh. Gurjant Singh , JE (9464156944) through VC

### **ORDER**

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 08.09.2021. During the hearing dated 08.09.2021 , the respondent was directed to send the information in the Commission office.

2. The appellant Sh. Ramandeep states that no information has been given to him so far.

3. The respondent states that the information , as exists, in the record has been sent to the Commission office.

4. The perusal of the file shows that as per directions of the Commission, the respondent has sent the copy of information, duly attested, in the Commission on 01.10.2021. Hence, the appellant can collect the same from the Commission office on any working day. The respondent is directed to file an affidavit that the information that has been supplied is true, complete and no other information relating to this RTI application is

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available in the record. The affidavit should be on a stamp paper duly signed by the PIO and to be provided within 15 days after receipt of the order.

5. To come up on **16.02.2022 at 12.00 PM** for further proceedings in the Commission office. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

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.....Appellant

..Vs

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O/o Executive Officer, Municipal Council,  
Khanna

**First Appellate Authority**  
o/o Regional Deputy Director  
Urban Local Govt., 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Mini Secretariat  
Ferozepur Road, Ludhiana

**REGISTERED POST**

**Public Information Officer**  
o/o Superintending Engineer,  
Municipal Council, Zirakpur

.....Respondent

**AC No. 2737 of 2021**

**Present:** (i) Sh. Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia the appellant through VC  
(ii) For the respondent :Sh. Gurjant Singh , JE (9464156944) through VC

**ORDER**

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 18.08.2021 vide which PIO, o/o S.E., Zirakpur was impleaded as respondent no. 2.

2. Today, the respondent no. 1 i.e. PIO, o/o EO, MC, Mandi Gobindgarh has sent an affidavit mentioning therein that the information demanded by the appellant is not available in their official record. The same is taken on record.

3. PIO, o/o S.E. Zirakpur is absent today. He has even not sent any reply to the Commission office. Taking a lenient view, one more opportunity is given to him to appear before the Commission and state his case.

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4. The appellant states that he wants another date. On the request of the appellant the case is adjourned to **31.01.2022 at 12.00 PM** for further proceedings in the Commission office. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Dated : 18.10.2021

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Urban Local Govt., Ludhiana

.....Respondent

**AC No. 2738 of 2021**

**Present:** (i) Sh. Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia the appellant through VC  
(ii) For the respondent: Sh. Gurjant Singh, JE (9464156944) through VC

**ORDER**

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 18.08.2021

2. The appellant states that no information has been given to him so far.
3. The respondent states that the information in pen-drive has also been sent to the appellant.
4. The respondent is directed to send the information in the Commission office before the next date of hearing. The appellant can collect the same from the Commission office on any working day.
5. To come up on **31.01.2022 at 12.00 PM** for further proceedings in the Commission office. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

**Dated : 18.10.2021**

**(Amrit Partap Singh Sekhon)**  
**State Information Commissioner**  
**Punjab**



Sh. Jaghsir Singh, S/o Sh. Gian Singh  
# 9/20, Mandi Mullanpur, Ludhiana  
(8195800345)

.....Appellant

**Vs**

**Public Information Officer,**  
O/o SSP, Ludhiana (rural)  
Ludhiana  
**First Appellate Authority,**  
O/o I.G. Ludhiana Range,  
Ludhiana

.....Respondent

**AC.No. 3415 of 2021**

**Present:** (i) Sh. Jaghsir Singh the appellant through VC  
(ii) for the respondent : Sh. Kanwaljeet Singh, Constable (9988130197)

### **ORDER**

The RTI application is dated 16.03.2021 vide which the appellant has sought following information

*“ Copy of roznamcha of Thana Sadar , Jagraon from 26.06.2019 to 28.06.2019. 2) Copy of Malkhana Register no. 19 from 26.06.2019 to 28.06.2019. 3) Details of official cars and copy of log books.”*

On not receiving the information, the appellant filed first appeal with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 10.05.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 28.07.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 18.10.2021 i.e. today.
3. The appellant states that no information has been given to him so far.
4. The respondent states that the information demanded by the appellant is not specific.

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**AC.No. 3415 of 2021**

5. Today, both the parties mutually agreed that the applicant shall visit the office of respondent on 19.10.2021 at 10.00 AM, inspect the relevant records, identify the documents copies whereof are required by him; and the respondent shall provided copies thereof, according to his RTI application dated 16.03.2021, within a fortnight, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

6. To come up on **31.01.2022\_ at 12.00 PM** for further proceedings in the Commission office. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

**Dated : 18.10.2021**

Sd/-  
**(Amrit Partap Singh Sekhon)**  
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# 9/20, Mandi Mullanpur, Ludhiana  
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O/o DSP, Dakha, Ludhiana (rural)  
Ludhiana  
**First Appellate Authority,**  
O/o D.I.G.Ludhiana Range,  
Ludhiana

.....Respondent

**AC.No. 3416 of 2021**

**Present:** (i) Sh. Jaghsir Singh the appellant (through VC)  
(ii) for the respondent : Sh. Lakhveer Singh, ASI, (through VC) o/o Thana,  
Dakha, Ludhiana (9872200563)

### **ORDER**

The RTI application is dated 23.03.2021 vide which the appellant has sought following information

*"1) Copy of complaint no. 129-5CF dated 30.06.2020 2) Copy of action taken on the complaint with copy of statements and annexures."*

On not receiving the information, the appellant filed first appeal with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 07.05.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 28.07.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

3. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 18.10.2021 i.e. today.
4. The appellant states that he is not satisfied with the reply of the respondent.
5. Sh. Lakhveer Singh, ASI, o/o Thana, Dakha is appearing and states that the information demanded by the appellant is not related with their department.

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**AC.No. 3416 of 2021**

6. After hearing the parties and examining the case file, it is observed that the appellant filed RTI with the PIO, o/o DSP, Dakha, Ludhiana Rural, hence PIO, o/o DSP Dakha, Ludhiana Rural is directed to file their proper reply to the RTI of the appellant. He is also directed to come present on the next date of hearing, failing which action under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act 2005 will be initiated.

7. To come up on **19.01.2022 at 12.00 PM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

**Dated : 18.10.2021**

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Sh. Tejinder Singh Bhattal, (Er.)  
S/o Sh. Bikram Singh, House No. 98,  
Sunil Park, PO Rajguru Nagar, Opposite MBD Mail,  
Distt. Ludhiana – 141012 (9646011622)

.....Appellant

**Vs**

**Public Information Officer,**  
O/o Principal Secretary,  
Department of Finance, Punjab  
Chandigarh  
**First Appellate Authority,**  
O/o Principal Secretary,  
Department of Finance, Punjab  
Chandigarh

.....Respondent

**AC.No. 2077 of 2021**

**Present:** (i) Sh. Tejinder Singh Bhattal the appellant through VC  
(ii) for the respondent : Smt. Minakshi, Sr. Assistant (9988372665)

**ORDER**

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 23.06.2021, 18.08.2021 vide which the appellant was directed to point out specific information to the respondent with a copy to the commission.

2. The appellant states that no information has been given to him so far.
3. Smt. Minakshi states that the information has been sent to the appellant.
4. The perusal of the file shows that the appellant has sent a letter, which was received in the Commission vide diary no. 16594 dated 28.07.2021, vide which he has submitted court judgments supporting his facts that information cannot be denied on plea of matter being *sub judice*. The same is taken on record.



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**AC.No. 2077 of 2021**

5. Smt. Minakshi, Sr. Assistant is appearing through CISCO webex on behalf of the respondent and states that information has been sent to the appellant. Taking a lenient view, one opportunity is given to the respondent-PIO to appear personally before the Commission and state his case.

6. To come up on **19.01.2022 at 12.00 PM** for further proceedings in the Commission office. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

**Dated : 18.10.2021**

**(Amrit Partap Singh Sekhon)**  
**State Information Commissioner**  
**Punjab**



Sh. Jasbir Singh,  
Guru Nanak Nagar, Village Bolapur,  
Jhabewal, Post Office Ramgarh,  
District Ludhiana – 141123 (9888286107)

.....Appellant

**Vs**

**Public Information Officer,**  
O/o SDM, Fatehgarh Sahib  
**First Appellate Authority,**  
O/o SDM, Fatehgarh Sahib

.....Respondent

**AC.No. 2145 of 2021**

**Present:** (i) Sh. Jasbir Singh the appellant (through CISCO Webex)  
(ii) for the respondent : None is present on behalf of the respondent

### **ORDER**

This order may be read with reference to the previous orders dated 23.06.2021 and 18.08.2021 vide which the respondent stated that the information demanded by the appellant is very voluminous. During the last hearing, the respondent was directed to file his point-wise specific reply.

2. Today, the appellant states that no information has been given to him so far.
3. The respondent is absent today.
4. After hearing the appellant and going through the case file, it is observed that the respondent has sent his reply mentioning therein that the information demanded by the appellant is third party information. He has also referred the decision dated 13.11.2029 of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in Civil Appeal No. 10044 of 2010. The respondent is absent today. One last opportunity is given to him to appear in the Commission alongwith the information, failing which action under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act 2005 will be initiated. On the next hearing, the Commission will decide, whether the information will be provided to the appellant or not.

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**AC.No.2145 of 2021**

5. To come up on **31.01.2022 at 12.00 PM** for further proceedings in the Commission office. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

**Dated : 18.10.2021**

**(Amrit Partap Singh Sekhon)**  
**State Information Commissioner**  
**Punjab**



Sh. Jasbir Singh,  
Guru Nanak Nagar, Village Bolapur,  
Jhabewal, Post Office Ramgarh,  
District Ludhiana – 141123 (9888286107)

.....Appellant

**Vs**

**Registered post: Public Information Officer,**  
O/o SDM, Fatehgarh Sahib

**First Appellate Authority,**  
O/o SDM, Fatehgarh Sahib

.....Respondent

**AC.No. 2704 of 2021**

**Present:** (i) Sh. Jasbir Singh the appellant through Webex  
(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 08.09.2021 vide which the appellant was directed to point out specific information to the respondent.

2. Today the appellant Sh. Jasbir Singh states that as per direction of the Commission , he had sent written deficiencies to the respondent through registered post on 20.09.2021. He further states that copy of the deficiencies has also been sent to the commission office through mail.

3. The respondent is absent today.

4. After hearing the appellant and going through the case file, it is observed that as per direction of the Commission the appellant has sent written deficiencies to the respondent. But, today neither the respondent is present nor he has bothered to inform the Commission about his absence, which shows that he respondent-PIO has no regard for the orders issued by the Commission.

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**AC.No. 2704 of 2021**

5. Looking at the lackadaisical attitude of the respondents, ***PIO- o/o SDM, Distt. Fatehgarh Sahib 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.

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. To come up on **07.02.2022 at 12.00 PM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

**Dated : 18.10.2021**

**(Amrit Partap Singh Sekhon)**  
**State Information Commissioner**  
**Punjab**



Sh. Jasbir Singh,  
Guru Nanak Nagar, Village Bolapur,  
Jhabewal, Post Office Ramgarh,  
District Ludhiana – 141123 (9888286107)

.....Appellant

**Vs**

**Public Information Officer,**  
O/o DEO(SE), Ludhiana  
**First Appellate Authority,**  
O/o DEO (SE), Ludhiana

.....Respondent

**AC.No. 3356 of 2021**

**Present:** (i) Sh. Jasbir Singh the appellant (through Webex)  
(ii) for the respondent :Smt. Paramjit Kaur, Sr. Assistant (9876367929)  
through Webex and Sh. Paramjit Singh, Suptd (8054010963) through  
Telephone

## **ORDER**

The RTI application is dated 11.01.2021 vide which the appellant has sought following information :

*“Regarding Malwa Model School Village Hira, Chandigarh Road, Ludhiana 1) Copy of affiliation given to the school. 2)Copy of balance sheets of three years and education certificates of teachers. 3) Details of trust, society, committee of school 4) Details of complaints filed against the school in the last five years. 5) Details of all books and their publishers provided in the school from nursery to twelfth.”*

On not receiving the information, the appellant filed first appeal with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 22.02.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 23.07.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 18.10.221 i.e. today.
3. Sh. Jasbir Singh the appellant states that no information has been given to him so far.
4. Smt. Paramjit Kaur the respondent states that the RTI of the appellant has been transferred to the concerned departments.



**AC.No. 3356 of 2021**

5. Sh. Paramjit Singh, PIO-cum-Suptd is contacted on phone, but he is not aware about the facts of the case.

6. The perusal of the file shows that the appellant filed RTI with the PIO o/o DEO(SE), Ludhiana on 11.01.2021 . The PIO, o/o DEO(SE), Ludhiana transferred the RTI to PIO, o/o Punjab School Education Board, Punjab and PIO, o/o Malwa Model School, Village Hira, Chandigarh Road, Ludhiana on 17.09.2021, after lapse of more than eight months. This shows that the respondent has no regard for the RTI regime. Both Sh. Paramjit Singh, PIO and Smt. Paramjit Kaur are not aware about the facts of the case.

7. Looking at the lackadaisical attitude of the respondents, ***Sh. Paramjit Singh, PIO – cum- Suptd and Smt. Paramjit Kaur, Sr. Assistant-cum-APIO*** are 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 them for willful delay/ denial of the information to the RTI applicant and why the compensation be not awarded to the appellant under Section 19 (8)(b) of the Act for detriment suffered.

In addition to his submission, the PIO and APIO are 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. They may note that in case they do not file their submission and do not avail themselves of the opportunity of personal hearing on the next date fixed, it will be presumed that they have nothing to say and the Commission shall proceed to take further proceedings against them ex-parte.

8. PIO, o/o Malwa Model School Village Hira, Chandigarh Road Ludhiana is also directed to come present on the next date of hearing alongwith complete reply to the RTI of the Appellant. ***Copy of the RTI be sent to the PIO, o/o Malwa Model School, Village Hira alongwith the orders.***

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**AC.No. 3356 of 2021**

9. To come up on **31.01.2022 at 12.00 PM** for further proceedings in the Commission.  
Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

**Dated : 18.10.2021**

**(Amrit Partap Singh Sekhon)**  
**State Information Commissioner**  
**Punjab**

**Registered post**

CC: 1) Sh. Paramjit Singh, Suptd-cum-PIO, o/o DEO(SE) , Ludhiana  
2) Smt. Paramjit Kaur, APIO, Sr. Assistant, Ludhiana  
3) PIO, o/o Malwa Model School, Village Hira, Chandigarh Road, Ludhiana



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**REGISTERED POST**

Sh Mewa Singh, S/o Sh Lakha Ram,  
R/o Village Gaganpur, Tehsil Gulha, Distt Kaithal  
..Vs

.....Appellant

**Public Information Officer,**  
O/o ADGP (STF) Punjab  
Mohali

First Appellate Authority,  
O/o ADGP (STF) Punjab  
Mohali

.....Respondent

**AC No. 4202 of 2021**

Present : (i) Sh. Mewa Singh, appellant (*in the Commission office*)  
(ii) For the respondent : Sh. S K Rampal, DIG (75032-00007) (telephonically)

**ORDER**

The RTI application is dated 12.05.2021 vide which the appellant has sought following information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 08.06.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 21.09.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 18.10.2021 in the Commission office.

3. The Appellant Sh. Mewa Singh states that no information has been provided to him till date.

4. Sh S. K. Rampal, DIG O/o -Respondent was contacted telephonically. He states that he had received the notice of hearing, from the postal authorities today itself. Hence, he could not personally appear in the Commission office today. Further, he has sought some time to look into the matter and provide the information.

5. Hence, on the request of the Respondent some time is granted to the Respondent to provide complete information to the Appellant before the next date of hearing.

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**AC No. 4202 of 2021**

6. To come up on **22.10.2021 at 11:00AM** for further proceedings in the Commission office. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

**Dated : 18.10.2021**

Sd/-  
**(Amrit Partap Singh Sekhon)**  
State Information Commissioner  
Punjab

.....Appellant

.....Respondent

## ORDER

5. In view of the above, **PIO- O/o Tehsildar, Kharar** 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 appellant under Section 19 (8)(b) of the Act for detriment suffered.

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**AC No. 2693 of 2021**

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. To come up on 15.12.2021 **at 12:00 PM in the Commission office**. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

**Dated : 18.10.2021**

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Dr Poonam Sharma,  
#83, Golden City, Near APJ School,  
Mundi Kharar- 140301 (9779666057)

.....Appellant

..Vs

**Registered post:**      **Public Information Officer,**  
   O/o Tehsildar, Kharar  
**First Appellate Authority,**  
O/o SDM, Kharar

.....Respondent

**AC No. 2695 of 2021**

Present :      (i) Dr Poonam Sharma, appellant (in the Commission office)  
   (ii) None for the respondent

**ORDER**

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 08.09.2021

2.      The appellant- Dr Poonam Sharma states that she had gone to inspect the record in the office of the Respondent but she has not obtained the information till date.
3.      Today, no one has appeared on behalf of the Respondent. However, Sh Jaswinder Singh, Tehsildar was contacted telephonically. He was not aware of the facts of the case.
4.      The perusal of the file shows that no one has appeared on behalf of the Respondent today. They have not even bothered to inform the Commission about his absence.
5.      In view of the above, **PIO- O/o Tehsildar, Kharar** 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.

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**AC No. 2695 of 2021**

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. To come up on **15.12.2021 at 11:00AM in the Commission office**. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

**Dated : 18.10.2021**

Sd/-  
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State Information Commissioner  
Punjab