

Angrez Singh
S/o Sh. Gurmeet Singh,
Mamdot Uttar, P. O. – Mamdot,
Teh. & Distt. – Ferozepur – 152023 (Punjab)

V/s

....Appellant

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Secretary,
Regional Transport Authority,
Faridkot (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,
Sector 17, Chandigarh

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 35 of 2020

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.
Sh. Sanjeev Kumar, Clerk, on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

Heard through facility of Software/application 'CISCO Webex Meetings'.

The RTI request is dated 18.08.2019. First appeal is dated 30.09.2019. Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 20.12.2019.

The hearing in the instant case, which was fixed to be heard on 27.04.2021, could not held due to technical fault in connection of network and the case was adjourned for today i. e. 19.07.2021.

On the last date of hearing, held on 15.02.2021, Sh. Sanjeev Kumar, Clerk, stated that a reply was given to the appellant vide letter no. 2993 dated 28.05.2020. The appellant was not present and an opportunity was given to the appellant to confirm whether he received the information and also to point out deficiencies, if any, in the information supplied to him, in writing, to the respondent PIO well in time so that the same could be removed by the respondent concerned.

Sh. Sanjeev Kumar, Clerk, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, states that a reply has already been sent to the appellant and he has not pointed out any deficiency till date. He also intimates the Commission that a reply has also been sent to the Commission vide letter dated 13.02.2021 as a reply to the show-case issued to him vide order dated 17.11.2020, which has been received in the Commission through an e-mail. It is taken on record.

The appellant, Sh. Angrez Singh was absent on the last date of hearing, held on 15.02.2021 and he is again absent from today's hearing without any intimation to the Commission. He has also not approached the Commission with any contrary claim

In view of the above, it is assumed that the appellant has received the above-said reply and is satisfied with the same.

After going through the written reply dated 26.04.2021, sent by the concerned PIO, it emerges that there is no malafide in supplying the requisite information on the part of the respondent PIO and finding the explanation given by the PIO concerned as genuine, the show cause issued to him vide orders dated 17.11.2020 is dropped and the case is announced as disposed of and closed.

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Date : 19th July, 2021

(Sanjiv Garg)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

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Gaurav Kumar Behki
S/o Sh. Nand Kishore,
R/o Village Ghanauli,
Tehsil & Distt.. Roopnagar (Punjab)

...Complainant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Director,
Deptt. of State Transport, Punjab,
Sector 17, Chandigarh

...Respondents

Complaint Case No. 623 of 2019

Present : None on behalf of the complainant.
Sh. Kuldeep Singh, Superintendent-cum-PIO, in person.

ORDER

Heard through facility of Software/application 'CISCO Webex Meetings'.
The RTI request is dated 28.11.2018. The complaint has been received in the
Commission on 18.07.2019.

The hearing in the instant case, which was fixed to be heard on 27.04.2021, could
not held due to technical fault in connection of network and the case was adjourned for today i. e.
19.07.2021.

- On the last date of hearing, held on held on 15.02.2021,
- i) Neither the appellant nor the respondent was present in today's hearing.
 - ii) Another opportunity was given to the respondent PIO to file a written-submission in an affidavit stating that the required information is not found traceable in the official record or is missing. If missing, whether any FIR was lodged, if (FIR) lodged, a copy of FIR be sent to the Commission with affidavit.

Sh. Kuldeep Singh, Superintendent-cum-PIO, who appeared in person in today's hearing, states that in compliance to the order dated 15.02.2021, a reply in affidavit dated 26.04.2021 has been sent to the complainant and copy of the same has also been sent to the Commission. He also intimates the Commission that a reply has also been sent to the Commission vide letter no. 4039 dated 26.04.2021 as a reply to the show-case issued to him vide order dated 17.11.2020, which has been received in the Commission through an e-mail. It, alongwith a copy of affidavit, is taken on record.

The complainant, Sh. Gaurav Kumar Behki was absent on the last date of hearing, held on 15.02.2021 and he is again absent from today's hearing without any intimation to the Commission. He has also not approached the Commission with any contrary claim

In view of the above, it is assumed that the complainant has received the above-said reply in an affidavit and is satisfied with the same.

After going through the written reply dated 26.04.2021, sent by the concerned PIO, it emerges that there is no malafide in supplying the requisite information on the part of the respondent PIO and finding the explanation given by the PIO concerned as genuine, the show cause issued to him vide orders dated 17.11.2020 is dropped and the case is announced as disposed of and closed.

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(Regd. Post)

Encl : letter no. 33 dated 07.12.2020

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Tehsildar,
Tarn Taran(Punjab)

Manjit Singh
S/o Sh. Lacchman Singh,
Village – Bhojjan, Hall Daddehar Sahib,
Teh. & Distt. – Tarn Taran(Punjab)

V/s

.... Complainant

...Respondents

Complaint Case No. 338 of 2020

Present : None on behalf of the complainant.
None on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

Heard through facility of Software/application 'CISCO Webex Meetings'.

The RTI request is dated 05.09.2019. The complaint has been received in the Commission on 22.06.2020.

The hearing in the instant case, which was fixed to be heard on 27.04.2021, could not held due to technical fault in connection of network and the case was adjourned for today i. e. 19.07.2021.

On the last date of hearing, held on held on 19.01.2021, an opportunity was given to the complainant to attend the hearing so that facts of this could be cleared.

After examining the documents placed on record, it is found that the respondent PIO through a reply vide letter no. 33 dated 07.12.2020 signed by Public Information Officer-cum-Tehsildar, Tarn Taran, which was received in the Commission through an e-mail, has intimated the Commission that the requisite information, demanded by the complainant could not supplied to him as office of Tehsildar came into existence in the year 1961 and the information demanded is regarding notifications no. 4891 and 4892 of the year 1949. It is placed in the case-file.

The complainant, Sh. Manjit Singh is not present in today's hearing.

A copy of the above-mentioned reply above-mentioned reply (letter no. 33 dated 07.12.2020) be sent to the complainant alongwith this order through registered post.

As no cause of action is left in this case, the case is announced as **disposed of and closed.**

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State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Encl : letter no. 33 dated 07.12.2020

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Amrik Singh
S/o Sh. Mohan Singh,
Block – J/26/100,
Bhai Randhir Singh Nagar,
Ludhiana - 141012(Punjab)

.... Complainant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Deputy Commissioner,
Kapurthala (Punjab)

...Respondents

Complaint Case No. 381 of 2020

Present : None on behalf of the complainant.
None on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

Heard through facility of Software/application 'CISCO Webex Meetings'.

The RTI request is dated 04.05.2020. The complaint has been received in the Commission on 30.06.2020.

The hearing in the instant case, which was fixed to be heard on 27.04.2021, could not held due to technical fault in connection of network and the case was adjourned for today i. e. 19.07.2021.

On the last date of hearing, held on 19.01.2021, an opportunity was given to the complainant to point out deficiencies, if any, in the information supplied to him, in writing, to the respondent PIO concerned.

Neither the complainant, Sh. Amrik Singh nor the respondent is present in today's hearing.

After examining the documents placed on record, it is found that the respondent PIO through a reply vide letter no. 159 dated 17.01.2021, which has been received in the Commission vide Diary No. 1518 dated 21.01.2021, has intimated the Commission that the requisite information has already been supplied to the complainant. It is placed in the case file.

The complainant, Sh. Amrik Singh, was absent on the last date of hearing, held on 09.01.2021. He is again absent from today's hearing without any intimation to the Commission. He has neither pointed out any deficiency in the information supplied to him, to the respondent-PIO, nor approached the Commission with any contrary claim in that regard. In view of the above, it is assumed that the complainant has received the required information and is satisfied with the same, hence, the case is announced as **disposed of and closed.**

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Rajinder Singh
S/o Sh. Om Kumar,
V.P.O. – Kot Fatuhi,
Tehsil – Garhshankar,
Distt. – Hoshiarpur - 144519(Punjab)

....Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Executive Engineer,
P.W.D. (B & R),
Construction Division,
SriMuktsar Sahib (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Superintending Engineer,
P.W.D. (B & R), Construction Circle,
Faridkot (Punjab)

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1248 of 2020

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.
None on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

Heard through facility of Software/application 'CISCO Webex Meetings'.
The RTI request is dated 15.01.2020. First appeal is dated 17.02.2020. Second

appeal has been received in the Commission on 27.04.2020.

The hearing in the instant case, which was fixed to be heard on 27.04.2021, could not held due to technical fault in connection of network and the case was adjourned for today i. e. 19.07.2021.

On the last date of hearing, held on 19.01.2021, an opportunity was given to the appellant to point out deficiencies, if any, in the information supplied to him, in writing, to the respondent PIO concerned.

Neither the appellant, Sh. Rajinder Singh nor the respondent is present in today's hearing.

After examining the documents placed on record, it is found that the respondent PIO through a reply vide letter no. 6836 dated 04.01.2021 signed by Executive Engineer, P. W. D. (B & R), Construction Division, SriMuktsar Sahib, which has been received in the Commission through an e-mail, has intimated the Commission that the requisite information has already been supplied to the appellant through registered post. It, alongwith a copy of postal receipt, is taken on record.

The appellant, Sh. Rajinder Singh also through a letter dated 17.07.2021, which has been received in the Commission through an e-mail, has intimated the Commission that he has received the required information and the case be closed. It is taken on record.

Since complete information has been supplied by the respondent PIO and the appellant has also acknowledged that he has received the required information and has also given his consent to close the case, hence, the case is announced as disposed of and closed.

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Rajinder Singh
S/o Sh. Om Kumar,
V.P.O. – Kot Fatuhi,
Tehsil – Garhshankar,
Distt. – Hoshiarpur - 144519(Punjab)

....Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Executive Engineer,
P.W.D. (B & R),
Construction Division,
Pathankot (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Superintending Engineer,
P.W.D. (B & R), Construction Circle,
Pathankot (Punjab)

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1247 of 2020

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.
None on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

Heard through facility of Software/application 'CISCO Webex Meetings'.

The RTI request is dated 15.01.2020. First appeal is dated 17.02.2020. Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 27.04.2020.

The hearing in the instant case, which was fixed to be heard on 27.04.2021, could not held due to technical fault in connection of network and the case was adjourned for today i. e. 19.07.2021.

On the last date of hearing, held on 19.01.2021, an opportunity was given to the appellant to mention the reasons for non-deposition of the required fee of Rs. 710/-, which was demanded from him by the PIO concerned to get the required information.

Neither the appellant, Sh. Rajinder Singh nor the respondent is present in today's hearing.

After examining the documents placed on record, it is found that the respondent PIO through a reply vide letter no. 1878 dated 21.12.2020 signed by Executive Engineer, P. W. D. (B & R), Construction Division, Pathankot, which has been received in the Commission vide Diary No. 380 dated 06.01.2021, has intimated the Commission that the appellant has not deposited the required fee of Rs. 710/- for getting certified copies of information. It is taken on record.

After examining the case-file, it is found that the respondent PIO has demanded the required fee of Rs. 710/- from the appellant and since the appellant has neither deposited the required fee nor sent any intimation mentioning the reasons for non-deposition of the required fee of Rs. 710/- to the PIO concerned (as directed vide orders dated 19.01.2021), which shows that the appellant does not require the information anymore and it is assumed that he does not wish to pursue this case further and hence the case is disposed of and closed.

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Rajinder Singh
S/o Sh. Om Kumar,
V.P.O. – Kot Fatuhi,
Tehsil – Garhshankar,
Distt. – Hoshiarpur - 144519(Punjab)

....Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Executive Engineer,
P.W.D. (B & R),
Provincial Division,
Bathinda (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Superintending Engineer,
P.W.D. (B & R), Construction Circle,
Bathinda (Punjab)

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1250 of 2020

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.
None on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

Heard through facility of Software/application 'CISCO Webex Meetings'.

The RTI request is dated 15.01.2020. First appeal is dated 17.02.2020. Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 27.04.2020.

The hearing in the instant case, which was fixed to be heard on 27.04.2021, could not held due to technical fault in connection of network and the case was adjourned for today i. e. 19.07.2021.

On the last date of hearing, held on 19.01.2021, an opportunity was given to the appellant to mention the reasons for non-deposition of the required fee of Rs. 1600/-, which was demanded from him by the PIO concerned to get the required information.

Neither the appellant, Sh. Rajinder Singh nor the respondent is present in today's hearing.

After examining the documents placed on record, it is found that the respondent PIO through a reply vide letter no. 1095 dated 31.01.2020 signed by Executive Engineer, P. W. D. (B & R), Provincial Division, Bathinda, which has been received in the Commission vide Diary No. 1378 dated 19.01.2021, has intimated the Commission that the appellant has not deposited the required fee of Rs. 1600/- for getting certified copies of information. It is taken on record.

After examining the case-file, it is found that it is found that the respondent PIO has demanded the required fee of Rs. 1600/- from the appellant and since the appellant has neither deposited the required fee nor sent any intimation mentioning the reasons for non-deposition of the required fee of Rs. 1600/- to the PIO concerned (as directed vide orders dated 19.01.2021), which shows that the appellant does not require the information anymore and it is assumed that he does not wish to pursue this case further and hence the case is disposed of and closed.

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S/o Sh. Om Kumar,
V.P.O. – Kot Fatuhi,
Tehsil – Garhshankar,
Distt. – Hoshiarpur - 144519(Punjab)

....Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Executive Engineer,
P.W.D. (B & R),
Construction Division - 03,
Ludhiana (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Superintending Engineer,
P.W.D. (B & R), Construction Circle,
Ludhiana (Punjab)

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1252 of 2020

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.
None on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

Heard through facility of Software/application 'CISCO Webex Meetings'.
The RTI request is dated 15.01.2020. First appeal is dated 17.02.2020. Second

appeal has been received in the Commission on 27.04.2020.

The hearing in the instant case, which was fixed to be heard on 27.04.2021, could not held due to technical fault in connection of network and the case was adjourned for today i. e. 19.07.2021.

On the last date of hearing, held on held on 19.01.2021, an opportunity was given to the appellant to point out deficiencies, if any, in the information supplied to him, in writing, to the respondent PIO concerned.

Neither the appellant, Sh. Rajinder Singh nor the respondent is present in today's hearing.

After examining the documents placed on record, it is found that the respondent PIO through a reply vide letter no. 62 dated 16.04.2021 signed by Executive Engineer, P. W. D. (B & R), Construction Division - 03, Ludhiana, which has been received in the Commission through an e-mail, has intimated the Commission that the requisite information has already been supplied to the appellant. It is taken on record.

The appellant, Sh. Rajinder Singh also through a letter dated 17.07.2021, which has been received in the Commission through an e-mail, has intimated the Commission that he has received the required information and the case be closed. It is taken on record.

Since complete information has been supplied by the respondent PIO and the appellant has also acknowledged that he has received the required information and has also given his consent to close the case, hence, the case is announced as disposed of and closed.

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