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Sh. Ashok Kapoor, # 8 C, Kitchlu Nagar, Ludhiana-141001. M: 9855556210

..Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer, O/o Sub Divisional Magistrate (W), Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority O/o Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana.

....Respondent(s)

Appeal Case No. 3571/2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Ashok Kapoor, appellant.

Sh. Paramjit Singh, 7355280016 on behalf of the respondents.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 15.4.2021.

- 2. The appellant states that incomplete information has been supplied by the respondents. However, the representative of the respondents states that the complete information as available on record has already been supplied. He further states that the appellant may inspect the record concerning the RTI application with which the appellant agreed to. With the mutual understanding the date of inspection has been fixed as 24.5.2021 at 11.00 AM.
- 3. Accordingly, the appellant is advised to visit the office of the respondent and the respondent-Public Information Officer is directed to make available the record for inspection of the appellant on the said date and time and supply a copy of the information, if so identified by the appellant duly certified.
- 4. To come up on 31.5.2021 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, District Ludhiana/cisco webex.

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Dated: 20.5.2021 (Suresh Arora)

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..Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer, O/o Tehsildar (W), Ludhiana. First Appellate Authority O/o Sub Divisional Magistrate (West), Ludhiana.

....Respondent(s)

Appeal Case No. 3570/2020

(Video Conference/Cisco Webex/Telephone Proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Ashok Kapoor, appellant.

None on behalf of the respondents.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 15.4.2021.

- 2. A request has been received from the Public Information Officer to adjourn the case as he has assigned the additional duty related to the Covid 19 bearing No. 910 dated 20.5.2021, which is taken on record. Also the appellant has sent the deficiency in the information, which is taken on record.
- 3. Accordingly, the case is adjourned. A copy of the deficiency pointed out by the appellant is being **sent** along with this order to the respondent-Public Information Officer to remove the same before the next date of hearing.
- 4. To come up on 6.7.2021 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, District Ludhiana/cisco webex.

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Sh. Ashok Kapoor, # 8 C, Kitchlu Nagar, Ludhiana-141001. M: 9855556210

..Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer, O/o Tehsildar (W), Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority
O/o Sub Divisional Magistrate (West),
Ludhiana.

....Respondent(s)

Appeal Case No. 3572/2020

(Video Conference/Cisco Webex/Telephone Proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Ashok Kapoor, appellant.

None on behalf of the respondents.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 15.4.2021.

- 2. A request has been received from the Public Information Officer to adjourn the case as he has assigned the additional duty related to the Covid 19 bearing No. 910 dated 20.5.2021, which is taken on record. Also the appellant has sent the deficiency in the information, which is taken on record.
- 3. Accordingly, the case is adjourned. A copy of the deficiency pointed out by the appellant is being **sent** along with this order to the respondent-Public Information Officer to remove the same before the next date of hearing.
- 4. To come up on 6.7.2021 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, District Ludhiana/cisco webex.

Sd/

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Sh. Tarsem Singh, S/o Sh. Sadhu Singh, R/o Village Athwal, Tehsil Majitha,

Distt Amritsar. M: 7973011197Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer o/o Panchayat Secretary Gram Panchayat, Athwal, Block Majitha, District Amritsar

First Appellate Authority o/o Sub Divisional Magistrate, Majitha, District Amritsar.

Public Information Officer-cum-Panchayat Secretary, Athwal, c/o Block Development and Panchayats Officer Block Majitha, District Amritsar

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 2797 of 2020

(Video Conference/Cisco Webex/Phone proceedings)

Present:- None on behalf of the appellant.

None on behalf of the respondents. 8872480006.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 1.3.2021 but due to administrative reasons the case could not be heard adjourned for 19.4.2021 and further adjourned for today i.e. 20.5.2021.

- 2. A request has been received from the appellant that due to fever the case may be adjourned. Accordingly, the respondent party has been informed not to appear in this case.
- 3. To come up on 6.7.2021 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, District Amritsar/cisco webex.

Sd/

Dated: 20.5.2021 (Suresh Arora)
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Sh. Gurpreet Singh Lapran, VPO Lapran, Tehsil Payal,

Distt Ludhiana-141421.M : 9915299199 ...Appellant

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Public Information Officer, O/o Block Development and Panchayat Officer, Doraha, Distt Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority
O/o Block Development and Panchayat Officer,
Block Doraha, Ludhiana.

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 2043/2020

(Video conference/Cisco Webex/on telephone proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Gurpreet Singh Lapran, appellant on telephone.

Sh. Balbir Singh, Supdt, 8872119880, on telephone on behalf of the

respondents. 9815276062 8872119880

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 1.3.2021 vide which the case was adjourned for 19.4.2021 but due to administrative reasons the case was further adjourned for today i.e. 20.5.2021.

- 2. The appellant states that he has received the complete information except the copy of the bank statement which is not legible. However, the representative of the respondents requested for the adjournment of the case and assured that a legible copy of the bank statement will be supplied to the appellant before the next date of hearing.
- 3. Accordingly, the case is adjourned with the directions to the respondent-Public Information Officer to supply the legible copy of the bank statement as has been assured before the next date of hearing under intimation to the Commission.
- 4. To come up on 31.5.2021 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, District Ludhiana/cisco webex.

Sd/

Dated: 20.5.2021 (Suresh Arora)

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Sh. Mohinder Singh s/o Sh. Ram Singh 7888365128 Quarter No. T 2 /171, RSD Staff Colony, Shahpur Kandi Town, Tehsil & Distt. Pathankot

....Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer o/o Dy. Secy Finance (S), Deptt. of Finance, Finance Personnel Policy 2 branch, Punjab Civil Sectt 1 Chandigarh

First Appellate Authority o/o Dy. Secy Finance (s) Deptt of Finance, Finance Personnel Policy 2 Branch, Punjab Civil Sectt 1, Chandigarh.

Public Information Officer o/o the Principal Secretary to Govt. of Punjab, Department of Water Resources, Irrigation Personnel 3 Branch, Punjab Civil Secretariat-2, Chandigarh.

Public Information Officer o/o the Chief Engineer (Headquarters) Water Resources Department, Sector 18, Madhya Marg, Chandigarh.

Public Information Officer o/o the Chief Engineer, Ranjit Sagar Dam (Constructions), Shahpur Kandi Township, Pathankot.

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 2278 of 2020

(Video Conference/Telephone Proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Mohinder Singh, appellant, through video conference.

Sh. Paramjit Singh, Supdt, (Irrigation Personnel 3 Branch) 9814830139, on telephone, Sh. Ashok Kumar 9780957370 and Sh. Anurag 9780957310 o/o Ranjeet Sagar Dam, Pathankot, through video conference at Pathankot on

behalf of the respondents.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 1.3.2021 vide which the case was adjourned for hearing on 19.4.2021 but due to administrative reasons the case could not heard and adjourned for hearing today i.e. 20.5.2021.

2. The respondent states that in compliance with the last orders of the Commission, the information has already been sent to the appellant duly certified. However, the

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appellant states that he is not satisfied with the information so supplied by the respondents. He has also sent the submissions through email, which are taken on record.

3. Since, a copy of the information as per the last orders of the Commission is also available in the case file, therefore, after hearing both the parties, the order in this case is 'RESERVED' and will be pronounced later on.

Dated: 20.5.2021

(Suresh Arora)
Chief Information Commissioner,
Punjab.

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Public Information Officer (By name) c/o the Chief Engineer Headquarter, Water Resources Department, **Supdt. Establishment General Branch**, (E.G. Branch), Sector 18, Madhya Marg, Chandigarh. 9417059457

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Sh. Baldev Singh 9872124103 Village Sathiali, PO Nainakot, Gurdaspur

....Appellant

Vs

Sh. Sukhjinder Singh 9653233333

Public Information Officer Registered

o/o Block Development and Panchayats Officer,

Block Khanuwan, Gurdaspur

First Appellate Authority o/o Block Development and Panchayats Officer Block Khanuwan, Gurdaspur

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 2850 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Baldev Singh, appellant.

Sh. Sukhjinder Singh, Block Development and Panchayats Officer 9653233333 8080000064,

on behalf of the respondents.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 15.3.2021 vide which the case was adjourned for 19.4.2021 but due to administrative reasons the case could not be heard and further adjourned for today i.e. 20.5.2021.

- 2. The appellant states that the respondents are not providing the complete information. However, the respondent-Public Information Officer states that the record pertaining to the sought information is not available in the office as an enquiry is being conducted by the Executive Engineer, Panchayati Raj, Gurdaspur.
- 3. The appellant has sought the following information for the period 1.1.2017 to 19.8.2020:-
 - "1. ਪਿੰਡ ਨੂੰ ਮਿਲੀਆਂ ਗਰਾਂਟਾਂ/ਪੰਚਾਇਤ ਫੰਡ ਦਾ ਵੇਰਵਾ
 - 2. ਇਸ ਰਕਮ ਨੂੰ ਖਰਚ ਕਰਨ ਦਾ ਵੇਰਵਾ (ਏ ਟੂ ਜੈਡ) ਕਿਸ ਕੰਮ ਤੇ ਖਰਚ ਕੀਤਾ
 - 3. ਬੈਂਕ ਸਟੇਟਮੈਂਟ"
- 4. Accordingly, the respondent-Public Information Officer is directed to file the specific reply regarding the sought information and in case the record is available with the other office for enquiry then the name, designation and contact number also be provided before the next date of hearing.
- 5. The respondent-Public Information Officer-cum-Block Development and Panchayats Officer Sh. Sukhjinder Singh has not filed the written reply regarding show cause notice issued to him on 15.3.2021. One last opportunity is granted to file the reply failing which exparte decision will be taken on the next date of hearing.
- 6. To come up on 6.7.2021 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Gurdaspur/cisco webex.

Sd/

Dated: 20.5.2021 (Suresh Arora)

Chief Information Commissioner, Punjab.

Director (By name) Registered Rural Development & Panchayat, Pb., Vikas Bhawan, Sector 62, Mohali To look into the matter personally and ensure compliance of this order.

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Sh. Surinder Kumar 9465313956 r/o VPO Bareka, Tehsil & District Fazilka.

....Appellant

Public Information Officer, Registered o/o Panchayat Secretary, Gram panchayat, Bareka, c/o Block Development and Panchayats Officer, Block Khuhian Server, District Fazilka.

First Appellate Authority o/o District Development and Panchayats Officer, District Administrative Complex, Fazilka

Sh. Gian Singh, VDO **Registered**Public Information Officer
c/o Block Development and Panchayats Officer
Khuhian Server,
Fazilka

Sh. Varinder Kumar 8968652368, Registered Public Information Officer c/o Block Development and Panchayats Officer Khuhian Server,

FazilkaRespondents

Appeal Case No. 1896 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)

Present:- Shri Surinder Kumar, appellant along with an Advocate Sh. Prem Singh.

None on behalf of the respondents, M 9914400517,

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 15.3.2021 vide which the case was adjourned for 19.4.2021 but due to administrative reasons the case could not be heard and further adjourned for today i.e. 20.5.2021.

- 2. A request has been received from the respondent-Public Information Officer Sh. Gyan Singh, Panchayat Secretary, Block Khuhian Server to adjourn the case since he is quarantine as his relatives and friends have tested Corona positive, which is taken on record. However, the appellant states that the respondent-Public Information Officer is not supplying the complete information. He has also sent the deficiencies in the information so supplied by the respondents, which are reproduced below:-
 - 1. Attested Xerox copy of detail of funds and utilization certificates of fund released under RDF scheme in Village Bareka from 1.1.2013 to 6.11.2019.
 - 2. Attested Xerox copy of Stock and Expenditure register of Village Panchayat Bareka from 1.3.2013 to 6.11.2019.
 - 3. Attested Xerox copy of MB of village Panchayat Bareka from 1.1.2013 to 6.11.2019. Contd..p/2

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- 4. Attested Xerox copy of audit report and audit note of Village Panchayat Bareka from 1.1.2013 to 6.11.2019.
- 5. Attested Xerox copy of total bank account numbers and bank account statements of total accounts of village Panchayat Bareka from 1.1.2013 to 6.11.2019."
- 3. Keeping in view the above, the respondent-Public Information Officer-cum-Panchayat Secretary is directed to supply the remaining information before the next date of hearing record of which is in his custody.
- 4. Also the Block Development and Panchayats Officer is directed to supply the information regarding Measurement Book record of which is available in the office of the Block Development and Panchayats Officer before the next date of hearing.
- 5. To come up on 29.6.2021 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Gurdaspur/cisco webex.

Dated: 20.5.2021

Sd/ (Suresh Arora) Chief Information Commissioner, Punjab.

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Shri Jagpreet Singh, M 9659500036 Village Tungaheri, Tehsil and District Ludhiana.

Appellant

Vs

Public information Officer,(By name) Registered o/o Block Development and Panchayat Officer, Pakhowal,Distt. Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,
District Development and Panchayat Officer,
Ludhiana.

Sh. Karandeep Chandel, Registered
Public Information Officer –cumPanchayat Secretary Tungaheri,
c/o Block Development and Panchayats Officer,
District Ludhiana.

Respondents

Appeal Case No. 3504 of 2020 (Cisco Webex/Telephone Proceedings)

Present: Sh. Jagpreet Singh, appellant.

Sh. Karandeep Chandel, Panchayat Secretary on behalf of the respondents.

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ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 15.4.2021.

- 2. The appellant states that he has already sent the deficiencies in the information so supplied by the respondents. He also states that the respondent-Public Information Officer-cum-Panchayat Secretary be directed to supply the information upto 31.3.2021 as he has sought the information till the date of supply of information. Furthermore the appellant states that the copy of measurement book has to be supplied by the Block Development and Panchayats Officer so he may also be directed to supply the same as has been sought by him.
- 3. Accordingly, the respondent-Public Information Officer-cum-Block Development and Panchayats Officer is directed to supply the copy of the measurement book as has been sought by the appellant before the next date of hearing.
- 4. Also, the respondent-Public Information Officer-cum-Panchayat Secretary is directed to remove the deficiencies pointed out by the appellant and supply the information up to 31.3.2021 before the next date of hearing. A copy of the deficiencies pointed out by the appellant is being **sent** along with this order.
- 5. To come up on 29.6.2021 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, District Ludhiana /cisco webex.

Sd/

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Sh. Harpal Singh Kamboj 9815951128 # 1398/8 Street Guru Ram Das ji, Chowk Jai Singh, Gillwali Gate, District Amritsar 143001.

....Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer(By name) **Registered** o/o Deputy Commissioner, District Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority o/o Deputy Commissioner, District Amritsar.

Public Information Officer (By name) **Registered** o/o the District Mandi Officer, District Amritsar.

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 3063 of 2020

(Video Conference/Telephone Proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Harpal Singh, appellant on telephone.

Sh. Amandeep Singh, Distt Mandi Officer, 9888355652 on behalf of the

respondents.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 2.3.2021 vide which the case was adjourned for 19.4.2021 but due to administrative reasons the case was further adjourned for today i.e. 20.5.2021.

- 2. The respondent-Public Information Officer-cum-Distt. Mandi Officer states that a response along with the information as available in the office has already been filed and requested to close the case.
- 3. A copy of the information so received from the respondent-Public Information Officer sent to the appellant through whatsapp during the course of hearing. After going through the same the appellant contended that he is not satisfied with the reply of the Distt. Mandi Officer as the Deputy Commission, District Amritsar has already convened the meeting(s) regarding shifting of Vallah Mandi and he is having the minutes of that meeting.
- 4. Accordingly, the appellant is advised to send the same as per his statement mentioned in para 3 above before the next date of hearing to take the matter to its logical end. A copy of the information received from the respondent-Public Information Officer is being **sent** along with this order to the appellant.
- 5. To come up on 6.7.2021 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, /cisco webex.

Sd/

Dated: 20.5.2021 (Suresh Arora)

Chief Information Commissioner, Punjab.