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Arjun Kakkar, S/o Mahinder Lal Kakkar, # 254, Sector- 1 B, Vikas Nagar, Mandi Gobindgarh, District Sri Fatehgarh Sahib.

Versus

Public Information Officer,

o/o Executive Officer, Nagar Council, Mandi Gobindgarh. District Fatehgarh Sahib. First Appellate Authority, o/o Deputy Director, Urban Local Bodies, First Floor, District Administration Complex, District Ludhiana.

Appeal Case No. 3748 of 2019 (Video Conference Proceedings)

PRESENT: (Appellant) Absent (Respondent) Absent

ORDER:

(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on 12.12.19, 7.2.2020, 24.6.2020, and 2.9.2020)

- 1. The RTI application is dated **10.6.19** vide which the appellant has sought <u>voluminous information</u> <u>regarding building plans, unauthorized colonies etc.</u>, as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **30.9.2019** and second appeal was filed in the Commission on **9.10.19** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. The case was last heard on **2.9.2020**.
- 2. Both parties are absent. At the last hearing on 2.9.2020, the respondent PIO was directed to furnish copies of the NOC/building plan permit/no due certificate issued for the two buildings cited by the appellant. However, in a letter dated 21.10.2020 (No. 410 RTI), the respondent PIO has furnished copies of the site plan for the above cited buildings. Copies of the No Due Certificate/ building plan permits have not been given.
- 3. The appellant is requested to examine the furnished information and submit a reply before the next hearing.
- 4. <u>Next hearing on 4.2.2021 at 12.00 pm through Video Conference Facility in the office of Deputy</u> Commissioner, Fatehgarh Sahib.

Sd/-(ASIT JOLLY) State Information Commissioner Chandigarh 2.12.2020

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Anoop Khullar,

s/o Som Nath Khullar, # 12, Sector 20, Block-C, Subhash Nagar, Mandi Gobindgarh, District Fatehgarh.

Versus

Public Information Officer.

o/o Executive Officer, Municipal Council Amloh, Tehsil Amloh, District Fatehgarh Sahib.

Complaint Case No. 779 of 2019 (Video Conference Proceedings)

PRESENT:

(Complainant) Absent Amarjeet Singh, Junior Assistant (for the Respondent) 96462-89966

ORDER:

(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on 31.10.19, 18.12.19, 12.2.2020, 24.6.2020, and 2.9.2020)

- 1. The complainant, **Anoop Khullar**, filed this RTI application dated **13.5.19** and sought **information regarding building plans**, **NOCs**, **NDCs**, **government grants**, **the Municipal Council's income etc.**. When no information was received, the Complainant filed a complaint under Section 18 of the RTI Act, 2005 to the Commission on **29.8.19**. The case was last heard on **24.6.2020**.
- 2. The complainant is absent without any intimation. Meanwhile, at the last hearing on 2.9.2020, the respondent PIO was directed to email a copy of the postal receipt and the dispatch register page vide which the requested information was sent to the complainant. The respondent has sent a copy of the information furnished, however, the postal receipt attached is incorrect.
- 3. The respondent PIO is directed to send the correct postal receipt addressed to the complainant Anoop Khullar and copy of the Dispatch Register Page wherein the information entered. This must be done before the next hearing.
- 4. IMPORTANT! All documents / information supplied to appellants / complainants must mandatorily be attested as under:

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Complaint Case No. 779 of 2019 (Video Conference Proceedings)

5. Next hearing on 4.2.2021 at 12.00 pm through Video Conference Facility in the office of Deputy Commissioner, Fatehgarh Sahib.

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Rakesh Kumar Gupta,

S/o Prem Parkash Gupta, #7, Sukh Enclave, New Officers Colony, Patiala – 147 001

Versus

Public Information Officer,

o/o Environmental Engineer,
Punjab Pollution Control Board,
Regional Office, RIMT Management College,
Mandi Gobindgarh,
District Fatehgarh Sahib.
First Appellate Authority,
o/o Senior Environmental Engineer,
Punjab Pollution control Board,
Zonal Office-II, Vatavaran Bhawan,
Nabha Road, Patiala.

Appeal Case No. 1533 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)

PRESENT:

(Appellant) Absent Vijay Kumar-PIO-cum-Environmental Engineer (Respondent) 98789-42031

ORDER:

- 1. The RTI application is dated 11.2.2020 vide which the appellant has sought <u>regarding water Act 1974 and Air Act 1981 pertaining to area of regional office Fatehgarh Sahib,</u> as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on 11.3.2020 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 15.6.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. Notice was issued to the parties for first hearing in the Commission on 2.12.2020.
- 2. The appellant is absent but has informed the Commission about his inability to attend this hearing. He has also contended that the information supplied to him vide letter no. 725 dated: 21.5.2020 is incomplete and not satisfactory. In his reply, the respondent PIO-cum-Environmental Engineer, Vijay Kumar, had contended that most of the information requested by the appellant is available on the PPCB Website i.e. www.ppcb.gov.in.
- 3. A copy of that reply was sent to this Commission via email on 26.11.2020. The respondent PIO is directed to resend the aforesaid email to the Commission at the earliest. The Commission will take and informed decision in this case after going through the respondent PIO's reply.

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Appeal Case No. 1533 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)

4. IMPORTANT! All documents / information supplied to appellants / complainants must mandatorily be attested as under:

Information supplied under the RTI Act, 2005 Signature of the PIO Name of the PIO Name of the Public Authority Date

5. <u>Next hearing on 4.2.2021 at 12.00 pm through Video Conference Facility in the office of Deputy Commissioner, Fatehgarh Sahib.</u>

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Gurcharan Singh,

S/o Gulzar Singh, C/o Advocate Jagroop Singh, # 401, Street No. 4, Vijay Nagar, P.O D.C. Complex, Patiala.

Versus

Public Information Officer, o/o Tehsildar, District Fatehgarh Sahib. First Appellate Authority, o/o Sub Divisional Magistrate, District Fatehgarh Sahib.

Appeal Case No. 2285 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)

PRESENT:

Gurcharan Singh (Appellant)
Gurjinder Singh, PIO-Cum-Tehsildar (Respondent) 78371-33310

ORDER:

- 1. The RTI application is dated **11.2.2020** vide which the appellant has sought <u>regarding demarcation of land</u>, as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **12.6.2020** and second appeal was filed in the Commission on **21.8.2020** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. Notice was issued to the parties for first hearing in the Commission on **2.12.2020**.
- 2. Both parties are present through Video Conference Facility. The respondent PIO-Cum-Tehsildar, Gurjinder Singh, had vide Letter No. 84 dated 18.11.2020, responded to this RTI application stating that it was in the form of questions and so not as per the RTI Act 2005. The RTI application pertains to the demarcation of a particular plot of land in Fatehgarh Sahib. The respondent PIO has stated that as per a report from his subordinate office, no such demarcation is available in the official record.
- 3. The respondent PIO is directed to submit an Affidavit citing the above mentioned report and clearly stating that the requested demarcation is not available.
- 4. IMPORTANT! All documents / information supplied to appellants / complainants must mandatorily be attested as under:

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Appeal Case No. 2285 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)

5. Next hearing on 4.2.2021 at 12.00 pm through Video Conference Facility in the office of Deputy Commissioner, Fatehgarh Sahib.

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Pankaj Mittal,

S/o Subhash Singh Mittal, # 22009/B, Street No. 12/1, Power House Road, Bathinda.

Versus

Public Information Officer,

o/o Chief Administrator, Bathinda Urban Development Authority, Bathinda.

Complaint Case No. 610 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)

PRESENT:

Pankaj Mittal (Complainant) 62809-50922 Jangbir Singh, Clerk, (for the Respondent) 62390-15193

ORDER:

- 1. The complainant, **Pankaj Mittal**, filed this RTI application dated **14.8.2020** and sought **information regarding a housing project**, **Virat Colony**, **by Indira Infratec Private Limited**. When no information was received, the Complainant filed a complaint under Section 18 of the RTI Act, 2005 to the Commission on **2.9.2020**. Notice was issued to the parties for first hearing in the Commission on **2.12.2020**.
- 2. Both parties are present through Video Conference Facility. The respondent PIO, represented by Jangbir Singh, Clerk, stated that he has brought the requested information to this hearing. However, none of the copies/pages are attested.
- 3. The respondent PIO is directed to individually attest each and every page and send the information vide Registered Post to the complainant. The respondent must also send a copy of the Postal Receipt and Dispatch Register page to this Commission.
- 4. The complainant is requested to examine the information provided by the respondent and list any deficiency in writing to the respondent PIO with a copy to this Commission before the next hearing.
- 5. IMPORTANT! All documents / information supplied to appellants / complainants must mandatorily be attested as under:

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Complaint Case No. 610 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)

6. Next hearing on 4.2.2021 at 12.00 pm through Video Conference Facility in the office of Deputy Commissioner, Bathinda.

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Rahul Singla,

S/o Satish Singla, # 20264 F Street No. 2 A, Jujhar Singh Nagar, Bathinda.

Versus

Public Information Officer,

o/o Punjab Real Estate, Regulatory Authority, First Floor, Block-B, Plot No. 3, Sector-18 A, Chandigarh.

Complaint Case No. 430 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)

PRESENT:

(Complainant) Absent Inderjit Singh, PIO-cum-Assistant Manager Admin, (for the Respondent) 98147-52112

ORDER:

- 1. The complainant, **Rahul Singla**, filed this RTI application dated **27.2.2020** and sought **information regarding letter bearing Diary No. 3631**. When no information was received, the Complainant filed a complaint under Section 18 of the RTI Act, 2005 to the Commission on **7.7.2020**. Notice was issued to the parties for first hearing in the Commission on **2.12.2020**.
- 2. The complainant is absent but has informed to this Commission about his inability to attend this hearing. The respondent PIO-cum-Assistant Manager (Admin), Inderjit Singh, submitted that a reply along with a copy of the requested information was sent to the complainant on 16.6.2020.
- 3. It appears from the proceedings at this hearing that the respondent is attempting to prevent / delay disclosure of violations by a particular builder. The respondent PIO is herewith directed to submit duly attested copies of all documents related to the Notice (RERA/PS/CP/2020/1625, dated: 28.2.2020) issued to M/s LP Rai Developers Private Limited. This must include all documents subsequent to the issue of the afore-cited notice. Copies be sent to the complainant as well as this Commission before the next hearing.
- 4. IMPORTANT! All documents / information supplied to appellants / complainants must mandatorily be attested as under:

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Complaint Case No. 430 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)

5. Next hearing on 4.2.2021 at 12.00 pm through Video Conference Facility in the office of Deputy Commissioner, Mohali.

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Harmilap Singh Grewal,

22173, Street-12/2 Power House Road, Bathinda-151001

Versus

Public Information Officer,

o/o Punjab Urban Planning & Development Authority, PUDA Bhawan, Sector-62, S.A.S Nagar, Mohali Public Information Officer, o/o Bathinda Development Authority, Model Town, RD, Civil Lines, District Bathinda First Appellate Authority, o/o Punjab Urban Planning & Development Authority, PUDA Bhawan, Sector-62, S.A.S Nagar, Mohali

Appeal Case No. 741 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)

PRESENT:

Harmilap Singh Grewal (Appellant) 93562-00018 Umesh Sehgal, Junior Assistant, PUDA Mohali (for the Respondent) 90412-11147 Jangbir Singh, Clerk, BDA, Bathinda (for the Respondent) 62390-15193

ORDER:

(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on 26.8.2020)

- 1. The RTI application is dated **3.9.2019** vide which the appellant has sought information <u>by</u> way of a copy of a Map showing the demarcation of PUDA-acquired / earmarked land of <u>rakba 2519</u> and 2520 for Phase Three of the Bathinda Power House and a copy of the <u>Court Order directing status quo on land along with rakba numbers</u>, as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **28.11.2019** and second appeal was filed in the Commission on **14.2.2020** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. The case was last heard on **26.8.2020**.
- 2. Both parties are present through Video Conference Facility. The respondent PIO, represented by Umesh Sehgal, Junior Assistant, from PUDA Mohali and Jangbir Singh, Clerk from BDA, Bathinda. Umesh Sehgal contended that the information pertains to the BDA and so was transferred to that office. Jangbir Singh from the office of BDA has stated that a reply was sent to the appellant with a copy of the map cited in this RTI application along with a covering letter.

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- 3. The respondent PIO, office of BDA is directed to submit an attested copies of the information/letter/map sent to the appellant, to this Commission. In addition to this the respondent PIO, office of BDA is directed to submit a duly Notarised Affidavit regarding the status of the demarcation of the land (rakba 2519 and 2520) as per the appellant's query in his RTI application. The original Affidavit is to be sent to the appellant by hand and a copy is to be sent to this Commission before the next hearing.
- 4. IMPORTANT! All documents / information supplied to appellants / complainants must mandatorily be attested as under:

Information supplied under the RTI Act, 2005 Signature of the PIO Name of the PIO Name of the Public Authority Date

5. Next hearing on 4.2.2021 at 12.00 pm through Video Conference Facility in the office of Deputy Commissioner, Bathinda.

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Lajpat Rai,

S/o S Harbans Lal, Street No. II, Ganesh Estate, Bathinda.

Versus

Public Information Officer, o/o Station House Officer, Urban Estate, Patiala. First Appellate Authority, o/o Inspector General of Police, Patiala.

Appeal Case No. 3092 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)

PRESENT:

Lajpat Rai (Appellant) 98142-30616 ASI Kuldeep Singh (for the Respondent) 87288-90111

ORDER:

- 1. The RTI application is dated **10.10.2020** vide which the appellant has sought information **regarding complaint filed by Harish Kumar, Clerk Punjabi University Patiala,** as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **12.10.2020** and second appeal was filed in the Commission on **20.10.2020** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. Notice was issued to the parties for first hearing in the Commission on **2.12.2020**.
- 2. Both parties are present through Video Conference Facility. The respondent PIO, represented by ASI Kuldeep Singh, states that an Affidavit was received from the appellant stating that both the parties have compromised with each other and requested that the case be closed. However, the appellant contended that he has received no information from the respondent PIO nor sent any Affidavit in regard to the RTI filed by him.
- 3. The respondent PIO is directed to email a copy of the Affidavit received from the appellant in regard to the compromise between both parties to this Commission.
- 4. IMPORTANT! All documents / information supplied to appellants / complainants must mandatorily be attested as under:

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Appeal Case No. 3092 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)

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Lajpat Rai,

S/o Sh. Harbans Lal, Street No. II, Ganesh Estate, Bathinda.

Versus

Public Information Officer, o/o Senior Superintendent of Police, Patiala. First Appellate Authority, o/o Inspector General of Police, Patiala.

Appeal Case No. 3093 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)

PRESENT:

Lajpat Rai (Appellant) 98142-30616 ASI Hakam Singh (for the Respondent)

ORDER:

- 1. The RTI application is dated **10.10.2020** vide which the appellant has sought information regarding documents regarding complaints from Punjab Raj Mahila Commission, as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **12.10.2020** and second appeal was filed in the Commission on **20.10.2020** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. Notice was issued to the parties for first hearing in the Commission on **2.12.2020**.
- 2. Both parties are present through Video Conference Facility. The respondent PIO represented by ASI Hakam Singh from the office of the SSP Patiala, stated that the requested information was sent to the appellant on 19.11.2020. The appellant however, states that the information is incomplete. The appellant is advised to list deficiencies in writing to the respondent PIO with a copy to this Commission.
- 3. The respondent PIO is also directed to send a copy of the information supplied to the appellant with a copy of the Dispatch Register page where, it is entered, to this Commission.
- 4. IMPORTANT! All documents / information supplied to appellants / complainants must mandatorily be attested as under:

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Appeal Case No. 3093 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)

5. Next hearing on 4.2.2021 at 12.00 pm through Video Conference Facility in the office of Deputy Commissioner, Patiala.

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Karamjit Singh,

S/o Maghar Singh, # 1169, Khanna Nagar, Ward No. 12, Bye Pass Road, Lehra Gagga, District Sangrur – 148 031

Versus

Public Information Officer,

o/o Deputy Chief Engineer, Technical-3, Punjab State Power Corporation Limited, Head Office, The Mall, Patiala. First Appellate Authority, o/o Chief Engineer, HRD, Punjab State Power Corporation Limited, Head Office. The Mall. Patiala.

Appeal Case No. 513 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)

PRESENT:

Karamjit Singh (Appellant) 94639-62995 Lalpreet Singh, Joint Secretary Technical-3, PSPCL (for the Respondent) 96461-18792 Kulraj Singh, XEN, Lehragaga (for the Respondent)

ORDER:

(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on **26.8.2020**)

- 1. The RTI application is dated **16.7.2019** vide which the appellant has sought information regarding **engineer Nirmal Singh and Lower Division Clerk Karamjit Singh (appellant himself) in three points** as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **7.9.2019** and second appeal was filed in the Commission on **28.1.2020** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. The case was last heard on **26.8.2020**.
- 2. Both parties are present through Video Conference Facility. The respondent PIO is represented by Lalpreet Singh, Joint Secretary, Technical-3 Branch, PSPCL Patiala and Kulraj Singh, XEN, PSPCL Lehragaga. They stated that a reply along with requested information have already been supplied to the appellant. The appellant however, contended that the information is incomplete.
- 3. The respondents are directed to send copies of the reply/letter/information sent to the appellant, to this Commission. The appellant is advised to list the deficiencies in a letter to the respondent PIO with a copy to this Commission.

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Appeal Case No. 513 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)

4. IMPORTANT! All documents / information supplied to appellants / complainants must mandatorily be attested as under:

Information supplied under the RTI Act, 2005 Signature of the PIO Name of the PIO Name of the Public Authority Date

5. Next hearing on 4.2.2021 at 12.00 pm through Video Conference Facility in the office of Deputy Commissioner, Patiala.

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Labh Singh, S/o Surjit Singh, # 105-D, Deep Nagar, District Patiala.

Versus

Public Information Officer, o/o XEN, Civil Works Division,

Punjab State Power Corporation Limited, Sangrur.

Complaint Case No. 164 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)

PRESENT:

Labh Singh (Complainant) 94632-95103 Parambir Singh, SDO (for the Respondent) 96461-29458

ORDER:

(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on 26.8.2020)

- 1. The complainant, Labh Singh, filed this RTI application dated 3.1.2020 and sought Information regarding 66 Kv works along with copies of tenders; works completed; works still in progress; vehicle expenses incurred; and copies of gate passes issued at the Gobindgarh Nut-bolt unit etc. from the PIO o/o XEN, Civil Works Division, PSPCL, Sangrur. When no information was received, the Complainant filed a complaint under Section 18 of the RTI Act, 2005 to the Commission on 5.2.2020. The case was last heard on 26.8.2020.
- 2. Both parties are present through Video Conference Facility. The respondent PIO, represented by Parambir Singh, SDO, stated that the information was sent to the appellant on 11.5.2020 (30 pages). The complainant however, insisted that the information is incomplete. The complainant stated that he has requested the information pertaining to the entire Sangrur Sub Division for the period cited in the RTI application.
- 3. The respondent PIO is directed to collect the requested information and send it to the complainant after individually attesting every page. The respondent PIO must do this before the next hearing.
- 4. IMPORTANT! All documents / information supplied to appellants / complainants must mandatorily be attested as under:

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Complaint Case No. 164 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)

5. <u>Next hearing on 4.2.2021 at 12.00 pm through Video Conference Facility in the office of Deputy Commissioner, Sangrur.</u>

Sd/-(ASIT JOLLY) State Information Commissioner