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Sh. Jaspal Singh

S/o Sh. Rajesh Arora,

319/3, Gurdeep Nagar,

Jagraon, Distt. Ludhiana Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o Executive Officer,

Nagar Council, Jagraon

Distt. Ludhiana

First Appellate Authority,

O/o Regional Dy. Director,

Urban Local Bodies Department,

Ludhiana Respondents

 **APPEAL CASE NO.1427/2017**

Date of RTI application : 15.03.2017

Date of First Appeal : 18.04.2017

Date of Order of FAA: Nil

Date of 2nd Appeal/complaint 23.05.2017

**Present:** Sh. Jaspal Singh, Appellant in person.

 1. Sh. Amarinder Singh, Superintendent, N.C., Jagraon, and

2. Sh. Ranjit Singh, JE, N.C., Jagraon – for Respondents.

 **ORDER**

 The case has been heard through video conferencing.

 The appellant had sought to know the details of information concerning the regularization of illegal colonies. His application entails seven points.

 The respondents say that the majority of the information available with them has been furnished to him. The appellant denies and expresses his dissatisfaction. The respondents are directed to send him point-wise reply with a copy to the Commission.

 The matter shall be reheard on **06.09.2017 at 11.30 AM through video conference at Ludhiana.**

 **Sd/-**

**19.07.2017 (Yashvir Mahajan)**

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Sh. Tejinder Singh

R/o Village Bholapur, P.O. Ramgarh,

Chandigarh Road, Ludhiana Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o Senior Town Planner,

Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana

.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o Joint Commissioner,

Municipal Corporation,

Ludhiana Respondents

**APPEAL CASE NO.1404/2017**

Date of RTI application : 16.01.2017

Date of First Appeal : 16.02.2017

Date of Order of FAA: Nil

Date of 2nd Appeal/complaint 24.05.2017

**Present:** Sh. Tejinder Singh, Appellant in person.

 Sh. Gurpreet Singh, Head Draftsman – for Respondents in NIC Studio, Ludhiana.

**ORDER**

 The case has been heard through video conferencing.

 The appellant had sought the e.mail ids. having been created by the respondents following the instructions issued by the Government.

 The respondent says that e.mail ids. with reference to ‘A’ zone have already been provided and with reference to rest of the zones they shall provide it to the appellant immediately. They are directed to do it today itself positively.

 The Commission finds that it is very innocuous information which should have been provided by the respondents proactively rather than delaying it interminably thereby driving the appellant to file needless appeals. The Commission takes a strong exception to such a lackadaisical Contd..page…2

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attitude and upbraids the respondents to be cautious in future.

 The appeal is **closed** with the hope that they shall mend their conduct towards advancing the cause of transparency and accountability in their functioning.

 **Sd/-**

**19.07.2017 (Yashvir Mahajan)**

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Sh. Ravinder Gosai

H.No.3996 B, St.No.3, Gagandeep Colony,

Kailash Nagar Road,

Post Office Basti Jodhewal,

Ludhiana Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o Commissioner,

Municipal Corporation,

Ludhiana

First Appellate Authority,

O/o Municipal Corporation,

Ludhiana Respondents

 **APPEAL CASE NO.1418/2017**

Date of RTI application : 29.12.2016

Date of First Appeal : 30.01.2017

Date of Order of FAA: 06.04.2017

Date of 2nd Appeal/complaint 22.05.2017

**Present:** None on behalf of the Appellant.

 Sh. Gurjit Singh, Jr. Draftsman, Zone ‘A’, M.C. Office, Ludhiana – for Respondents.

 **ORDER**

 The case has been heard through video conferencing.

 The appellant has sought to know the action having been taken by the Municipal Corporation into a violation made in the construction of a factory premises by one
Smt. Sandhya Parkash.

 Sh. Gurjit Singh appearing on behalf of the respondents states that the entire record concerning the action taken by the respondents has been provided to the appellant.

 The appellant is absent without any notice. No communication has also been received from him. Apparently he seems satisfied with the information thus provided to him. The Commission does not find any further requirement of intervention.

 The appeal is **disposed.**

 **Sd/-**

**19.07.2017 (Yashvir Mahajan)**

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Sh. Tejinder Singh

R/o Village Bholapur, P.O. Ramgarh

Chandigarh Road, Ludhiana Complainant

Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o Municipal Corporation,

Zone-C, Ludhiana

 Respondent

 **COMPLAINT CASE NO.496/2017**

Date of RTI application : 06.06.2016

Date of First Appeal : Nil

Date of Order of FAA: Nil

Date of 2nd Appeal/complaint 24.05.2017

**Present:** Sh. Tejinder Singh, Complainant in person.

 Sh. Ashok Kumar, Zone ‘C’, M.C. Office, Ludhiana – for Respondents.

**ORDER**

 The case has been heard through video conferencing.

 The appellant states that he is in receipt of the information to his satisfaction and is not inclined to further pursue his complaint.

 The case is **closed.**

 **Sd/-**

**19.07.2017 (Yashvir Mahajan)**

 **State Information Commissioner**

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Sh. Tejinder Singh

R/o Village Bholapur, P.O. Ramgarh

Chandigarh Road, Ludhiana Complainant

Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o Municipal Town Planner,

Municipal Corporation,

Ludhiana Respondent

 **COMPLAINT CASE NO.498/2017**

Date of RTI application : 18.04.2016

Date of First Appeal : Nil

Date of Order of FAA: Nil

Date of 2nd Appeal/complaint 24.05.2017

**Present:** Sh. Tejinder Singh, Complainant in person.

 Sh. Gurjit Singh, Jr. Draftsman, Zone ‘A’, M.C., Ludhiana – for Respondent.

**ORDER**

 The case has been heard through video conferencing.

 The appellant states that he is in receipt of the information to his satisfaction and is not inclined to further pursue his complaint.

 The case is **closed.**

 **Sd/-**

**19.07.2017 (Yashvir Mahajan)**

 **State Information Commissioner**

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Sh. Rachhpal Singh, Sarpanch,

S/o Sh. Major Singh,

Near Sri Guru Ravidas Gurudwara,

Village Bihla, Barnala. Complainant

Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o Additional Deputy Commissioner (D),

Barnala. Respondent

 **COMPLAINT CASE NO.536/2017**

Date of RTI application : 12.09.2016

Date of First Appeal : Nil

Date of Order of FAA: Nil

Date of 2nd Appeal/complaint Nil received in Commission on 31.05.2017

**Present:** Sh. Rachhpal Singh, Complainant in person.

 Sh. Malkiat Singh, Assistant Project Officer, O/o ADC (D), Barnala – for Respondent.

**ORDER**

 The case has been heard through video conferencing.

 The respondent says that the file dealing with the enquiry into a complaint filed by the complainant is misplaced in shifting of the office recently. They plead to afford sometime to them by which they shall endeavour to trace the record and arrange to provide it to him. The Commission accepts their plea. We hope that they shall provide the information to the complainant well before the next date of hearing.

 The matter is deferred to be heard on **06.09.2017 at 11.30 AM through video conference at Barnala.**

 **Sd/-**

**19.07.2017 (Yashvir Mahajan)**

 **State Information Commissioner**

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Sh. Pawan Kumar Sharma, Advocate

House No.585, Phase -2,

(Sector-54) S.A.S.Nagar Complainant

Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o Secretary to Govt. of Punjab,

Department of Treasury & Accounts,

Punjab Civil Sectt. – 1,

Chandigarh.

Public Information Officer,

O/o Under Secretary, Finance,

Finance Pension Policy Branch,

Punjab Civil Secretariat – 1,

Chandigarh. Respondent

**COMPLAINT CASE NO.352/2017**

 **Date of RTI Application : 08.02.2017** **Date of First Appeal : Nil**

 **Date of order of FAA : Nil**

 **Date of Second Appeal : 29.03.2017**

**Present:** Sh. Pawan Kumar Sharma, Complainant in person.

 Sh. Jaswinder Singh, Auditor, O/o Director, Treasury & Accounts, Punjab – for Respondent.

**ORDER**

 Sh. Jaswinder Singh, Auditor appearing on behalf of the respondent says that the information sought by the complainant is available with the office of the Under Secretary, Finance, Finance Pension Policy Branch, Punjab Civil Secretariat 1, Chandigarh. The respondent has forwarded the application of the complainant to the Under Secretary, Finance, Finance Pension Policy Branch, Punjab Civil Secretariat – 1. Resultantly, they are impleaded as a necessary party and are advised to provide the information to the complainant under intimation to the Commission well before the next date of hearing.

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**COMPLAINT CASE NO.352/2017**

 As the issue is not being dealt with by the Director, Treasury and Accounts, Punjab , Chandigarh, they are exempted from further appearance in the Court.

 To come up on **03.08.2017 at 11.30 AM.**

 **Sd/-**

**19.07.2017 (Yashvir Mahajan)**

 **State Information Commissioner**

**CC: The Under Secretary, Finance,**

 **Finance Pension Policy Branch,**

 **Punjab Civil Secretariat – 1, Floor 7,**

 **Chandigarh.**

**CC: The Principal Secretary to Govt., Punjab,**

 **Department of Finance, Room No. 16, 5th Floor,**

 **Punjab Civil Secretariat – 1, Chandigarh.**

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Ms. Radha Rani

W/o Sh. Daljit Sharma,

S/o Sh. Yashpal Sharma

C/o Sarwan Kumar Sharma,

Booth No.6, Near Truck Union, Grain Market,

Mandi Mullanpur Dakha Distt. Ludhiana Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o Financial Commissioner Revenue, Punjab,

3rd Floor, Punjab Civil Sectt.-1,

Chandigarh

First Appellate Authority,

O/o Financial Commissioner Revenue, Punjab,

3rd Floor, Punjab Civil Sectt.-1,

Chandigarh Respondents

 **APPEAL CASE NOs.1141 and 1143 of 2017**

 **Date of RTI Application : 06.05.201706.05.2016**

 **Date of First Appeal : 09.09.2016/19.09.2016**

 **Date of Order of FAA : Reply: 10.10.2016/NIL**

 **Date of Second Appeal : 11.04.2017**

**Present:** Adv. Rakesh Kumar Gupta, Counsel for the Appellants.

 1. Maj. Gurjinder Singh Benipal, DRO,

 2. Sh. Harminder Singh Sidhu, Naib Tehsildar, Mullanpur Dakha, and

 3. Sh. Balbir Singh, Sr. Assistant, TLSB Br., FCR office – for Respondents.

**ORDER**

 The cases have been heard through video conferencing.

 The respondents say that another appeal filed with the Commission by the appellants on the same subject have been fixed for hearing in this Court on 03.08.2017.

 These cases are ordered to be clubbed with the same and shall be heard on 03.08.2017. Meanwhile, the appellant and the respondents in case they intend to make any further submission they may do it in advance of the next date of hearing.

 To come up on **03.08.2017 at 11.30 AM.**

 **Sd/-**

**19.07.2017 (Yashvir Mahajan)**

 **State Information Commissioner**