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Sh. Harkanwalpreet Singh,

# 101/1, Bhan Singh Colony, Faridkot - 151203 (Punjab)

... Appellant

**Public Information Officer**, **O/o** The Chairman, PEPSU Road Transport Corporation, Patiala (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority, O/o The Managing Director, PEPSU Road Transport Corporation, Patiala (Punjab)

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 715 of 2019

V/s

**Present**: The Appellant, Sh. Harkanwalpreet Singh is absent.

Sh. Narinder Kumar, Senior Assistant is present on behalf of the Respondent/PIO.

**ORDER** 

This case was last heard on 27.11.2019 with the directions to the Respondent/ PIO, to supply the information through registered post after removing the deficiencies, if any, pointed out the Appellant.

In today's hearing, the representative of the Respondent/PIO, Sh. Narinder Kumar states that he has brought a copy of the information to be supplied to the Appellant after removing the deficiencies. He further submits a copy of the information to the Court vide endorsement number 9844 dated 20.01.2020, which is taken on record.

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

After going through the case file and discussing with the representative of the Respondent/PIO, the Respondent/ PIO is directed to supply this information to the Appellant through registered post within a week. The Respondent/PIO is further directed to appear in person or through any of his representative on the next date of hearing.

Last 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, positively.

The case is adjourned to next date of hearing which is fixed for 24.02.2020 at 11.00 A. M.

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Sh. Rakesh Sharma, S/o Sh. Bhupinder Sharma, # 182/12, Main Bazar, Katra Parja, I/s Hathi Gate, Amritsar.

...Appellant

Public Information Officer,

**O/o** The Managing Director, P. R. T. C. (Head Office), Nabha Road, Patiala (**Punjab**).

**First Appellate Authority, O/o** The Managing Director, P. R. T. C. (Head Office), Patiala **(Punjab).** 

...Respondents

## **Appeal Case No. 1259 of 2019**

V/s

**Present**: The Appellant, Sh. Rakesh Kumar is absent.

Sh. Narinder Kumar, Senior Assistant is present on behalf of the Respondent/PIO.

#### **ORDER**

This case was last heard on 27.11.2019 vide which the Respondent/ PIO was directed to supply the information to the Appellant, before the next date of hearing.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Rakesh Sharma is absent without any intimation to the Commission.

The representative of the Respondent/PIO, Sh. Narinder Kumar orally states that the information has been supplied to the Appellant through registered post but he was unable to produce a copy of the postal receipt to the Court vide which the information has been sent to the Appellant. He further requests for an adjournment in this case.

Last opportunity is given to both the parties and 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.

Also, the Respondent/PIO 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 and also Respondent/ PIO is directed to submit a copy of the information to the Court, which has been sent to the Appellant, failing which a strict action would be taken against the PIO, on the next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to next date of hearing which is fixed for 24.02.2020 at 11.00 A. M.

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....Appellant

**Sh. Manjinder Singh, # 2469**, Sunny Enclave, Sector 125, Kharar Distt. Mohali (140301) Pb.

V/s.

**Public Information Officer, O/o** The Secretary, Regional Transport Authority, Bathinda. (Pb.)

First Appellate Authority, O/o The State Transport Commissioner, Jiwandeep Building, Sector -17, Chandigarh.

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1061 of 2019

Present: The Appellant, Sh. Manjinder Singh is present.

None is present on behalf of the Respondent/PIO.

## Order:

This case was last heard on 27.11.2019 vide which a penalty of Rs. 2500 was imposed on the concerned PIO and he was directed to appear in person on the next date of hearing.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Manjinder Singh states that incomplete information has been supplied to him till date.

The Respondent/ PIO is absent in today's hearing but an email dated 21.01.2020 has been received in the Commission vide which a copy of letter number 4420 dated 20.01.2020 has been attached in which it has been written that:-

" ਉਪਰੋਕਤ ਕੇਸ ਵਿਚ ਪਿਛਲੀ ਤਾਰੀਖ ਤੇ ਮਾਨਯੋਗ ਰਾਜ ਸੂਚਨਾ ਕਮਿਸ਼ਨਰ ਸਾਹਿਬ ਵਲੋਂ ਜੁਰਮਾਨਾ ਕਰ ਦਿੱਤੇ ਗਿਆ ਸੀ , ਜਿਸ ਦੇ ਸੰਬੰਧ ਵਿਚ ਅਸੀਂ ਮਾਨਯੋਗ ਪੰਜਾਬ ਅਤੇ ਹਰਿਆਣਾ ਹਾਈਕੋਰਤ ਵਿਚ ਇਸ ਫੈਸਲੇ ਦੇ ਵਿਰੁੱਧ ਸਿਵਲ ਰਿਟ ਪਟੀਸ਼ਨ ਨੰ: 1326 ਆਫ 2020 ਜਿਸ ਦੀ ਸੁਣਵਾਈ 26-02-2020 ਹੈ | ਇਸ ਕੇਸ ਵਿਚ ਮਾਨਯੋਗ ਜੱਜ ਸਾਹਿਬਾਨ ਨੇ ਸਟੇਅ ਦੇ ਦਿੱਤਾ ਹੈ | ਇਸ ਲਈ ਅਗਲੀ ਸੁਣਵਾਈ ਜਦ ਤੱਕ ਮਾਨਯੋਗ ਪੰਜਾਬ ਅਤੇ ਹਰਿਆਣਾ ਹਾਈਕੋਰਤ ਵਿਚ ਖਤਮ ਨਹੀਂ ਹੋ ਜਾਂਦੀ| ਉਦੋਂ ਤੱਕ ਇਸ ਕੇਸ ਨੂੰ ਮੁਲਤਵੀ ਕਰ ਦਿੱਤਾ ਜਾਵੇ | ਆਪ ਜੀ ਦੀ ਬਹੁਤ ਮੇਹਰਬਾਨੀ ਹੋਵੇਗੀ | "

In view of all above, the Respondent/ PIO is directed to appear in person and he is further directed to produce a copy of the stay order which has been passed by Hon'ble Punjab and Haryana High Court, relating to this present case i.e. AC: 1061 of 2019, on the next date of hearing positively.

The Appellant is directed 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 24.02.2020 at 11.00 A. M.

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Sh. Rajesh Kumar, S/o Sh. Dev Raj, Ward No. 5, Near Hind Hospital, Ahmedgarh, Tehsil Ahmedgarh, Sangrur, Punjab (148021)

V/s.

Public Information Officer,

**O/o** The Secretary, Regional Transport Authority, Sangrur.

...Respondents

....Complainant

Complaint Case No. 369 of 2019

**Present**: The Complainant, Sh. Rajesh Kumar is present.

Sh. Gursharan Singh, Assistant Transport Officer –cum- PIO is present.

Order:

This case was last heard on 27.11.2019 vide which the Complainant was advised to visit the concerned office on 23.12.2019 at 11:00 A.M. to collect the requisite information.

In today's hearing, the Complainant, Sh. Rajesh Kumar states that as per his RTI Application, incomplete information has been supplied to him till date.

The ATO, Sh. Gursharan Singh states that the Appellant had visited their office but he was unaware of the documents which was supplied to him earlier. Sh. Gursharan Singh then submits a letter vide endorsement number 6870 dated 20.01.2020 to the Appellant as well as to the Court, which is taken on record.

After discussing with both the parties, the Appellant submits a letter of deficiencies dated 21.01.2020 to the Court and to Sh. Gursharan Singh during the proceedings to the Court. The ATO, Sh. Gursharan Singh is advised to supply the information as per the RTI Application after removing the deficiencies as pointed out by the Appellant through his letter dated 21.01.2020 through registered post to the Appellant before the next date of hearing.

The PIO is further advised to appear in person on the next date of hearing.

The Complainant 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 Complainant 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 24.02.2020 at 11.00 A. M.

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Sh. Sarabjeet Singh Gill, House Number 60-35-P-376-1, Street No. 08, Maha Singh Nagar, P.O. Dhandari Kalan, Ludhiana (141014)

V/s.

**Public Information Officer, O/o** The Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana (Pb.)

First Appellate Authority, O/o The Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana (Pb.)

Dated: 21.01.2020

...Respondents

....Appellant

Appeal Case No. 3077 of 2019

**Present**: The Appellant, Sh. Sarabjeet Singh is absent.

None is present on behalf of the Respondent/PIO.

#### Order:

This case was last heard on 28.11.2019 vide which the Respondent/ PIO was directed to file a proper reply, in writing, to each and every query, raised by the Appellant through his RTI request as per official record by or on the next date of hearing. Also an opportunity was given to the Appellant to represent his case in person or through his representative on the next date of hearing.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Sarabjeet Singh is absent.

The Respondent/ PIO is also absent in today's hearing but an email dated 20.01.2020 has been received in the Commission vide which a letter dated 20.01.2020 signed by the Appellant has been attached, in which it has been written that the Appellant had collected the required information from the concerned office after the inspection and further he is satisfied with the same. At the bottom of the letter, PIO has also written that the information has been supplied to the Appellant as desired by him.

In view of all above, as the Appellant is satisfied. So no further intervention is required in this case.

### This case is disposed of and closed.

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....Complainant

Sh. Surinder Kumar, S/o Sh. Lal Chand,

R/o Block Number: D/8-501, Maya Garden City, Zirakpur, District S.A.S Nagar (Mohali) Punjab

V/s.

**Public Information Officer, (By Name)** 

O/o The Secretary, Regional Transport Authority,

Bathinda.

...Respondents

Complaint Case No. 1136 of 2018

The Complainant, Sh. Surinder Kumar is present. Present:

None is present on behalf of the Respondent/PIO.

Order:

This case was last heard on 27.11.2019 vide which a penalty of Rs. 2500 was imposed on the concerned PIO and he was further directed to appear in person on the next date of hearing.

In today's hearing, the Complainant, Sh. Surinder Kumar states that no information has been supplied to him till date.

The Respondent/ PIO is absent in today's hearing but an email dated 20.01.2020 has been received in the Commission vide which a letter number 4419 dated 20.01.2020 has been received in the Commission in which PIO has given a reference to the decision of the Hon'ble Supreme Court dated 12.12.2011 in CWP No. 10787-10788 of 2011 holding that while entertaining a Complaint under Section 18 of the RTI Act, the PIO has intended on the basis of above decision of Hon'ble Supreme Court that Information Commissioners have no jurisdiction to pass an order providing for an access to the information and there are no such powers with the Commissioners even then they have supplied the information to the Complainant, as the Complainant is their Ex- employee.

After going through the case file, it has been observed that a show cause notice was issued to the concerned PIO on dated 11.09.2019 as the PIO was absent and further on the next date of hearing 27.11.2019, Sh. Gurdeep Singh was present but he was unaware of facts of the case, which leads to wasting the time of Court. Due to this the penalty of Rs. 2500 was imposed on the concerned PIO and now they are sending an email in which a letter dated 20.01.2020 is attached in which they are mentioning about CWP.

In view of above, the concerned PIO is directed to deposit the penalty in Government Treasury and he is further directed to appear in person submits a copy of the penalty receipt on the next date of hearing, positively, failing which an action would be initiated on the concerned PIO.

The Complainant is advised to appear in person on the next date of hearing, positively.

The case is adjourned to next date of hearing which is fixed for 24.02.2020 at 11.00 A. M.

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Sh. Sarabjit Singh, S/o Lt. Sh. Harbans Singh, House Number 292, Nagar Sudhar Trust Colony, Sakeem Number 5, Jail Road, Gurdaspur. (Pb.)

V/s.

(Regd. Post) Public Information Officer, O/o The Deputy Commissioner, Gurdaspur (Punjab).

**First Appellate Authority, O/o** The Deputy Commissioner, Gurdaspur (Punjab)

...Respondents

....Appellant

Appeal Case No. 1388 of 2018

**Present**: The Appellant, Sh. Sarabjit Singh is absent.

None is present on behalf of the Respondent/PIO.

## Order:

This case was last heard on 27.11.2019 vide which the Respondent/ PIO was directed to supply the remaining information to the Appellant through registered post on the next date of hearing.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Sarabjeet Singh is absent.

The Respondent/ PIO is also absent in today's hearing.

It is observed that an email dated 19.01.2020 has been received in the Commission vide which the Appellant stated that the information which has been supplied to him is incomplete in nature and moreover no information has been supplied to him relating to point number 10 and 11.

After going through the case file, it has been observed that the previous order dated 27.11.2019 has been returned back to the Commission which was undelivered to the PIO O/o The Deputy Commissioner, Gurdaspur, with the comments insufficient address.

In view of above, the Respondent/ PIO is directed to supply the remaining information to the Appellant through registered post within a week. The Respondent/PIO is further directed appear in person or through any of his representative on the next date of hearing for clearing the facts of this case. A copy of this order be sent to the PIO through registered post.

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, positively.

The case is adjourned to next date of hearing which is fixed for 24.02.2020 at 11.00 A. M.

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Sh. Gurdev Singh

S/o Sh. Gurbachan Singh, # 2163, Tibbi Sahib Road,

Gaushala Street, Sri Muktsar Sahib (Punjab)

... Appellant

**Public Information Officer.** 

**O/o** The General Manager, Punjab Roadways, Sri Muktsar Sahib(Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,

**O/o** The General Manager, Punjab Roadways, Sri Muktsar Sahib(Punjab)

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 2271 of 2019

**Present:** Sh. Gurdev Singh, the Appellant in person.

Sh. Hardeep Singh, Superintendent -cum- APIO is present on behalf of the

Respondent/PIO.

**ORDER** 

This case was last heard on 27.11.2019 with the directions to the Respondent/PIO to supply the remaining information to the Appellant before the next date of hearing.

V/s

In today's hearing, the representative of the APIO, Sh. Harddep Singh states that the requisite information has already been supplied to the Appellant.

On this, the Appellant, Sh. Gurdev Singh states that the incomplete information has been supplied to him.

On further discussing with both the parties it has been observed that relating to point number 03, Sh. Hardeep Singh has to produce a copy of the letter which has been sent to the higher authorities relating to the promotion of Sh. Mukand Singh, as per Sh. Hardeep Singh they have written that as the first promotion of Sh. Mukand Singh has been wrongly made by the department but the next promotion of Sh. Mukand Singh will only be done when the reason for the earlier promotion will be rectified, to the Court on the next date of hearing. Relating to point number 4 and 5 the Respondent/PIO is directed to file a proper affidavit to the Court, on the next date of hearing. The Respondent/PIO is further directed appear in person or through any of his representative along with the discussed documents on the next date of hearing.

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

The case is adjourned to next date of hearing which is fixed for 24.02.2020 at 11.00 A. M.

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Sh. Krishan Gopal Singla,

S/o Sh. Brij Lal, # B/ 190, Ward Number 16, Sangrur Road, Dhuri, District Sangrur. (Punjab)

...Appellant

**Public Information Officer**,

O/o The Secretary,

Dated: 21.01.2020

Regional Transport Authority, Sangrur (Punjab).

First Appellate Authority,

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

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 3374 of 2018

V/s

**Present**: The Appellant, Sh. Krishan Gopal Singla is absent.

Sh. Gurcharan Singh, Sandhu, Assistant Transport Officer –cum- PIO is present.

**ORDER** 

This case was last heard on 27.11.2019 with the directions to the Respondent/PIO to supply the remaining information to the Appellant before the next date of hearing.

In today's hearing, the Appellant is absent without any intimation to the Commission.

The APIO, Sh. Gursharan Singh Sandhu states that the information has been sent to the Appellant through registered post dated 17.01.2020. He further submits a copy of letter number 6867 dated 16.01.2020 on which a copy postal receipt is affixed at the bottom along with other documents, which are taken on record.

In view of above, last opportunity is given 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 positively.

Also, the Respondent/PIO is directed 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 24.02.2020 at 11.00 A. M.

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V/s.

**Public Information Officer.** 

**O/o** The Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,

Dated: 21.01.2020

**O/o** The Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana.

... Respondents

...Appellant

Appeal Case No. 3078 of 2019

**Present**: The Appellant, Sh. Sarabjeet Singh is absent.

Sh. Amandeep Singh SDO -cum- APIO is present on behalf of Respondent/ PIO.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 28.11.2019 with the directions to the Respondent/PIO to supply the remaining information to the Appellant before the next date of hearing.

In today's hearing, the Appellant is again absent without any intimation to the Commission.

The APIO, Sh. Amandeep Singh states that the requisite information has already been supplied to the Appellant through registered post dated 06.12.2019. He further submits a letter vide dated 17.01.2020 along with another copy of letter dated 18.11.2019 on which a copy of the postal receipt has been affixed. He further submits a copy of an acknowledgement receipt signed by the Appellant to the Court, in which it has been written that he is satisfied with the supplied information and requested for closing this case, which is taken on record.

In view of all above, as the Appellant is satisfied. So no further intervention is required in this case.

## This case is disposed of and closed.

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...Appellant

Public Information Officer.

**O/o** The Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,

**O/o** The Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana.

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 3079 of 2019

V/s.

**Present**: Sh. Amarjit Singh is present on behalf of the Appellant, Sh. Sarabjeet Singh.

None is present on behalf of Respondent/ PIO.

**ORDER** 

This case was last heard on 28.11.2019 with the directions to the Respondent/PIO to supply the remaining information to the Appellant before the next date of hearing.

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

None is present on behalf of the Respondent/ PIO.

In view of all above, a serious view is taken against the PIO. The PIO is directed to go through the pervious order dated 28.12.2019 vide which a show cause notice was issued to the concerned PIO. Last opportunity is given to the Respondent/ PIO and he is further directed to supply the requisite information to the Appellant through registered post within a week. The PIO is further directed appear in person on the next date of hearing positively, failing which a serious view will be taken against the PIO on the next date.

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, positively.

The case is adjourned to next date of hearing which is fixed for 18.02.2020 at 11.00 A. M.

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P. O. Ramgarh,

Distt. – Ludhiana (Punjab)

...Appellant

V/s

**Public Information Officer, (By Name)** 

O/o The Sub Divisional Magistrate,

Dina Nagar,

Distt. - Gurdaspur(Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,

O/o The Sub Divisional Magistrate,

Dina Nagar,

Distt. - Gurdaspur(Punjab)

Dated: 21.01.2020

...Respondents

**Appeal Case No. 1224 of 2019** 

**Present**: Sh. Jasbir Singh, Appellant is present.

Sh. Manjit Singh, Naib Tehsildar is present on behalf of the Respondent/PIO.

**ORDER** 

This case was last heard on 27.11.2019 with the directions to the Respondent/PIO to supply the requisite information to the Appellant before the next date of hearing.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Jasbir Singh states that irrelevant information has been supplied to him from the Respondent/ PIO.

On this, Sh. Manjit Singh requests for an adjournment by taking the full responsibility for supplying the requisite information to the Appellant before the next date of hearing.

In view of the above, a serious view is taken against the casual approach of the PIO. Last opportunity is given to Sh. Manjit Singh, Naib Tehsildar and he is further directed to supply the requisite information to the Appellant through registered post within 10 to 15 days. Sh. Manjit Singh is further directed appear in person on the next date of hearing positively, failing which a serious view will be taken against him.

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, positively.

The case is adjourned to next date of hearing which is fixed for 18.02.2020 at 11.00 A. M.

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Sh. Jasbir Singh, S/o Sh. Gurbaksh Singh, R/o Village Bolapur Jhabewal, P.O. Ramgarh, Distt. Ludhiana. (123455) M: 9888296107

...Appellant

V/s.

**Public Information Officer.** 

**O/o** The Secretary, Regional Transport Authority, Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,

**O/o** The Secretary, Regional Transport Authority, Ludhiana.

... Respondents

**Appeal Case No. 1734 of 2019** 

**Present**: Sh. Jasbir Singh, Appellant is present.

None is present on behalf of the Respondent/PIO.

**ORDER** 

This case was last heard on 27.11.2019 with the advise to the Appellant to visit the concerned office for inspection on 23.12.2019 at 11:00 A.M.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Jasbir Singh states that he had visited the office for inspection but it couldn't take place as the concerned persons were not available at the time of inspection. In relating to this, he also did messages to the concerned person but he didn't get any revert back from them.

On the other hand, none is present on behalf of Respondent/ PIO but an email dated 21.01.2020 has been received in the Commission vide which it has been written that the Appellant, Sh. Jasbir Singh was not present on the decided date and time. He further requests that their clerk Sh. Rohit Sood will not be able to appear in today's hearing as he has to appear before Criminal Court of Ferozpur.

After going through the case file, it is observed that as per the Appellant he had visited the office which can be traced through CCTV footage and the Secretary, RTA, Ludhiana is directed to go through the CCTV footage personally and clarify the same on the next date of hearing.

Also, it has been found that the Appellant does not require all the information as per his RTI Application. He just requires the list of Overloading Vehicles which has been sent to the office of State Transport Commoner Punjab, Chandigarh on the monthly basis. From that list he can sort the data himself which he requires.

The Respondent/ PIO is directed to send the same as per the dates/ period mentioned in the RTI Application. The PIO is further directed to appear in person on the next date of hearing along with the information and to clarify the facts of this case.

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

The case is adjourned to next date of hearing which is fixed for 23.03.2020 at 11.00 A. M.

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Dated: 21.01.2020

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

First Appellate Authority,

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

... Respondents

... Appellant

**Appeal Case No. 1592 of 2019** 

V/s.

Present: Sh. Jasbir Singh, Appellant is present.

Sh. Piara Singh, Assistant Transport Officer – cum- PIO is present.

#### **ORDER**

This case was last heard on 23.10.2019 in which the Respondent/ PIO states that the information has already been sent to the Appellant through email.

In today's hearing, the ATO, Sh. Piara Singh states that the requisite information had already been sent to the Appellant at his email address. He further shows the information to the Appellant which has been sent on to the email.

The Appellant, Sh. Jasbir Singh states that he had not received any information as the Respondent/ PIO is sending the information at the wrong email address which does not belong to him.

After going through the information produced in Court, the Appellant states that this information is incomplete in nature and further submits a deficiencies letter dated 21.01.2020 to Sh. Piara Singh and a copy to the Commission, during the proceedings of the Court, which is taken on record.

In view of all above, the Respondent/ PIO is further directed to supply the requisite information to the Appellant through registered post within 10 to 15 days after removing the deficiencies. The PIO is further directed to appear in person on the next date of hearing positively, failing which a serious view will be taken against him.

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, positively.

The case is adjourned to next date of hearing which is fixed for 23.03.2020 at 11.00 A. M.

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...Appellant

V/s.

**Public Information Officer,** 

**O/o** The Principal Secretary to Govt. of Punjab, Department of Transport, Punjab, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority,

**O/o** The Principal Secretary to Govt. of Punjab, Department of Transport, Punjab, Chandigarh.

... Respondents

**Appeal Case No. 1743 of 2019** 

**Present**: Sh. Jasbir Singh, Appellant is present.

Sh. Piara Singh, Assistant Transport Officer – cum- PIO (from office State Transport

Commissioner, Punjab, Sector-17, Chandigarh) is present.

#### **ORDER**

This case was last heard on 27.11.2019 in which the Respondent/ PIO states that the information has already been sent to the Appellant at the Appellant's email address.

In today's hearing, the ATO, Sh. Piara Singh states that the requisite information had already been sent to the Appellant at his email address. He further states that this RTI has already been forwarded to the O/o The Secretary, RTA, Ludhiana.

The Appellant, Sh. Jasbir Singh states that he had not received any information as the Respondent/PIO is sending the information at the wrong email address which does not belong to him. He further submits a letter dated 31.12.2018 along with another letter dated 21.01.2020 to Sh. Piara Singh and a copy to the Commission, during the proceedings of the Court, which is taken on record.

After discussing with both the parties, it is found that this particular information does not only relate with the O/o RTA Ludhiana as it relates with several office's of RTA's of Punjab.

In view of all above, the Respondent/ PIO is further directed to supply the requisite information to the Appellant through registered post within a month. The PIO is further directed to appear in person on the next date of hearing positively, failing which a serious view will be taken against him.

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, positively.

The case is adjourned to next date of hearing which is fixed for 23.03.2020 at 11.00 A. M.

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...Appellant

**Public Information Officer**,

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

First Appellate Authority,

Dated: 21.01.2020

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

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1747 of 2019

V/s.

**Present**: Sh. Jasbir Singh, Appellant is present.

Sh. Piara Singh, Assistant Transport Officer – cum- PIO is present.

#### **ORDER**

This case was last heard on 23.10.2019 in which the Respondent/ PIO states that the information has already been sent to the Appellant through email.

In today's hearing, the ATO, Sh. Piara Singh states that the requisite information had already been sent to the Appellant at his email address. He further states that an old agreement has been sent to the Appellant.

The Appellant, Sh. Jasbir Singh states that he had not received any information as the Respondent/ PIO is sending the information at the wrong email address which does not belong to him.

After going through the information produced in the Court, the Appellant states that this information is incomplete in nature and further requests for the new agreement.

In view of all above, the Respondent/ PIO is further directed to specify about the agreement in writing as discussed in the Court and produce the same in the Court on the next date of hearing. The PIO is further directed to appear in person on the next date of hearing.

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

The case is adjourned to next date of hearing which is fixed for 23.03.2020 at 11.00 A. M.

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V/s.

**Public Information Officer.** 

**O/o** The Executive Officer, Municipal Council,

Khanna. (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,

Dated: 21.01.2020

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

... Respondents

... Appellant

Appeal Case No. 1547 of 2019

**Present**: Sh. Ramandeep Singh, Appellant is present.

Sh. Jaswant Singh, Junior Assistant is present on behalf of the Respondent/ PIO.

**ORDER** 

This case was last heard on 23.10.2019 vide which the Respondent/ PIO was directed to supply the information / samples at the time of inspection i.e. on 19.11.2019.

In today's hearing, the representative of the Respondent/ PIO, Sh. Jaswant Singh states that the information / samples has already been supplied to the Appellant. He further submits a copy of letter number 1882 dated 20.01.2020 to the Court, which is taken on record.

The Appellant, Sh. Ramandeep Singh shows his satisfaction and an acknowledgement receipt dated 21.01.2020 of the same is taken on record.

In view of all above, as the Appellant is satisfied. So no further intervention is required in this case.

## This case is disposed of and closed.

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...Appellant

V/s.

**Public Information Officer**,

**O/o** The Executive Officer, Municipal Council, Khanna. (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,

Dated: 21.01.2020

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

... Respondents

## **Appeal Case No. 1548 of 2019**

**Present**: Sh. Ramandeep Singh, Appellant is present.

Sh. Jaswant Singh, Junior Assistant is present on behalf of the Respondent/ PIO.

### **ORDER**

This case was last heard on 23.10.2019 vide which the Respondent/ PIO was directed to supply the information / samples at the time of inspection i.e. on 19.11.2019.

In today's hearing, the representative of the Respondent/ PIO, Sh. Jaswant Singh states that the samples of the concerned work cannot be supplied to the Appellant as the work has not begun till date and it is still pending. In relating to this, he further submits a letter number 1882 dated 20.01.2020 to the Court, which is taken on record.

The Appellant, Sh. Ramandeep Singh requests for the compensation as this same reply could have given to him at the time of First Appeal or at the time of first date of hearing before the Court which was 20.08.2019.

Commission takes a serious view of this casual approach of the PIO and a warning is given to the PIO and he is directed to be more careful in future.

In view of all above, as the information is supplied to the Appellant. So no further intervention is required in this case.

# This case is disposed of and closed.

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