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Jasbir Singh,

S/o Sh. Harbans Singh, Village Jalal Khera, Post Office Sular, District Patiala.

Versus

Public Information Officer,

o/o Deputy Commissioner, Block-A, Mini Secretariat, Patiala. First Appellate Authority,

o/o Commissioner, Patiala Division Block-A, Mini Secretariat, Patiala.

Appeal Case No. 2188 of 2021 and 2190 of 2021 (Heard together via Video Conference Proceedings)

PRESENT:

Jasbir Singh (Appellant) 98153-97246 Brig. (retd) D.S. Grewal, PIO-District Head GOG (Respondent) 92166-60043

ORDER:

- 1. The RTI applications are dated 11.2.2021 and 12.2.2021 vide which the appellant has sought information regarding GOG in Village Dakala, Ramgarh, Jalalkhera, etc., as enumerated in his RTI applications. First Appeals were filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on 15.3.2021 and Second Appeals were filed in the Commission on 7.5.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act 2005. Notice was issued to the parties for first hearing in the Commission on 21.10.2021.
- 2. Both parties are present via Video Conference from Patiala. The respondent PIO-District Head GOG, Patiala, Brig. (retd.) D.S. Grewal, submitted that a reply along with the requested information as available in his office was provided to the appellant vide Letter No. 103/DHQ-PTA Dated 7.3.2021. The appellant however, states that he has not got the information pertaining to points 3 and 4 of his RTI application.
- 3. The respondent PIO stated that the information requested at point no. 3 of RTI application pertains to a period of 4 years, which is far too voluminous. He offered to provide copies of specific reports if listed by the appellant. Regarding point no. 4 of the RTI application, the respondent PIO states that there are no specific attendance registers for GOGs. They do not attend any office on a daily basis and their attendance is marked by the reports they submit to various authorities including the concerned SDM, DC and District Head of the GOG.

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- 4. The respondent PIO's contention for point no. 3 is upheld. The appellant does not want to list any specific reports and is satisfied with the respondent PIO's reply with regard to point no. 4 of this RTI application.
- 5. Under the circumstances, there is no further cause for action and these Appeal Cases were **CLOSED**.

Sd/(ASIT JOLLY)
State Information Commissioner, Punjab.

Chandigarh 21.10.2021