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Sh. Jatinder Singh, S/o Shri Santokh Singh
Village Karma, Tehsil Guruharsahai,
Distt. Ferozpur - 152023 (9417202491)

.....Appellant

..Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Inspector, o/o Food Civil Supplies,
Mamdot,, Distt. Ferozpur

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

.....Respondent

AC No. 4337 of 2019
Through Video conference

Present: (i) Sh. Jatinder Singh the appellant

(ii) For the Respondent: Sh. Baj Chand, Food Inspector (9988093792)

ORDERS

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 30.09.2020.

2. The respondent Sh. Baz Chand states that the information has already been sent to the appellant.
3. The appellant states that he is not satisfied with the information provided by the respondent. He has pointed out deficiencies in the information.
4. The respondent is directed to send complete information to the appellant within three days, failing which action under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act will be initiated.
5. To come up on **17.12.2020 at 11.00 AM through CISCO WEBEX**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

(Usage Steps: Install Cisco Webex<click on JOIN MEETING, Write Meeting Number: 919860773)

Sd/-

Chandigarh
Dated: 18.11.2020

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Sh R K Verma, (M- 9815660419)
New Shimlapuri, Ludhiana- 141003

.....Complainant

..Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Supdt. Central Jail, Ludhiana

.....Respondent

CC No. 490 of 2020
(Through Video-Conferencing)

Present: (i) Sh. R.K.Verma the complainant
(ii) None is present on behalf of the respondent

ORDERS

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 28.09.2020 vide which the abovementioned complaint case could not heard as the video conferencing facility in the office of DC Ludhiana was not working.

2. Today, the complainant- Sh. R.K.Verma stated that no response whatsoever has been received from the respondents till date. No one has put in appearance on behalf of the respondents nor has any communication been received from them. In the interest of justice, Respondent PIO is afforded one more opportunity to provide the appellant point-wise complete specific information, duly attested, free of cost, by registered post, in accordance with his RTI application and present a photocopy of the relevant postal receipt along with a copy of the information provided, before the Commission on the next date fixed, for its perusal and records. Respondents to note that in case no one comes present on their behalf on the next date fixed, punitive provisions of the RTI Act, 2005 may be invoked against the erring officer(s).

3. To come up on **17.12.2020 at 11.00 AM through CISCO WEBEX**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

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Sh. Rajwinder Singh, S/o Sh. S. Kuldeep Singh,
R/o 2636, Gali No. 1, Azad Nagar, Near Shimla Market
Putligarh, Amritsar (9872821947)

.....Complainant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Vigilance Bureau,
Near District Chowk, Amritsar

.....Respondent

CC No. 695 of 2020
(Through Video-Conferencing)

Present : (i) Sh. Rajwinder Singh the complainant
(ii) None is present on behalf of the respondent

ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated 04.06.2020 whereby the information-seeker has sought information as mentioned in his RTI application. He filed complaint in the Commission on 24.09.2020 under Section 18 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).
2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 18.11.2020 in the Commission.
3. The perusal of the file shows that the notice sent to the respondent was received back from the postal authorities.
4. The complainant Sh. Rajwinder Singh states that no information has been given to him so far.
5. Smt. Meena Kumari, Suptd. is appearing in another case. She states that she is not aware about this case. Hence, photocopy of the RTI is handed over to her with these directions that the information sought by the complainant be provided to him before the next date of hearing.
6. To come up on **17.12.2020 at 11.00 AM through CISCO WEBEX**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

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Sh. Rajwinder Singh, S/o S Kuldeep Singh,
R/o 2636, Gali No 1, Azad Nagar,
Near Shimla Market, Putligarh, Amritsar

.....Appellant

..Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Vigilance Bureau, Near District Chowk,
Amritsar

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

Registered post: **Public Information Officer,**
O/o DGP-cum-AIG (Personnel), Punjab
Sector-9, Chandigarh

.....Respondent

AC No. 1060 of 2020

Through Video Conference

Present: (i) Sh. Rajwinder Singh the appellant
(ii) For the respondent: Smt. Meena Kumari, Suptd. (9815240898)

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 28.09.2020 vide a show cause notice was issued to the respondent no.2 i.e. PIO, o/o DGP Punjab.

2. Today again the respondent no. 2 i.e. PIO, o/o DGP Punjab is not present.
3. During the last hearing, a show cause notice was issued to the PIO, o/o DGP Punjab. Today again he/she is not present in the hearing, which shows that the respondent PIO has no regard for the orders issued by the Commission. This is serious matter. Madam Meena Kumari (respondent no. 1) states that they had already transferred the RTI of the appellant to the respondent no.2. She further adds that she had already confirmed the receiving of the same on phone.

4. This has also resulted in much avoidable inconvenience and hardship to the Appellant. He is, therefore, entitled to be compensated under Section 19(8)(b) of RTI Act 2005 for the loss and detriment suffered by him. In the circumstances, I am of the view that ends of justice would be met if a sum of **Rs.5000/- (Rupees Five Thousand Only)** is awarded to the Appellant as compensation . I order accordingly.

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AC No. 1060 of 2020

5. This amount shall be payable by the Respondent, o/o DGP Punjab, Chandigarh from the State exchequer within fifteen days from the receipt of this order under intimation to the Commission.

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Sh Tarsem Singh, S/o Sh Hakam Singh(M- 9464250995)
Village Retgarh, PO Dhanera,
Tehsil-Samana, Distt- Patiala

.....Appellant

..Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o SDM, Samana, Distt- Patiala

First Appellate Authority
O/o DC, Patiala

.....Respondent

AC No. 2291 of 2020
Through Video Conference

Present : (i) None is present on behalf of the appellant
(ii) For the respondent : Smt. Sulwant Kaur, Sr. Assistant (9646818100)

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 23.01.2020 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 11.07.2020 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 25.08.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 18.11.2020 in the Commission.
3. Smt. Sulwant Kaur, Sr. Assistant is appearing on behalf of the respondent states that the information is ready with them and will be sent to the appellant today itself.
5. Respondent is directed to send the information to the appellant today itself through registered post.
6. To come up on **17.12.2020 at 11.00 AM through CISCO WEBEX**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

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Sh Iqbal Singh, Asstt. Professor (M-94634-24909)
Department of Physiology, Govt. Medical College,
Patiala

.....Appellant

..Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o DRME, Pb Chandigarh
Sector-69, Mohali
First Appellate Authority
O/o DRME, Pb Chandigarh
Sector-69, Mohali

.....Respondent

AC No. 2288 of 2020
Through Video Conference

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

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 23.10.2019 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 03.12.2019 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 25.08.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 18.11.2020 in the Commission.
3. The appellant states that no information has been given to him so far.
4. A letter has been received from the respondent vide commission diary no. 12359 and 12237 dated 17.09.2020 and 18.09.2020 mentioning therein that the information demanded by the appellant is third party information. He further adds that the third party have already sent their consent that their information should not be disclosed.
5. The respondent is absent today. Hence, one more opportunity is given to him to appear before the Commission and state his case.
6. To come up on **17.12.2020 at 11.00 AM through CISCO WEBEX**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

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Sh. Kuldeep Singh, S/o Sh Bakshish Singh, (M-9814917424)
S/o Sh Bakshish Singh, Village Nabipur,
Near Gurudwara Sahib, Gurdaspur

.....Appellant

..Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o President, Lal Ram Sharan Dass,
Dharam Arth Trust, Gurdaspur

First Appellate Authority
O/o Registrar of Firms & Societies, PB
17 Bays Building, Sector 17, Chandigarh

.....Respondent

AC No. 2355 of 2020

Present : (i) Sh. Kuldeep Singh the appellant through video conference
(ii) For the respondent : Sh. Satnam Singh, Sr. Assistant (9855611320)

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 07.12.2019 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 30.01.2020 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 28.08.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 18.11.2020 in the Commission.
3. The respondent states that the information has been sent to the appellant by registered post.
4. The appellant has sought some time to go through the information.
5. On the request of the appellant, the appeal is adjourned on **17.12.2020 at 11.00 AM** through CISCO Webex. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

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Sh. Kuldeep Singh, S/o Sh Bakshish Singh, (M-9814917424)
S/o Sh Bakshish Singh, Village Nabipur,
Near Gurudwara Sahib, Gurdaspur

.....Appellant

..Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o President, Lal Ram Sharan Dass,
Dharam Arth Trust, Gurdaspur

First Appellate Authority
O/o Registrar of Firms & Societies, PB
17 Bays Building, Sector 17, Chandigarh

.....Respondent

AC No. 2357 of 2020
Through Video conference

Present : (i) Sh. Kuldeep Singh the appellant through video conference
(ii) For the respondent : Sh. Satnam Singh, Sr. Assistant (9855611320)

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 07.12.2019 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 30.01.2020 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 28.08.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 18.11.2020 in the Commission.
3. The respondent states that the information has been sent to the appellant.
4. The appellant has sought some time to go through the information.
5. On the request of the appellant, the appeal is adjourned on **17.12.2020 at 11.00 AM** through CISCO Webex. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Chandigarh
Dated: 18.11.2020

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