

Sh Sanchit Guglani, #31, Indra Nagar, Old Court Road, Fazilka (M-9888555702)

.....Appellant

Public Information Officer, O/o BDPO, Fazilka

**First Appellate Authority ,** O/o DDPO, Fazilka

.....Respondent

### AC No. 3860 of 2021 (Through Video-Conferencing)

..Vs

Present : None for the parties.

# ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated 08.04.2021 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 27.08.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 20.12.2021 through Video-Conferencing facility in the Office of DC, Fazilka.

3. Today neither the Appellant nor the Respondent is present. However, an e-mail has been received from the Appellant stating as under:-

"It is to inform you that i will no longer be able to participate forthcoming hearing due to death of my beloved uncle."

Copy of the same is taken on record.

4. This is the first date of hearing and both the parties are not present today. Hence, an opportunity is given to both the parties to appear before the Commission and state their case.



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5. To come up on **06.04.2022 at 12:00 PM in** the Commission office. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

Dated : 20.12.2021



Sh Krishan Singh, S/o Sh Bur Singh, (M-99142-95809) Village Tiwana Kalan, Tehsil Jalalabad-152024 ..Vs

.....Appellant

**Public Information Officer,** O/o Gram Panachayat Tiwana Kalan Tehsil Jalalabad

**First Appellate Authority** O/o DDPO, Fazilka

.....Respondent

## AC No. 3405 of 2021 (Through Video-Conferencing)

Present : None for the parties.

## ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 27.09.2021 vide which the respondent was directed to file an affidavit that no other information relating to this RTI application is available in the record.

2. Today neither the Appellant nor the Respondent is present.

3. The perusal of the file ascertains that the Appellant is not present today. On the previous date of hearing, the Respondent-PIO was directed to file an affidavit. No one has appeared on behalf of the Respondent today. They have not even filed their affidavit. *Hence, last opportunity is given to the Respondent-PIO to file their affidavit before the next date of hearing, failing which, action u/s 20(1) of the RTI Act will be initiated.* 

4. To come up on **31.01.2022 at 12:00 PM** in the Commission office. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

Dated : 20.12.2021



Sh.Joginder Singh, S/o Sh. Kartar Singh R/o Village Chanan Wala, PO Karni Khera, Tehsil and Distt. Fazilka

.....Appellant

..Vs

**Public Information Officer,** O/o BDPO, Fazilka

**First Appellate Authority** O/o DDPO, Fazilka

.....Respondent

<u>AC No. 3406 of 2021</u> (Through Video-Conferencing)

Present : None for the parties.

#### ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 27.09.2021 vide which the respondent had sought some time.

2. Today neither the Appellant nor the Respondent is present.

3. The perusal of the file ascertains that both the parties are not present today. On the previous date of hearing, the Respondent-PIO had sought some time to provide the information to the appellant. No one has appeared on behalf of the Respondent today. They have not even informed the Commission about their absence. It is made clear that in case both the parties do not appear on the next date of hearing, appropriate order in their absence shall be passed.

4. To come up on **31.01.2022 at 12:00 PM** in the Commission office for further proceedings. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

Dated : 20.12.2021

Sh. Amit Kakkar, Advocate Civil Court Complex, Jalalabad West, Distt Fazilka

..Vs

.....Appellant

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**Public Information Officer,** O/o Deputy Director, Punjab Police Academy, Phillaur, Distt Jalandhar

**First Appellate Authority** O/o Additional Director, Punjab Police Academy,

Phillaur, Distt Jalandhar

.....Respondent

# AC No. 3829 of 2021 (Through CISCO-Webex)

Present : None for the parties.

# ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated 08.04.2021 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 25.08.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 20.12.2021 through CISCO-Webex (Video-Conferencing Application)

3. The Appellant was present during the CISCO-Webex Application but he got disconnected when his case was being heard. Hence, he could not present his case. Further he has filed his submissions/rejoinder vide Commission diary no 27340 dated 06.12.2021.Copy of the same is taken on record.

4. No one has appeared on behalf of the Respondent today. However, the Respondent has filed their reply vide Commission diary no. 25409 dated 10.11.2021. Copy of the same is taken on record.



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5. The perusal of the file ascertains that both the parties are not present today. Hence, an opportunity is given to both the parties and state their case.

6. To come up on **31.01.2022 at 12:00PM** in the Commission office for further proceedings. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

Dated : 20.12.2021



Sh. Gurmeet Singh, S/o Sh Nachattar Singh Village Pathan, PO Anjauda Kalan, Tehsil Nabha, Distt Patiala (6284048167)

..Vs

.....Appellant

**Public Information Officer,** O/o BDPO, Nabha, Distt Patiala

**First Appellate Authority** O/o DDPO, Patiala

.....Respondent

## AC No. 3785 of 2021 (Through Video-Conferencing)

Present : (i) Sh Gurmeet Singh, Appellant

(ii) For the Respondent: Sh Boota Singh, Panchayat Secy (97812-00341)

# ORDER

1. The RTI application vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 23.08.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 20.12.2021 through Video-Conferencing in the O/o DC,Patiala

3. The Appellant states that the information provided to him is not complete. Further, he states that he has not received the information pertaining to point no. 1 and 3

4. The Respondent requests the Commission that some time be given to them to provide information to the Appellant pertaining to point nos 1 and 3.

5. Hence, considering the request of the Respondent some time is given to them to provide information to the Appellant pertaining to point nos 1 and 3. Further, in case some information is not available in the official record of the Respondent then to file an affidavit for the same.



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6. To come up on **06.04.2022** at **12:00PM** in the Commission office. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

Dated : 20.12.2021



Sh.Gurdeep Singh, S/o Sh Bhagwan Singh, (M-985570551) Village Mohkam Arai, Tehsil Jalalabad, Distt Fazilka-152024

.....Appellant

..Vs

**Public Information Officer,** O/o Gram Panchayat, Mohakam Arai, Tehsil Jalalabad, Distt Fazilka

**First Appellate Authority** O/o DDPO, Fazilka

.....Respondent

# AC No. 3810 of 2021 (Through Video-Conferencing)

Present : (i) Sh Gurdeep Singh, the Appellant

(ii) For the Respondent: Sh Surjit Singh, Gram Sewak (98552-44285)

## ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated 06.03.2021 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 24.08.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 20.12.2021 through Video-Conferencing in the O/o DC, Fazilka.

3. The Appellant S-h Gurdeep Singh states that the information has not been provided to him till date.

4. The Respondent states that the information has been sent to the Appellant on 17.12.2021 through post. Further, he has also brought a copy of the same, which is handed over to the Appellant.



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5. After hearing both the parties and perusing the case file, it is ascertained that the Respondent has sent the information to the Appellant by post. A copy of the same has been given to the Appellant today. Hence, the Appellant is directed to point out deficiencies, if any, to the Respondent, after receiving the information.

6. To come up on **06.04.2022 at 12:00PM** in the Commission office for further proceedings. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

Dated : 20.12.2021



Sh Veeru Singh, S/o Sh Dolla Singh,(M-9914926933) Village Ladhuka, Tehsil and Distt Fazilka

..Vs Public Information Officer, O/o Rural Development and Panchayat Department, Punjab Vikas Bhawan, Sector 62, Mohali

First Appellate Authority , O/o Rural Development and Panchayat Department, Punjab Vikas Bhawan, Sector 62, Mohali <u>Registered post</u> <u>Public Information Officer</u> DDPO, Fazilka .....Appellant

.....Respondent

## AC No. 3795 of 2021 (Through CISCO-Webex)

Present : (i) Sh Veeru Singh, Appellant.

(ii) for the Respondent: Smt Jasvir Kaur, Sr Asstt-cum-Reader (8968600664)

### ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated15.04.2021 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 24.08.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 20.12.2021 through CISCO-Webex (Video-conferencing Application)

3. The Appellant states that no information has been provided to him so far.

4. The Respondent states that the information, as available in their official record, has been provided to the Appellant. Further, the rest of the information is lying with PIO O/o DDPO Fazilka.

5. After hearing both the parties and perusing the case file, it is ascertained that the complete information has not been provided to the Appellant. The respondent states that the information is lying with PIO O/o DDPO, Fazilka. Hence, I order that PIO O/o DDPO,



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Fazilka be impleaded as Respondent no.2. Further Respondent no.2 is directed to be present on the next date of hearing along with the complete information.

6. Both the PIOs, i.e. PIO, o/o DRDP and PIO, o/o DDPO, Fazilka are directed to come present on the next date of hearing with complete information.

7. To come up on **06.04.2022 at 12:00 PM in** the Commission office. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Dated : 20.12.2021



Sh.Manjit Singh, S/o Sh. Santa Singh, Narang Colony, Street No. 3, House No. 10330, Near Gurmukh Dholi, Sri. Mukatsar Sahib

.....Appellant

..Vs

**Public Information Officer,** O/o XEN (Planning), Panchayati Raj, PWD, SAS Nagar

**First Appellate Authority** O/o Chief Engineer, Panchayati Raj, PWD, SAS Nagar

.....Respondent

### AC No. 3811 of 2021 Through video conference

Present :

(i) Sh. Manjit Singh the appellant

(ii) For the respondent : Sh. Rajiv Kumar, Sr. Assistant (7973765802) in the Commission

### ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated 24.02.2021 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 15.04.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 24.08.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 20.12.2021 through video conference facility in the office Deputy Commissioner, Sr. Mukatsar Sahib.

3. The appellant Sh. Manjit Singh states that no information has been given to him so far.

4. The Respondent Sh. Rajiv Kumar states that the appellant was advised to deposit the documentation fee, but the appellant has failed to deposit the required fee so no information was provided to the appellant.



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5. Hearing the parties and going through the case file, it is observed that the appellant filed RTI with the PIO, o/o XEN (Planning) Panchayati Raj, PWD, SAS Nagar on 24.02.2021 and the respondent demanded documentation fee on 22.03.2021 within stipulated time. The appellant is directed to deposit the fee and obtain the information before the next date of hearing. Respondent is directed to provide all the documents to the appellant on receipt of the requisite fee.

6. To come up on **23.03.2022 at 12.00 PM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated : 20.12.2021



Sh.Daizy Mohan, S/o Sh. Hukam Chand House No. 14248, Street No. 2A, Ganesh Nagar, Bathinda (935621000)

Public Information Officer, O/o Assistant Commissioner, Patiala

**First Appellate Authority** O/o Assistant Commissioner Excise Patiala

.....Respondent

.....Appellant

### AC No. 3793 of 2021 (through CISCO Webex)

..Vs

Present : (i) Sh. Daizy Mohan the appellant (in the Commission) (ii) For the respondent : Sh. Aman Puri, EO

### ORDER

The RTI application is dated 24.05.2021 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 03.07.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 24.08.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 20.12.2021 i.e. today through CISCO Webex.

3. The appellant Sh. Daizy Mohan states that no information has been given to him so far.

4. The respondent states that the information demanded by the appellant is third party information , hence cannot be provided.



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5. After hearing both the parties, the respondent PIO is directed to file point-wise reply to the RTI of the appellant indicating the position of each issue as to whether the information has been supplied and if not, the reason thereof on the next date of hearing with a copy to the appellant.

6. To come up on **31.01.2022 at 12.00 PM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Dated : 20.12.2021



Sh.Hardeep Singh, S/o Sh. Tarsem Lal, Village Nurpur , Tehsil Banga, Distt. SBS Nagar 9814847273

.....Appellant

..Vs

Public Information Officer, O/o DDPO, SBS Nagar First Appellate Authority O/o ADC (Development) SBS Nagar

Registered post: Public Information Officer, O/o DRDP, Mohali Vikas Bhawan, Sector 62, SAS Nagar

.....Respondent

## AC No. 3878 of 2021 Through video conference

Present : (i) Sh. Hardeep Singh the appellant (ii) For the respondent : Sh. Jagtar Singh, Reader to DDPO (8837757294)

### ORDER

The RTI application is dated 24.12.2020 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 01.07.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 27.08.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 20.12.2021 i.e. today in the office of Deputy Commissioner, SBS Nagar.

3. The appellant Sh. Hardeep Singh states that incomplete information has been given to him so far. He further states that he has demanded information on eight points. He has received only on point nos. 1 and 2.



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4. The respondent states that point-wise reply has already been given to the appellant. He further states that the information pertaining to point nos. 3 to 8 is lying with the PIO, o/o DRDP, Mohali.

5. Since, the remaining information is to be provided by the PIO, o/o DRDP, Mohali. I, therefore, order that PIO, o/o DRDP, Mohali be impleaded as Respondent No.2. I further direct that PIO, o/o DRDP, Mohali should supply the information to the appellant before the next date of hearing.

6. To come up on **06.04.2022 at 12.00 PM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Dated : 20.12.2021



Sh.Hardeep Singh, S/o Sh. Tarsem Lal, Village Nurpur , Tehsil Banga, Distt. SBS Nagar 9814847273

.....Appellant

.....Respondent

..Vs

Public Information Officer, O/o BDPO, Block Aur, Tehsil Banga Distt. SBS Nagar First Appellate Authority O/o BDPO, SBS Nagar

## AC No. 3876 of 2021 Through video conference

Present : (i) Sh. Hardeep Singh the appellant (ii) For the respondent : Sh. Jatinder Kumar (8427867531)

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 11.01.2021 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 01.07.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 27.08.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 20.12.2021 i.e. today in the office of Deputy Commissioner, SBS Nagar.

3. The appellant states that incomplete information has been given to him so far.

4. The respondent states that the complete information, as exists in the record has been provided to the appellant.

5. After hearing both the parties and going through the case file, it is observed that the appellant is not satisfied with the information provided by the respondent. It is observed that the respondents are being represented by very low level officials who are not in a position to satisfy the commission and the appellant. From the next date of hearing, no



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person below the PIO or APIO will be allowed to appear. Appearance of low level officials will amount to disrespect to the RTI Act besides invoking the provisions of imposition of penalty and also award of compensation to the appellant and also recommendation of disciplinary action against the PIO under Section 20 of RTI Act, 2005. *Further, Respondent PIO is directed to bring complete information in the Commission on the next date of hearing.* 

6. To come up on **06.04.2022 at 12.00 PM** for further proceedings in the Commission office. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Dated : 20.12.2021