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**Sh. Surinder Kumar (9463165327)**

**(Regd. Post)** S/o Sh. Bhagwan Das Pandhi

Ward No. 8, Pradhan Nagar, Welfare, Societies,

Fatehgarh Churian,

Distt. Gurdaspur Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**

O/o SDO, Sewerage Board,

Batala

**First Appellate Authority**

O/o XEN, Sewerage Board,

Gurdaspur Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 708 of 2018**

**Present:** Nobody on behalf of the applicant.

For the respondent: Sh. Jagbir Singh (JE).

**ORDER**

1. Respondent, Sh. Jagbir Singh states that the requisite information has already been supplied to the applicant through registered post dated 08.05.2018.

He submits a copy of letter no. 431 dated 21.05.2018 along with a copy of letter no. 322 dated 08.05.2018 addressed to the applicant, Sh. Surinder Singh signed by SDE, Punjab W/S & Sewerage, Sub Division Batala, which are taken on record.

1. Neither the applicant, Sh. Satinder Kumar is present for today’s hearing nor did he file any written reply in this regard.
2. After hearing the respondent and examining the case file, It is found that notice of hearing which was sent to the applicant on the name of Sh. Satinder Kumar instead of Sh. Surinder Kumar and has not returned back to the Commission. Another opportunity is given to the applicant, Sh. Surinder Singh to point out the deficiency in the supplied information in written to the respondent with a copy to the Commission. He is also advised to represent this case in person or through any of his representative(s) on the next date of hearing to clear the facts of this case, failing to which case will be decided in his absence. A copy of this order be send to him through **registered post** for his ready reference with his correct name.
3. Matter is adjourned for further hearing on **20.06.2018 at 11:00 AM.**
4. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties.

**Chandigarh (Dr. Pawan Kumar Singla)**

**Dated: 22.05.2018 State Information Commissioner**

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**Sh. Yogesh Mahajan (9814354649)**

S/o Late Sh. Kuldeep Raj Mahajan

President of Anti Corruption Council,

Opposite Water Tank, Municipal Market,

Mission Road, Pathankot. Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**

O/o XEN,Water Supply and Sanitation,

Sub Division, Fatehgarh Sahib.

**First Appellate Authority**

O/o SE Water Supply and

Sanitation Circle, Patiala Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 732 of 2018**

**Present:** Advocate, Sandeep Sharma on behalf of the applicant.

For the respondent: Sh. Mohinder Singh (SDE).

**ORDER**

1. Representative of the applicant, Advocate, Sandeep Sharma is present for today’s hearing states that requisite information is still pending from the respondent PIO.
2. Respondent, Sh. Mohinder Singh submits a reply sent by XEN cum PIO, W/S & Sanitation Division, Fatehgarh Sahib stating that address given by the appellant on RTI application do not match with the address of the applicant on ID proof (Aadhar Card) submitted by the appellant. It is taken on record.
3. After hearing both the parties and examining the documents placed on record, I am of the view that submission made by the respondent is not convincing and is overruled. Respondent PIO is directed to supply the requisite information to the appellant before the next date of hearing, failing which action under RTI Act will be initiated against the concerned respondent PIO.
4. Matter is adjourned for further hearing on **20.06.2018 at 11:00 AM.**
5. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties.

**Chandigarh (Dr. Pawan Kumar Singla)**

**Dated: 22.05.2018 State Information Commissioner**

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S/o Late Sh. Kuldeep Raj Mahajan

President of Anti Corruption Council,

Opposite Water Tank, Municipal Market,

Mission Road,

Pathankot. Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**

O/o SDO, Water Supply and Sanitation,

Sub Division Amloh,

Distt. Fatehgarh Sahib..

**First Appellate Authority**

O/o SE, Water Supply and

Sanitation Circle, Patiala Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 735 of 2018**

**Present:** Advocate, Sandeep Sharma on behalf of the applicant.

For the respondent: Sh. Mohinder Singh (SDE).

**ORDER**

1. Respondent, Sh. Mohinder Singh states that requisite information has already been supplied to the applicant. He submits a letter no. 282 dated 18.05.2018 signed by SDE, W/S & Sanitation, Sub Division Amloh at Shonti along with a copy of letter no. 281 dated 18.05.2018, which are taken on record.
2. Representative of the applicant, Advocate, Sandeep Sharma is present for today’s hearing states that only letters was received that letter only not the requisite information which is still pending from the respondent PIO.
3. After discussing with both the parties and examining the documents placed on record, I found that letter no. 281 with the applicant’s remarks as “received letter only”. Respondent PIO is directed to supply the requisite information to the appellant before the next date of hearing, failing which action under RTI Act will be initiated against the concerned respondent PIO.
4. Matter is adjourned for further hearing on **20.06.2018 at 11:00 AM.**
5. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties.

**Chandigarh (Dr. Pawan Kumar Singla)**

**Dated: 22.05.2018 State Information Commissioner**

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**Sh. Yogesh Mahajan (9814354649)**

S/o Late Sh. Kuldeep Raj Mahajan

President of Anti Corruption Council,

Opposite Water Tank, Municipal Market,

Mission Road,

Pathankot. Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**

O/o SDO, Water Supply and Sanitation,

Sub Division No. 1,

Distt. Fathehgarh Sahib.

**First Appellate Authority**

O/o SE, Water Supply and

Sanitation Circle, Patiala Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 737 of 2018**

**Present:** Advocate, Sandeep Sharma on behalf of the applicant.

For the respondent: Sh. Mohinder Singh (SDE).

**ORDER**

1. Representative of the applicant, Advocate, Sandeep Sharma is present for today’s hearing states that requisite information is still pending from the respondent PIO.
2. Respondent, Sh. Mohinder Singh orally states that address given by the appellant on RTI application do not match with the address of the applicant on ID proof (Aadhar Card) submitted by the appellant so the requisite information could not be supplied to the applicant.
3. After hearing both the parties, I am of the view that plea taken by the respondent is not convincing and is overruled. Respondent PIO is directed to supply the requisite information to the appellant before the next date of hearing, failing which action under RTI Act will be initiated against the concerned respondent PIO.
4. Matter is adjourned for further hearing on **20.06.2018 at 11:00 AM.**
5. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties.

**Chandigarh (Dr. Pawan Kumar Singla)**

**Dated: 22.05.2018 State Information Commissioner**

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**Sh. Harjeet Singh (9814809717)**

S/o Balbir Singh,

#4882-B (FF) Guru Arjan Dev Nagar,

Amritsar. Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**

**(Regd. Post)** O/o XEN, Water Supply and Sanitation Department,

Division Tarn Taran,

Tarn Taran

**First Appellate Authority**

O/o SE, Water Supply and Sanitation Department,

Tarn Taran. Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 748 of 2018**

**Present:** Sh. Harjeet Singh, the applicant in person.

For the respondent: Sh. Gurdeep Singh (SDC) (8196055200).

**ORDER**

1. Respondent, Sh. Gurdeep Singh states that the requisite information has already been supplied to the applicant through courier dated 19.05.2018.

He submits a written reply letter no. 298 dated 18.05.2018 signed by Sub Divisional Engineer, W/S & Sanitation, Sub Division Khadoor Sahib stating that requisite information has already been supplied to the applicant, Sh. Harjeet Singh through office letter no. 290 dated 16.05.2018. He also submits a copy of supplied information letter no. 291-92 dated 16.05.2018, which are taken on record.

1. On this, applicant, Sh. Harjeet Singh states that no information has been received from the respondent PIO till date.
2. Respondent, Sh. Gurdeep Singh handed over another copy of the requisite information to the applicant during the hearing
3. After going through the supplied information, applicant pointed out the deficiency in the supplied information regarding date of completion of work as date is mentioned 11/11/2018.
4. After hearing both the parties and examining the documents placed on record, another opportunity is given to the respondent PIO to appear in person on the next date of hearing along with requisite information relates with date of completion of work, failing to which action will be initiated against the concerned respondent PIO. A copy of this order be sent to him through **registered post** for his ready reference.
5. Matter is adjourned for further hearing on **20.06.2018 at 11:00 AM.**
6. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties.

**Chandigarh (Dr. Pawan Kumar Singla)**

**Dated: 22.05.2018 State Information Commissioner**

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**Ms. Rajwant Kaur (8626000004)**

W/o Shri Vijay Kumar,

R/o Ward No. 8, Fatehgarh Panjtoor

Distt. Moga. Complainant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**

**cum Returning Officer,Municipal Elections**

(Nagar Panchayat Fatehgarh Panjtoor)

O/o Sub Divisional Magistrate,

Dharamkot, Distt. Moga. Respondent

**Complaint Case No.: 263 of 2018**

**Present:** Advocate, Gurmanpreet Singh, the complainant in person.

For the respondent: Sh. Ravinder Singh (Clerk) (9876088001).

**ORDER**

1. Respondent, Sh. Ravinder Singh states that the RTI application has been received in their office five days earlier from the SDM office.
2. Representative of the complainant, Advocate, Gurmanpreet Singh is present for today’s hearing states that no information has been supplied to the
3. After hearing both the parties and examining the documents placed on record, I found that the complainant has not exhausted the channel of approaching First Appellate Authority under Section 19 of the RTI Act.

Hence, this case is **remanded to First Appellate Authority who is Sh. Gurvinder Singh Johar**, of Office of Sub Divisional Magistrate, Dharamkot, District Moga with the directions to decide the case as per provisions of the RTI Act, after giving due opportunity to the parties concerned, examining the evidences, documents placed on record/submitted by the parties concerned and subsequently pass a speaking order. A copy of the RTI request along with this order is also enclosed for ready reference of First Appellate Authority, who will treat it as first appeal.

If the complainant is not satisfied with the decision of the First Appellate authority, he is free to approach the Commission by way of second appeal within one month after receipt of this order.

1. Announced in the Court, copy of the order to be sent to the parties.

**Chandigarh (Dr. Pawan Kumar Singla)**

**Dated: 22.05.2018 State Information Commissioner**

**Sh. Gurvinder Singh Johar (First Appellate Authority)**

**(Regd. Post)** O/o Sub Divisional Magistrate,

Dharamkot, Distt. Moga.

**Encl:** RTI Request.

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**Sh. Jaspalvir Singh (9878625142)**

#134, Hardev Nagar,

Kapurthala Road

Jalandhar Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**

**O/o** Sikh Missionary College (Regd.)

1051/ 14, Field Ganj, Ludhiana.

**First Appellate Authority**

**O/o** Head/ Chairman

Sikh Missionary College

1051/ 14 Field Ganj, Ludhiana Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 374 of 2012**

**Present:** Nobody on behalf of the applicant.

For the respondent: Advocate, Gurinder Singh Dhillon.

**ORDER**

1. The Chief Information Commissioner, Sh. S. S. Channy allocated the above mentioned case to the undersigned bench vide Office Order dated 28.02.2018 and was fixed for hearing on 22.05.2018 i.e. today.
2. Respondent, Advocate, Gurinder Singh Dhillon is present for today’s hearing submits a copy of order of High Court of Punjab and Haryana passed by Hon’ble Justice Rajan Gupta dated 31.12.2017 in CWP No. 6241 of 2014 along with supporting documents, which are taken on record.
3. Applicant, Sh. Jaspalvir Singh is not present for today’s hearing but an email dated 21.05.2018 has been received from the applicant stating that he is unable to attend today’s hearing and requested for an adjournment. It is taken on record.
4. After examining the case file, I am of the view that an important issue is involved in this case. Therefore I am of the considered view that this issue involved in this case requires adjudication by a Full Bench. Accordingly, the **case file is sent to Deputy Registrar to place it before the Hon’ble CIC to constitute a Full Bench in this case to decide this issue.**
5. Announced in the Court, copy of the order to be sent to the parties.

**Chandigarh (Dr. Pawan Kumar Singla)**

**Dated: 22.05.2018 State Information Commissioner**

**Encl.**

 **The Deputy Registrar**

 **(Alongwith Case File).**

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**Sh. Gurdarshan Singh (9417161735)**

C/O, Shri Kamlesh Raj Singh,

HDM, Q. No1, F- Block

BBMB Colony Ganguwal,

P.O. Ganguwal

Teh. Anandpur Sahib, Distt. Ropar. Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**

**O/o** Registrar, IKG, PB Technical University,

Kapurthala Road, Jalandhar

**First Appellate Authority**

**O/o** Registrar, IKG, PB Technical University,

Kapurthala Road, Jalandhar Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 754 of 2018**

**Present:** Nobody on behalf of the applicant.

For the respondent: Advocate, Piyush Khanna.

**ORDER**

1. Respondent, Advocate, Piyush Khanna states that requisite information relates with Global College of Pharmacy & Engineering, Khanpur Khui, District Ropar, Punjab.
2. Neither the applicant, Sh. Gurdarshan Singh is present for today’s hearing nor did he file any reply in this regard.
3. After hearing the respondent and examining the case file, I am of the view that PIO, Office of Global College of Pharmacy & Engineering, Khanpur Khui, District Ropar, Punjab be impleaded as necessary party in this case. A copy of this order be sent to the Commissioner, Nagar Nigam, Ludhiana along with RTI request through **registered post** for his ready reference.
4. Another opportunity is given to the applicant, Sh. Gurdarshan Singh to represent this case in person or through any of his representative(s) on the next date of hearing, failing to which case will be decided in his absence.
5. The matter is adjourned for further hearing on **25.06.2018 at 11:00 AM.**
6. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties.

**Chandigarh (Dr. Pawan Kumar Singla)**

**Dated: 22.05.2018 State Information Commissioner**

**(Regd. Post)**

**Public Information Officer**

O/o – Global College of Pharmacy

& Engineering,

Khanpur Khui,

District Ropar, Punjab

**Encl:** RTI request.

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**Sh. Ashok Kumar (9417800927)**

House No. 214, Pine Homes,

Dhakoli, Zirakpur

160104 Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**

**O/o** Regional Deputy Director,

Local Bodies Govt., Patiala

**First Appellate Authority**

**O/o** Regional Deputy Director,

Local Bodies Govt., Patiala Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 760 of 2018**

**Present:** Sh. Ashok Kumar, the applicant in person.

For the respondent: Sh. Ashwani Kumar (Clerk).

**ORDER**

1. Respondent, Sh. Ashwani Kumar handed over the requisite information to the applicant during the hearing.
2. After going through the supplied information, applicant, Sh. Ashok Kumar states that supplied information is unattested.
3. After hearing both the parties and examining the case file, respondent PIO is directed to supply the attested copy of requisite information to the applicant before the next date of hearing. Applicant, Sh. Ashok Kumar is advised to go through the supplied information once he had received the requisite information from the respondent and point out the deficiency, if any, in written to the respondent with a copy to the Commission.
4. Matter is adjourned for further hearing on **20.06.2018 at 11:00 AM.**
5. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties.

**Chandigarh (Dr. Pawan Kumar Singla)**

**Dated: 22.05.2018 State Information Commissioner**

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**Sh. Narinder Jindal (9646443131)**

Street No. 5/3, D, Baba Farid Nagar,

Bathinda. Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**

**O/o** Govt. Industrial Training Institute,

Bathinda

**First Appellate Authority**

**O/o** Govt. Industrial Training Institute,

Bathinda Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 779 of 2018**

**Date of Institution: 26.02.2018**

**Date of Decision: 22.05.2018**

**Present:** Sh. Narinder Jindal, the applicant in person.

For the respondent: Sh. Balkar Singh along with Sh. Surinder Singh (JA)

**ORDER**

1. Respondent, Sh. Balkar Singh states that the requisite information has already been supplied to the applicant. He also states that 3000/- Rs. has already refunded to the applicant and for rest of the payment sent emails to the concerned offices but till yet no response from the concerned offices. He also mentioned that he has brought the original record as per the RTI application of the applicant.
2. On this, applicant, Sh. Narinder Jindal states that irrelevant information has been supplied to him. He also mentioned that he has deposited documentation fee of Rs. 224/- but has received the 58 pages and requested to refund the surplus money.
3. After discussing with both the parties and examining the documents placed on record, it is found that respondent PIO supplied the requisite information to the applicant during the hearing and respondent PIO is directed to keep the documentation fee of 58 pages as per 2/- Rs. Per page (58X2=116/-) and refund the rest of the money to the applicant.
4. Respondent, Sh. Balkar Singh assures that surplus money will be refunded to the applicant once he discuss with the respondent PIO.
5. On the assurance of the respondent, no further cause of action is required in this case. Therefore, the instant appeal case is **disposed of & closed.**
6. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties.

**Chandigarh (Dr. Pawan Kumar Singla)**

**Dated: 22.05.2018 State Information Commissioner**

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**Sh. Baljinder Singh (9414501984)**

**S/o Sh. Gurmail Singh**

C/o Guru Gobind Singh Tent House

Near Punjab Bus Stand

Mandi Kiliyawali Pin 151211 Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**

**O/o** SSP,

Bathinda

**First Appellate Authority**

**O/o** IGP

Bathinda Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 788 of 2018**

**Date of Institution: 27.02.2018**

**Date of Decision: 22.05.2018**

**Present:** Sh. Major Singh on behalf of the applicant.

For the respondent: Sh. Dilbagh Singh (Head Constable).

**ORDER**

1. Respondent, Sh. Dilbagh Singh handed over the requisite information to the applicant during the hearing to the representative of the applicant, Sh. Major Singh.
2. On this, representative of the applicant, Sh. Major Singh states that the requisite information has been received as per the RTI application.
3. As the information stands supplied, no further cause of action is required in this case. Therefore, the instant appeal case is **disposed of & closed.**
4. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties.

**Chandigarh (Dr. Pawan Kumar Singla)**

**Dated: 22.05.2018 State Information Commissioner**

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**Sh. Baljinder Singh Bhullar (9780026910)**

**(Regd. Post)** EO (Retd.) Nagar Panchayat

Makhu, War, Opposite ITI, Moga Complainant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**

**(Regd. Post) O/o** Secretary, Local Govt. Department

Plot No. 3, Sector 35- A PB Chandigarh. Respondent

**Complaint Case No.: 287 of 2018**

**Present:** Nobody present

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**ORDER**

1. Both the parties are absent without any intimation to the Commission for today’s hearing which shows no regard to the Notice of the Commission.
2. Last opportunity is given to the respondent PIO to appear in person on the next date of hearing to clear the facts of this case, failing to which action will be initiated against him. A copy of this order be sent to him through **registered post.**
3. Last opportunity is given to the complainant, Sh. Baljinder Singh Bhullar to represent this case in person or through any of his representative(s) on the next date of hearing, failing to which case will be decided on merits. A copy of this order be sent to him through **registered post.**
4. Matter is adjourned for further hearing **20.06.2018 at 11:30 AM**
5. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties.

**Chandigarh (Dr. Pawan Kumar Singla)**

**Dated: 22.05.2018 State Information Commissioner**