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Appellant

Sh. Manjinder Singh(9872015069)

2469, Sunny Enclave,
Sector 125, Kharar,
Distt. Mohali 140301.

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o Secy., Regional Transport Authority,
Ferozepur

First Appellate Authority

O/o Secy., Regional Transport Authority,
Ferozepur

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 3012 of 2022
Hearing through CISCO Webex

Present: Appellant: Sh. Manjinder Singh
Respondent: Sh. Gurmit Singh, APIO

ORDER

1. The RTI application dated 21.3.2022 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 2.5.2022 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 27.6.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 21.9.2022 at 11.00 a.m. i.e. today.
2. In today's hearing both the parties are absent.
3. The appellant states that nothing has been received till date in connection information with regard to his RTI application.
4. The respondent states that the record is with DSP office, the information shall be given on receipt of the record.
5. After having a detailed discussion with the parties, respondent PIO is directed to expedite the efforts and provide the information within 10 days from today along with directions to represent this case on the next date of hearing positively.
6. The appellant is also advised to go through the information on its receipt and point out deficiencies, if any to the respondent department within seven days under intimation to the Commission, failing which it shall be presumed that the supplied information is suffice.
7. To come up on **06.12.2022 at 11:00 A.M. through CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties.
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Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer
O/o Secy., Regional Transport Authority,
Faridkot

First Appellate Authority
O/o Secy., Regional Transport Authority,
Faridkot

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 3013 of 2022
Hearing through CISCO Webex

Present: Appellant: Sh. Manjinder Singh
Respondent: Sh. Sanjiv Kumar (SA)

ORDER

1. The RTI application dated 21.3.2022 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 22.4.2022 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 27.6.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 21.9.2022 at 11.00 a.m. i.e. today.
2. In today's hearing both the parties are absent.
3. The respondent states that reply had already been sent to the appellant twice on 6.4.2022 and 18.7.2022 stating that the speed governors have been fitted by the company and the information is to be created in format that is not permissible as per RTI rules.
4. The appellant states that nothing has been received till date from the present respondent department, whereas similar information (clear and specifically) has been received from RTA, Hoshiarpur.
5. After having a detailed discussion with the parties, respondent PIO is directed to supply the information within 10 days from today along with directions to represent this case on the next date of hearing positively.
6. The appellant is also advised to go through the information on its receipt and point out deficiencies, if any to the respondent department within seven days under intimation to the Commission, failing which it shall be presumed that the supplied information is suffice.
7. To come up on **06.12.2022 at 11:00 A.M. through CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties.
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Appellant

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Distt. Mohali 140301.

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o Secy., Regional Transport Authority,
Sangrur

First Appellate Authority

O/o Secy., Regional Transport Authority,
Sanrur

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 3014 of 2022
Hearing through CISCO Webex

Present: Appellant: Sh. Manjinder Singh
Respondent: Sh. Rakesh Joshi

ORDER

1. The RTI application dated 21.3.2022 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 2.5.2022 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 27.6.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 21.9.2022 at 11.00 a.m. i.e. today.
2. In today's hearing both the parties are present.
3. The appellant states that nothing has been received till date, he has sought information only for the month of October, 2018 of the commercial vehicles.
4. After having a detailed discussion with the parties, respondent PIO is directed to supply the information within 10 days from today along with directions to represent this case on the next date of hearing positively.
5. The appellant is also advised to go through the information on its receipt and point out deficiencies, if any to the respondent department within seven days under intimation to the Commission, failing which it shall be presumed that the supplied information is suffice.
6. To come up on **06.12.2022 at 11:00 A.M. through CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties.
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Appellant

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Sector 125, Kharar,

Distt. Mohali 140301.

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o Secy., Regional Transport Authority,

Amritsar

First Appellate Authority

O/o Secy., Regional Transport Authority,

Amritsar

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 3015 of 2022
Hearing through CISCO Webex

Present:

Appellant: Sh. Manjinder Singh

Respondent: Sh. Amandeep Singh, Steno

ORDER

1. The RTI application dated 21.3.2022 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 2.5.2022 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 27.6.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 21.9.2022 at 11.00 a.m. i.e. today.
2. In today's hearing both the parties are present.
3. The respondent states that information has already been supplied to the appellant by hand, which the appellant states the information supplied does not relate with his RTI.
4. After hearing both the parties and going through the case file it is observed that the appellant is not satisfied with the information provided. Hence, today, both the parties mutually agreed that the applicant shall visit the office of respondent on 10.10.2022 at 03:00 PM, inspect the relevant records, identify the documents copies whereof are required by him; and the respondent shall provided copies thereof, according to his RTI application within a fortnight, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.
5. Both the parties are advised to represent this case in person on the next date of hearing, failing to which, appropriate order in their absence shall be passed.
6. To come up on **06.12.2022 at 11:00 A.M. through CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties.
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Appellant

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Sector 125, Kharar,

Distt. Mohali 140301.

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o Secy., Regional Transport Authority,

Patiala

First Appellate Authority

O/o Secy., Regional Transport Authority,

Patiala

Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 3016 of 2022
of Hearing through CISCO Webex**

Present:

Appellant : Sh. Manjinder Singh

Respondent: Sh. Harjit Singh, Clerk

ORDER

1. The RTI application dated 21.3.2022 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 2.5.2022 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 27.6.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 21.9.2022 at 11.00 a.m. i.e. today.
2. In today's hearing both the parties are present.
3. The respondent states that nothing is supplied to him till date whereas he has received information from RTA, Ferozepur and Jalandhar for 3 months.
4. The respondent states that a reply had been sent to the appellant on 20.09.2022 i.e. yesterday, to specify the particular required information. He pleads the Commission that the court may advise the appellant to demand specific information as the information sought for is lengthy and time consuming.
5. After having a detailed discussion with the parties, respondent PIO is directed to supply the information within 10 days from today this time, along with directions to represent this case on the next date of hearing positively.

The appellant is also advised to apply for specific information in near future, so that the same can be supplied within stipulated time period, as creation of record is not permissible as per RTI Act, 2005 and time and again, departments are dealing RTI applications of the appellant.

6. The appellant is also advised to go through the information on its receipt and point out deficiencies, if any to the respondent department within seven days under intimation to the Commission, failing which it shall be presumed that the supplied information is suffice.
7. To come up on **06.12.2022 at 11:00 A.M. through CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

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Sh. Sukrit Sharda(9888120963)

#50/186, Old Shahpur Road,
Pathankot 145001.

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o EO, Improvement Trust, Jalandhar

First Appellate Authority

O/o Chairman, Improvement Trust,
Jalandhar

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 2963 of 2022

Hearing through CISCO Webex

Present:

Appellant: Sh. Sukrit Sharda

Respondent: Sh. Yadavidner Singh, Account(7973054756)

ORDER

1. The RTI application dated 1.4.2022 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 11.5.2022 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 22.6.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 21.9.2022 at 11.00 a.m. i.e. today.
2. In today's hearing both the parties are present.
3. The appellant states that he has not received information as per his RTI application till date.
4. The respondent states that documentation fee of Rs.7000/- was demanded for the information from the appellant vide their letter dated 07.04.2022 by registered post within stipulated time period against RTI application dated 01.04.2022 but nothing has been received from the appellant, so information was not supplied to him.
5. The court while listening the case in detail, directs the respondent PIO to send letter again to the appellant and a copy of letter to the Commission too. The respondent is also directed to supply the information on receipt of demanded fee immediately.
6. The appellant is also advised to go through the information on its receipt and point out deficiencies, if any to the respondent department within seven days after receipt of information, under intimation to the Commission failing which it shall be presumed that the supplied information is suffice.
7. To come up on **06.12.2022 at 11:00 A.M. through CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties.
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Appellant

Sh. Ramandeep Singh(9216500099)

s/o Sh.Sukhdev Singh,
R/o Maishar Khana,
Tehsil Maur, Distt. Bathinda

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o Commissioner,
MC, Bathinda

First Appellate Authority

O/o Commissioner,
MC, Bathinda

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 2967 of 2022
Hearing through CISCO Webex

Present: Appellant - absent
Respondent: Sh. Rajinder Kumar, XEN (9780042146)

ORDER

1. The RTI application dated 4.4.2022 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 9.5.2022 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 22.6.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 21.9.2022 at 11.00 a.m. i.e. today.
2. In today's hearing the respondent is present but nobody appears on behalf of the appellant.
3. The respondent states that documentation fee of Rs.10,000/- was demanded for the information from the appellant vide their letter dated 12.04.2022 by registered post within stipulated time period against RTI application dated 04.04.2022 but nothing has been received from the appellant, so information was not supplied to him.
4. After hearing the respondent and examining the case file, appellant is directed to submit documentation fee within one week after receipt of this order. Accordingly, respondent PIO is directed to supply the information, within ten days, on receipt of demanded fee.
5. The appellant is also advised to go through the information on its receipt and point out deficiencies, if any to the respondent department within seven days after receipt of information, under intimation to the Commission failing which it shall be presumed that the supplied information is suffice.
6. To come up on **06.12.2022 at 11:00 A.M. through CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties.
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Appellant

Sh. Madan Lal(9646250011)
s/o Sh.Roshan Lal, Street No.15,
W.No.15, Ganpati Enclave,
Rama, Distt. Bathinda

Versus

Public Information Officer
O/o EO, Nagar Council, Rama,
Distt. Bathinda

First Appellate Authority
O/o EO, Nagar Council, Rama,
Distt. Bathinda

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 2979 of 2022
Hearing through CISCO Webex

Present: Sh. Keshav Rai on behalf of the appellant
Respondent: Absent

ORDER

1. The RTI application dated 17.2.2022 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 21.3.2022 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 22.6.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 21.9.2022 at 11.00 a.m. i.e. today.
2. In today's hearing Sh. Keshav Rai appears on behalf of the appellant states that incomplete information has been supplied.
3. Neither the respondent PIO is present for today's hearing, nor correspondence in this regard in spite of registered post notice issued to him.
4. The absence of the PIO is viewed seriously and it has also affected hearing and disposal of the case. In pursuance of this, the PIO is directed to make sure that appellant inspected the relevant official record on his visit to the respondent's office on 27.10.2022 at 11:00 A.M. and, identify the documents copies whereof are required by him; and the respondent shall provided copies thereof, according to his RTI application within a fortnight, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the RTI Act, 2005. He is also directed to appear in person on the next date of hearing.
5. To come up on **08.12.2022 at 11:00 A.M. through CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties.
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Appellant

Sh. Ranjit Singh(8360440663)

s/o Sh. Jarnail Singh
Vill. Sharian Bet,
PO Machhiwara Sahib,
Tehsil Samrala, Distt. Ludhiana

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o Secy., Regional Transport Authority,
Ludhiana

First Appellate Authority

O/o Secy., Regional Transport Authority,
Ludhiana

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 3002 of 2022
Hearing through CISCO Webex

Present:

Appellant: Sh. Ranjeet Singh

Respondent: Sh. Sukhjinder Singh (PIO)

ORDER

1. The RTI application dated 26.8.2021 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 2.3.2022 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 23.6.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 21.9.2022 at 11.00 a.m. i.e. today.
2. In today's hearing both the parties are present.
3. The appellant states that nothing has been received till date as the corrected RC was demanded vide his RTI application.
4. The respondent states that the sought for information was sent to the appellant in the month of April, 2022.
5. After having detailed discussion with both the parties and examining the case file, respondent PIO is directed to send a fresh reply to the appellant with a copy to the Commission immediately.
6. Both the parties are advised to represent this case on the next date of hearing positively, failing which case will be decided on merit basis.
7. To come up on **08.12.2022 at 11:00 A.M. through CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties.
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Appellant

Sh. Hardeep Singh(9464116767)

F22/488, Mustfabad,
Batala Road, Amritsar

Versus

Ms. Raksha Kiran (Public Information Officer)

(Regd. Post) O/o Deptt. Of Technical Education Pb.,
Chandigarh

Encl. RTI application

First Appellate Authority

O/o Director, Deptt. Of Technical Education Pb.,
Chandigarh

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 3007 of 2022
Hearing through CISCO Webex

Present: Appellant: Sh. Hardeep Singh
Respondent: Sh. Harpreet Singh, SA along with Ms. Raksha Kiran (PIO)

ORDER

1. The RTI application dated 17.2.2022 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 19.3.2022 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 24.6.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 21.9.2022 at 11.00 a.m. i.e. today.
2. In today's hearing both the parties are present. Appellant states that information is still pending from the respondent PIO whereas respondent states that reply/information had already been supplied to the appellant as per his queries at point no.1 and 2. She also mentions that questions could not be replied as per RTI Act, 2005.
3. After discussing with both the parties and examining the case file, it is observed that there is miscommunication regarding the RTI present in the instant appeal case. Accordingly, a copy of RTI application be sent to the respondent PIO along with copy of this order through registered post for his ready reference.
4. Accordingly, respondent PIO is directed to go through the RTI application and supply the information to the appellant within ten days after receipt of this order, failing which stern action will be initiated against the concerned respondent PIO.
5. It is also observed that appellant earlier demanded information relates with DMLT course in another appeal case no. 3643 of 2020, which was disposed of & closed by the undersigned Bench vide order dated 31.03.2021.
6. Appellant is also advised to represent this case on the next date of hearing to clear the facts, failing which case will be decided on merit basis.
7. To come up on **13.12.2022 at 11:00 A.M. through CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties.
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Appellant

Sh. Tejinder Singh, Advocate(9041004313)

Civil Courts,
Tehsil Complex,
Backside Sanjh Kender,
Phillaur 144410.

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o Secy., RTA, Ludhiana

First Appellate Authority

O/o Secy., RTA, Ludhiana

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 3034 of 2022
Hearing through CISCO Webex

Present: Appellant: Sh. Tejinder Singh
Respondent: Sh. Sukhjinder Singh

ORDER

1. The RTI application dated 24.1.2022 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 6.3.2022 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 27.6.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 21.9.2022 at 11.00 a.m. i.e. today.
2. In today's hearing both the parties are present.
3. The respondent states that sought for information has been sent to the appellant on 18.8.2022 vide letter no. 3978 and same was also been sent to the appellant via whatsapp.
4. The appellant states that the information sent by the respondent is not relevant. On asking by the Bench, it is observed that no discrepancy letter has been written by the appellant till yet. Accordingly, he is advised to send a deficiency letter today itself to the respondent PIO with a copy to the Commission, failing which case will be decided on merit basis on the next date of hearing.
5. Respondent PIO is directed to remove deficiency as per RTI application, if he receives letter regarding the same as per para 4 of this order, immediately.
6. Both the parties are advised to represent this case on the next date of hearing positively, failing which case will be decided on merit basis.
7. To come up on **06.12.2022 at 11:00 A.M. through CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties.
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Appellant

Sh. Ajay Sharma(9815661652)
s/o Sh. Mangat Ram Sharma,
B-33/2184, Bhagwan Dass Colony,
Salem Tabri, Ludhiana 141008.

Versus

Public Information Officer
O/o Secy., RTA, Amritsar

First Appellate Authority
O/o Secy., RTA, Amritsar

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 3043 of 2022
Hearing through CISCO Webex

Present: Appellant: Sh. Ajay Sharma
Respondent: Sh. Amandeep Singh

ORDER

1. The RTI application dated 20.12.2021 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 12.2.2022 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 27.6.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 21.9.2022 at 11.00 a.m. i.e. today.
2. In today's hearing both the parties are present.
3. The appellant states that he has not been supplied any information from the date of filing RTI on 20.12.2021, till date.
4. The respondent that the information has already been supplied to the appellant yesterday vide letter no. 123 dated 12.9.2022.
5. After discussing with both the parties in detail, respondent PIO is directed to supply the requisite information as per RTI application to the appellant through registered post immediately. Appellant is advised to go through the information, once he had received and point out ambiguity within seven days in writing to the respondent PIO with a copy to the Commission, failing which it will be presumed that he has nothing to say in this regard.
6. To come up on **30.11.2022 at 11:00 A.M. through CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties.
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Complainant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o Director, Technical Education &
Indl. Training, Pb., Chandigarh

Respondent

Complaint Case No.: 420 of 2022
Hearing through CISCO Webex

Present: Complainant: Sh. Gagandeep
Respondent: Sh. Sanjiv Kumar (SA)

ORDER

1. The RTI application dated 13.5.2022 vide which the complainant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. Complaint was filed in the Commission on 22.6.2022 under Section 18 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 21.9.2022 at 11.00 a.m. i.e. today.
2. In today's hearing both the parties are present.
3. The complainant states that nothing has been received with regard to RTI from the respondent till date.
4. The respondent states that the sought for information has been sent to the complainant today comprising 08 pages and a copy to the Commission via an email on 20.09.2022, which is received by the undersigned Bench and taken on record.
5. The complainant is advised to point out discrepancies, if any, within 7 days from today, in writing with a copy to the Commission, failing which it will be presumed that he has nothing to say in this regard.
6. To come up on **13.12.2022 at 11:00 A.M. through CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties.
Steps to use CISCO WEBEX: Install CISCO Webex->Click on Join Meeting->Enter Meeting Number 1582933632.

Dated: 21.09.2022

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State Information Commissioner
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Appellant

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Show Cause

Public Information Officer (By Name)

(Regd. Post) O/o SHO, Police Station Daresi
(Sunder Nagar), Ludhiana

Encl. RTI application

First Appellate Authority

O/o Police Commissioner, Ludhiana

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 1106 of 2021

Through CISCO WEBEX

Present: (i) Appellant: Smt Satwinder Kaur.

(ii) Respondent: Absent

Order

1. This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 2.8.2022.
2. In today's hearing, appellant states that status is same as it was on the previous hearing held on 2.8.2022.
3. Respondent PIO did not bother to attend the meeting even after the registered order and prior intimation via phone call.
4. In view of the foregoing, **respondent PIO, O/o SHO, Police Station Daresi (Sunder Nagar), Ludhiana is directed to show cause** in writing or through affidavit under Section 20(1) of the RTI Act, as to why penalty be not imposed upon him for willful delay/ denial of the information to the RTI applicant and why the compensation be not awarded to the complainant under Section 19 (8)(b) of the Act for detriment suffered.
In addition to his submission, the PIO is also hereby given an opportunity under Section 20(1) proviso, thereto, for a personal hearing before the imposition of such penalty on the next date of hearing. He may note that in case he does not file his submission and does not avail himself of the opportunity of personal hearing on the next date fixed, it will be presumed that he has nothing to say and the Commission shall proceed to take further proceedings against him ex-parte.
5. Accordingly, respondent PIO is directed to appear in person on **Wednesday i.e. 28.9.2022 at 11:00 A.M.** to clear the facts of this case along with directions to bring the record so that matter may be solved. The appellant is at liberty either to join online or in person at PSIC Office.
6. Announced in the court. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated: 21.09.2022

**(Anumit Singh Sodhi)
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Note: After the hearing was over, a call was made to Sh. Om Parkash and he intimates that he has been transferred from the department and he was asked to convey the message to the present concerned official. He adds that he will share contact details of Munshi.

Dated: 21.09.2022

**(Anumit Singh Sodhi)
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