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Bench: Sh. Sanjiv Garg, State Information Commissioner, Punjab.



Sh. Sanjeev Thakur, S/o Sh. Baldev Singh Salaria,
Mohalla Rajput Nagar, VPO, Madhopur,
Tehsil Pathankot, Gurha Khurd, Gurdaspur.
M: 8968084100

...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o General Manager, Punjab Roadways,
Pathankot.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Administrative Officer –cum-
Executive Director (Admin.), PUNBUS, Jeevandeep Building,
1st Floor, Sector 17, Chandigarh.

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1530 of 2019

Present: The Appellant, Sh. Sanjeev Thakur is absent.
None is present on behalf of PIO/Respondent.

ORDER:

The date of RTI Application is 10.01.2019. The date of First Appeal is 05.03.2019 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 24.04.2019.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Sanjeev Thakur is absent but an email dated 19.08.2019 has been received in the Commission vide which he stated that no information has been supplied to him till date.

The PIO/Respondent is absent without any intimation to the Commission.

After going through the case file, Commission takes a serious view against the PIO/Respondent of this casual approach.

In view of the above, a show cause notice under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act is issued to PIO O/o General Manager, Punjab Roadways, Pathankot as to why penalty be not imposed upon him for willful delay in supplying the information to the RTI Appellant and as to why the compensation be not awarded to the information-seeker under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

In addition, the PIO is also hereby given an opportunity under Section 20(1) provision thereto, for a personal hearing with the sought for information, before the imposition of such penalty on the next date of hearing.

The PIO/Respondent is directed to supply complete information to the Appellant, by registered post before the next date of hearing. The PIO concerned is also directed to appear in person along with the postal receipt, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, on the next date of hearing. A copy of the RTI request be sent to the PIO alongwith this order through registered post for his ready reference.

An opportunity is given to the Appellant and he is advised to go through the requisite information, once he receives the same from the Respondent/PIO and point out deficiencies in written, if any, to the Respondent/PIO through registered post, with a copy to the Commission, failing which the case will be decided on merits. The Appellant is further advised to appear in person or through any of his representative on the next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to next date of hearing which is fixed for 22.10.2019 at 11.00 A. M.

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Sd/-
(Sanjiv Garg)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Dated: 20.08.2019

Show Cause:

(Regd. Post) **Public Information Officer, (By Name)**
O/o General Manager, Punjab Roadways, Pathankot.

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Sh. Raman Kumar, S/o Sh. Jai Pal,
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Distt.S.A.S Nagar (Mohali) M: 9216009292

...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,
Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,
Chandigarh.

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1531 of 2019

Present: The Appellant, Sh. Raman Kumar is present.
None is present on behalf of PIO/Respondent.

ORDER:

The date of RTI Application is 13.12.2018 The date of First Appeal is 01.03.2019 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 18.04.2019.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Raman Kumar states that no information has been supplied to him till date and further requested for the copy of notice as he didn't receive the notice. On asking about the today's hearing, he states that by contacting with the bench of undersigned, he was able to know about today's hearing.

The PIO/Respondent is absent without any intimation to the Commission.

After going through the case file, it is observed that the notice was undelivered to the Appellant and received back by the postal services to the Commission vide diary no. 13643 dated 16.07.2019. A copy of the notice along with this order be sent to the Appellant. On the other hand, Commission takes a serious view against the PIO/Respondent of this casual approach.

In view of the above, a show cause notice under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act is issued to PIO O/o State Transport Commissioner, Punjab, Chandigarh as to why penalty be not imposed upon him for willful delay in supplying the information to the RTI Appellant and as to why the compensation be not awarded to the information-seeker under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

In addition, the PIO is also hereby given an opportunity under Section 20(1) provision thereto, for a personal hearing with the sought for information and to clear the facts of this case, before the imposition of such penalty on the next date of hearing.

The PIO/Respondent is directed to supply complete information to the Appellant, by registered post before the next date of hearing. The PIO concerned is also directed to appear in person along with the postal receipt, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, on the next date of hearing. A copy of the RTI request be sent to the PIO alongwith this order through registered post for his ready reference.

The Appellant is advised to go through the requisite information, once he receives the same from the Respondent/PIO and point out deficiencies in written, if any, to the Respondent/PIO through registered post, with a copy to the Commission, failing which the case will be decided on merits. The Appellant is further advised to appear in person or through any of his representative on the next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to next date of hearing which is fixed for 22.10.2019 at 11.00 A. M.

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Sd/-
(Sanjiv Garg)

State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Dated: 20.08.2019

Show Cause:

(Regd. Post) Public Information Officer, (By Name)

O/o State Transport Commissioner, Punjab, Sector 17, Chandigarh.

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Sh. Manjit Singh, S/o Sh. Sohan Singh,
House no. 388/3, Mohalla Dhandolian Street,
Patiala. M: 7696282813

...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o Assistant Transport Officer, Automatic
Driving Test Track, Patiala.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,
Chandigarh.

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1533 of 2019

Present: The Appellant, Sh. Manjit Singh is present.
None is present on behalf of PIO/Respondent.

ORDER:

The date of RTI Application is 07.01.2019 The date of First Appeal is 28.02.2019 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 24.04.2019.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Manjit Singh states that no information has been supplied to him till date.

The PIO/Respondent is absent without any intimation to the Commission.

After going through the case file, Commission takes a serious view against the PIO/Respondent of this casual approach.

In view of the above, a show cause notice under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act is issued to PIO O/o Assistant Transport Officer, Automatic Driving Test Track, Patiala as to why penalty be not imposed upon him for willful delay in supplying the information to the RTI Appellant and as to why the compensation be not awarded to the information-seeker under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

In addition, the PIO is also hereby given an opportunity under Section 20(1) provision thereto, for a personal hearing with the sought for information and to clear the facts of this case, before the imposition of such penalty on the next date of hearing.

The PIO/Respondent is directed to supply complete information to the Appellant, by registered post before the next date of hearing. The PIO concerned is also directed to appear in person along with the postal receipt, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, on the next date of hearing. A copy of the RTI request be sent to the PIO alongwith this order through registered post for his ready reference.

The Appellant is advised to go through the requisite information, once he receives the same from the Respondent/PIO and point out deficiencies in written, if any, to the Respondent/PIO through registered post, with a copy to the Commission, failing which the case will be decided on merits. The Appellant is further advised to appear in person or through any of his representative on the next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to next date of hearing which is fixed for 22.10.2019 at 11.00 A. M.

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Dated: 20.08.2019

Show Cause:

(Regd. Post) Public Information Officer, (By Name)

O/o Assistant Transport Officer, Automatic Driving Test Track, Patiala.

(ENCL. RTI APPLICATION)

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...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,
Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Principal Secretary Transport, Punjab, Chandigarh.

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1534 of 2019

Present: The Appellant, Sh. Manjit Singh is present.
Sh. Gurpal Singh, APIO is present on behalf of PIO/Respondent.

ORDER:

The date of RTI Application is 07.01.2019 The date of First Appeal is 28.02.2019 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 24.04.2019.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Manjit Singh states that no information has been supplied to him till date.

The representative of the PIO/Respondent, Sh. Gurpal Singh requests for some time and further requests for an adjournment.

After going through the case file, Commission takes a serious view against the PIO/Respondent of this casual approach. As the appellant has filed his RTI application on dated 07.01.2019 and till date no information has been supplied to the Appellant.

Last opportunity is given to the PIO/Respondent and he is directed to supply complete information to the Appellant, by registered post before the next date of hearing. The PIO/Respondent is also directed to appear in person or through any of his representative along with the postal receipt, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, on the next date of hearing, failing which a strict action would be taken against the PIO.

The Appellant is advised to go through the requisite information, once he receives the same from the Respondent/PIO and point out deficiencies in written, if any, to the Respondent/PIO through registered post, with a copy to the Commission, failing which the case will be decided on merits. The Appellant is further advised to appear in person or through any of his representative on the next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to next date of hearing which is fixed for 23.10.2019 at 11.00 A. M.

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Dated: 20.08.2019

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Sh. Ramandeep Singh, S/o Sh. Gurcharan Singh,
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Khanna.(141401) M: 9464500405

...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o Executive Officer, Municipal Council,
Khanna.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Regional Deputy Director, Urban Local Government,
1st Floor, Mini Secretariat, Ferozpur Road, Ludhiana.

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1546 of 2019

Present: The Appellant, Sh. Ramandeep Singh is present.
Sh. Jaswant Singh, Junior Engineer is present on behalf of PIO/Respondent.

ORDER:

The date of RTI Application is 18.12.2018 The date of First Appeal is 07.01.2019 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 24.04.2019.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Ramandeep Singh requests for closing this case by submitting a letter dated 20.08.2019 vide which he admits that the information which has been sought by him in this RTI i.e. AC:1546 of 2019 is same as in AC: 1260 of 2019 which is still going on, which is taken on record.

The representative of the PIO/Respondent, Sh. Jaswant Singh submits a letter vide endorsement no. 1788 dated 19.08.2019 vide which it is written that this information has already been provided to the Appellant vide letter number 15 dated 21.06.2019 in the Appeal Case no. 1260 of 2019.

After discussing with both the parties and going through the case file, the request of the Appellant has been accepted as similar case i.e. AC: 1260 of 2019 relating to work no. 23 is already under proceedings.

So, no further action is required in this case.

This case is disposed off and closed.

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Dated: 20.08.2019

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...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o Executive Officer, Municipal Council,
Khanna.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Regional Deputy Director, Urban Local Government,
1st Floor, Mini Secretariat, Ferozpur Road, Ludhiana.

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1547 of 2019

Present: The Appellant, Sh. Ramandeep Singh is present.
Sh. Jaswant Singh, Junior Engineer is present on behalf of PIO/Respondent.

ORDER:

The date of RTI Application is 03.10.2019 The date of First Appeal is 07.12.2018 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 24.04.2019.

In today's hearing, the representative of the PIO/Respondent, Sh. Jaswant Singh submits a letter number 1790 dated 19.08.2019 and further states that they have asked the Appellant, Sh. Ramandeep Singh to visit for inspection and to collect the samples of the concerned work on 19.08.2019 at 11:00 A.M. but the Appellant was unable to appear there on the said date.

The Appellant, Sh. Ramandeep Singh requests for another date to visit the concerned officials for collecting the samples.

After discussing with both the parties and going through the case file, the Appellant is advised to visit the concerned office on 23.09.2019 at 11:00 A.M. for collecting the certified samples. The PIO and Sh. Jaswant Singh are directed to be present at the time of inspection and provide the certified samples to the Appellant after collecting the concerned assessed fees from the Appellant.

Sh. Jaswant Singh assures that he will be there along with the concerned officials at the time of inspection. The Respondent/PIO is further advised to appear in person or through any of his representative on the next date of hearing.

The Appellant is advised to appear in person or through any of his representative on the next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to next date of hearing which is fixed for 23.10.2019 at 11.00 A. M.

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Dated: 20.08.2019

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Ward No. 18, Street No. 2, Kartar Nagar, Amloh Road,
Khanna.(141401) M: 9464500405

...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o Executive Officer, Municipal Council,
Khanna.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Regional Deputy Director, Urban Local Government,
1st Floor, Mini Secretariat, Ferozpur Road, Ludhiana.

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1548 of 2019

Present: The Appellant, Sh. Ramandeep Singh is present.
Sh. Jaswant Singh, Junior Engineer is present on behalf of PIO/Respondent.

ORDER:

The date of RTI Application is 03.10.2019 The date of First Appeal is 07.12.2018 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 24.04.2019.

In today's hearing, the representative of the PIO/Respondent, Sh. Jaswant Singh submits a copy of letter number 1790 dated 19.08.2019 and further states that they have asked the Appellant, Sh. Ramandeep Singh to visit for inspection and to collect the samples of the concerned work on 19.08.2019 at 11:00 A.M. but the Appellant was unable to appear there on the said date.

The Appellant, Sh. Ramandeep Singh requests for another date to visit the concerned officials for collecting the samples.

After discussing with both the parties and going through the case file, the Appellant is advised to visit the concerned office on 23.09.2019 at 11:00 A.M. for collecting the certified samples. The PIO and Sh. Jaswant Singh are directed to be present at the time of inspection and provide the certified samples to the Appellant after collecting the concerned assessed fees from the Appellant.

Sh. Jaswant Singh assures that he will be there along with the concerned officials at the time of inspection. The Respondent/PIO is further advised to appear in person or through any of his representative on the next date of hearing.

The Appellant is advised to appear in person or through any of his representative on the next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to next date of hearing which is fixed for 23.10.2019 at 11.00 A. M.

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Dated: 20.08.2019

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Sh. Amandeep Singh, S/o Sh. Zora Singh,
Behind Durga Mata Mandir, Sunset Village (BRS Nagar),
Ludhiana. M: 9815610901

...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o Municipal Corporation, Zone -D, Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana.

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1549 of 2019

Present: The Appellant, Sh. Amandeep Singh is present.
None is present on behalf of PIO/Respondent.

ORDER:

The date of RTI Application is 05.06.2018. The date of First Appeal is 11.07.2018 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 24.04.2019.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Amandeep Singh states that the information which has been supplied to him is irrelevant in nature.

The PIO/Respondent is absent without any intimation to the Commission.

After discussing with the Appellant and going through the case file, it is observed that an email dated 19.08.2019 has been received in the Commission vide which several documents along with a copy of letter no. 160/ATP-D/RTI/D dated 16.08.2019 is attached herewith, in which it is clearly mentioned that the Appellant has requested for information against the 6 points in his RTI Application but in his application of 20.06.2019, the Appellant has requested the information against 5 points. Also, it is written in the letter that they have supplied the information relating to first five points vide letter dated 04.07.2018.

In view of above, a serious view is taken against the Respondent/PIO. The Respondent/PIO is further directed to appear in person or through any of his representative on the next date of hearing positively to clear the facts of this case along with the requisite information, failing which an action would be taken against the PIO.

The Appellant is advised to appear in person or through any of his representative on the next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to next date of hearing which is fixed for 23.10.2019 at 11.00 A. M.

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Dated: 20.08.2019

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M: 6239067668

...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o P.R.T.C., Patiala.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o P.R.T.C. (H.Q.), Patiala.

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1576 of 2019

Present: The Appellant, Sh. Vijay Sood is absent.
Sh. Narinder Kumar, Senior Assistant is present on behalf of PIO/Respondent.

ORDER:

The date of RTI Application is 28.01.2019. The date of First Appeal is 18.02.2019 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 03.05.2019.

In today's hearing, the representative of Respondent/PIO, Sh. Narinder Kumar states that the requisite information has already been supplied to the Appellant through registered post. He further submits a letter no. 4343 dated 16.08.2019 along with copy of other documents, which is taken on record. On asking about the proof of the registered postal receipt then Sh. Narinder Kumar, assures that he will submit the copy of postal receipt to the Court before the next date of hearing.

The Appellant, Sh. Vijay Sood is absent without any intimation to the Commission.

The PIO/Respondent is directed to appear in person or through any of his representative along with the postal receipt, through which information has been sent to the Appellant, on the next date of hearing.

An opportunity is given to the Appellant and he is advised to go through the requisite information, once he receives the same from the Respondent/PIO and point out deficiencies in written, if any, to the Respondent/PIO through registered post, with a copy to the Commission, failing which the case will be decided on merits. The Appellant is further advised to appear in person or through any of his representative on the next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to next date of hearing which is fixed for 23.10.2019 at 11.00 A. M.

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Sh. Baljeet Singh, S/o Sh. Bachan Singh,
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M: 7696500015

...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o Improvement Trust, Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Deputy Director, Local Bodies, Punjab
Government, Ludhiana.

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1581 of 2019

Present: The Appellant, Sh. Baljeet Singh is absent.
Sh. Harmeet Singh, APIO –cum- Junior Assistant is present on behalf of
PIO/Respondent.

ORDER:

The date of RTI Application is 31.01.2019. The date of First Appeal is 01.03.2019 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 25.04.2019.

In today's hearing, the APIO, Sh. Harmeet Singh states that the requisite information has already been supplied to the Appellant through registered post. He further submits a letter vide endorsement no. 6333 dated 19.08.2019, which is taken on record. On asking about the proof of the registered postal receipt then Sh. Harmeet Singh, assures that he will submit the copy of postal receipt to the Court before the next date of hearing.

The Appellant, Sh. Baljeet Singh is absent without any intimation to the Commission.

After going through the case file, the PIO/Respondent is directed to appear in person or through any of his representative along with the postal receipt, through which information has been sent to the Appellant, on the next date of hearing.

An opportunity is given to the Appellant and he is advised to go through the requisite information, once he receives the same from the Respondent/PIO and point out deficiencies in written, if any, to the Respondent/PIO through registered post, with a copy to the Commission, failing which the case will be decided on merits. The Appellant is further advised to appear in person or through any of his representative on the next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to next date of hearing which is fixed for 23.10.2019 at 11.00 A. M.

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C/o Sh. Hitender Kansal, Advocate,
Chamber No. 117, Punjab & Haryana High Court,
Chandigarh. M: 9876128686

...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Collector,
Deputy Commissioner Office,
District Administrative Complex, Gurdaspur. (Pb.)

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Collector,
Deputy Commissioner Office,
District Administrative Complex, Gurdaspur. (Pb.)

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1582 of 2019

Present: Sh. Hitender Kansal, Advocate is present on behalf of the Appellant, Sh. Sarlochan Singh.
None is present on behalf of PIO/Respondent.

ORDER:

The date of RTI Application is 28.12.2018. The date of First Appeal is 04.02.2019 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 25.04.2019.

In today's hearing, the representative of the Appellant, Sh. Hitender Kansal states that no information has been supplied to the Appellant till date.

The PIO/Respondent is absent without any intimation to the Commission.

After discussing with the representative of the Appellant and going through the case file, Commission takes a serious view against the PIO/Respondent of this casual approach.

The PIO/Respondent is directed to supply complete information to the Appellant, by registered post before the next date of hearing. The PIO concerned is also directed to appear in person along with the postal receipt, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, on the next date of hearing, failing which a serious view will be taken against the PIO. A copy of the RTI request be sent to the PIO alongwith this order through registered post for his ready reference.

The Appellant is advised to go through the requisite information, once he receives the same from the Respondent/PIO and point out deficiencies in written, if any, to the Respondent/PIO through registered post, with a copy to the Commission. The Appellant is further advised to appear in person or through any of his representative on the next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to next date of hearing which is fixed for 23.10.2019 at 11.00 A. M.

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(Sanjiv Garg)

State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Dated: 20.08.2019

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(Regd. Post) Public Information Officer, (By Name)

O/o The Collector,
Deputy Commissioner Office,
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...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o State Transport Commissioner, Punjab, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o State Transport Commissioner, Punjab, Chandigarh.

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1592 of 2019

Present: The Appellant, Sh. Jasbir Singh is absent.
Sh. Gurpal Singh, APIO is present on behalf of PIO/Respondent.

ORDER:

The date of RTI Application is 07.01.2019. The date of First Appeal is 08.02.2019 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 30.04.2019.

In today's hearing, the APIO, Sh. Gurpal Singh states that some information has been supplied to the Appellant.

The Appellant, Sh. Jasbir Singh is absent in today's hearing but an email dated 19.08.2019 has been received in the Commission vide which he had requested for an adjournment and further states that incomplete information has been supplied to him till date.

After discussing with the representative of the Respondent/PIO and going through the case file, the PIO/Respondent is directed to supply complete information to the Appellant, by registered post before the next date of hearing. The PIO/ Respondent is further directed to appear in person or through any of his representative along with the postal receipt, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, on the next date of hearing, failing which a serious view will be taken against the PIO.

The Appellant is advised to go through the requisite information, once he receives the same from the Respondent/PIO and point out deficiencies in written, if any, to the Respondent/PIO through registered post, with a copy to the Commission, before the next date of hearing, failing which the case will be decided on merits. The Appellant is further advised to appear in person or through any of his representative on the next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to next date of hearing which is fixed for 23.10.2019 at 11.00 A. M.

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

(Sanjiv Garg)

**State Information Commissioner
Punjab**

Dated: 20.08.2019

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...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o Deputy State Transport Commissioner, Punjab, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o State Transport Commissioner, Punjab, Chandigarh.

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1608 of 2019

Present: The Appellant, Sh. Satnam Singh is absent.
Sh. Gurpal Singh, APIO is present on behalf of PIO/Respondent.

ORDER:

The date of RTI Application is 10.01.2019. The date of First Appeal is 18.02.2019 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 30.04.2019.

In today's hearing, the APIO, Sh. Gurpal Singh states that partial information has already been supplied to the Appellant through registered post and he has brought the pending information for the Appellant in the Court, for the Appellant. He further submits a letter no. 22417 dated 20.08.2019 along with letter vide endorsement no. 22414 dated 20.08.2019 to the Court, which is taken on record.

The Appellant, Sh. Satnam Singh is absent without any intimation to the Commission.

After going through the case file and discussing with Sh. Gurpal Singh, the PIO/Respondent is directed to supply complete information to the Appellant, by registered post before the next date of hearing. The PIO/ Respondent is further directed to appear in person or through any of his representative along with the postal receipt, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, on the next date of hearing, failing which a serious view will be taken against the PIO.

The Appellant is advised to go through the requisite information, once he receives the same from the Respondent/PIO and point out deficiencies in written, if any, to the Respondent/PIO through registered post, with a copy to the Commission, before the next date of hearing, failing which the case will be decided on merits. The Appellant is further advised to appear in person or through any of his representative on the next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to next date of hearing which is fixed for 23.10.2019 at 11.00 A. M.

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....Complainant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o Station House Officer,
Police Station City, Gurdaspur,
District Gurdaspur.

...Respondent

Complaint Case No. 1083 of 2018

Present: Sh. Anurag Sharma is present on behalf of the Complainant, Smt. Renu Sharma.
None is present on behalf of Respondent/PIO.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 26.06.2019. And last opportunity was given to the Complainant and she was advised to confirm whether she had received the information or not.

In today's hearing, the representative of the Appellant, Sh. Anurag Sharma states that no information has been supplied to him till date.

The PIO/Respondent is absent without any intimation to the Commission.

After going through the case file, it is observed that Sh. Kulwant Singh, S.H.O. who was present on the hearing dated 24.04.2019 and he was advised to supply the requisite information to the Appellant and to appear in person along with the postal receipt through which the information was sent.

But in today's hearing, Sh. Anurag Sharma states that no information has been supplied to the Appellant. Commission takes a very serious view of this casual approach of the Respondent/PIO and Sh. Kulwant Singh, S.H.O is advised to appear personally on the next date of hearing for clearing the facts of this case else an action would be taken against the PIO. The PIO/ Respondent is further advised to appear in person along with the postal receipt, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, on the next date of hearing positively.

The Appellant is advised to go through the requisite information, once he receives the same from the Respondent/PIO and point out deficiencies in written, if any, to the Respondent/PIO through registered post, with a copy to the Commission, before the next date of hearing, failing which the case will be decided on merits. The Appellant is further advised to appear in person or through any of his representative on the next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to next date of hearing which is fixed for 23.10.2019 at 11.00 A. M.

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Sh. Sukhchain Singh,
Secretary, Nagar Welfare Society
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Tehsil Batala, Distt. Gurdaspur.

...Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer-cum-
O/o General Manager,
Punjab Roadways, Amritsar-II.

First Appellant Authority-cum-
O/o The Director, State Transport, Pb.
Sector-17, Chandigarh.

..... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 3122 of 2018

Present: Sh. Sukhchain Singh, the Appellant is present.
Sh. Amarjeet Singh, Junior Assistant is present on behalf of PIO/Respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 26.06.2019 and the Appellant was advised to visit the Office of the concerned PIO on 31.07.2019 for inspection of records.

In today's hearing, the representative of the Respondent/PIO, Sh. Amarjeet Singh, states that the information has already been supplied to the Appellant.

The Appellant, Sh. Sukhchain Singh, states that he has received the information but he is not fully satisfied with it.

After having point wise discussion on the RTI Application with both the parties, it is observed that the information has been supplied to the Appellant. He further submits an acknowledgement dated 20.08.2019 of his satisfaction, which is taken on record.

In view of above, as the information stands supplied. So no further cause of action is required in this case.

This case is disposed of and closed.

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...Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer-cum-
O/o The Secretary,
Regional Transport Authority, Hoshiarpur.

First Appellant Authority-cum-
O/o The Secretary,
Regional Transport Authority, Hoshiarpur

..... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 3125 of 2018

Present: Sh. Sukhchain Singh, the Appellant is present.
Sh. Ravi Dutt, Junior Assistant is present on behalf of PIO/Respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 26.06.2019 and the Appellant was advised to visit the Office of the concerned PIO on 31.07.2019 for inspection of records.

In today's hearing, the representative of the Respondent/PIO, Sh. Ravi Dutt, states that the information has already been supplied to the Appellant.

The Appellant, Sh. Sukhchain Singh, states that he has received the information but he is not fully satisfied with it.

After having point wise discussion on the RTI Application with both the parties, it is observed that the information has been supplied to the Appellant. He further submits an acknowledgement dated 20.08.2019 of his satisfaction, which is taken on record.

A part from this, it is also observed that the Respondent/PIO took lots of time to supply the requisite information to the Appellant, which would not be acceptable in future.

In view of above, as the information stands supplied. So no further cause of action is required in this case.

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