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Bench: Sh. Sanjiv Garg, State Information Commissioner, Punjab.



Sh. Kamal Kishore Shukla,
R/ o H No. 500, Sector 20-A,
Chandigarh.

...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Director,
Technical Education and Industrial Training Department,
Punjab, Sector- 36-A, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Director,
Technical Education and Industrial Training Department,
Punjab, Sector- 36-A, Chandigarh.

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 4661 of 2019

{Heard through Video Conference CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Kamal Kishore is present.
Sh. Rupinder Singh, Deputy Director –cum- SPIO is present.

ORDER:

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 16.03.2020.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Kamal Kishore states that no information has been supplied to him related to this case.

On this, the Deputy Director, Sh. Rupinder Singh requests for an adjournment and further assures that the information will be supplied to Appellant before the next date of hearing.

In view of above, the concerned PIO/Respondent is directed to supply requisite information to the Appellant, by registered post or through email along with a copy to the Commission by the next date of hearing, failing which a strict action would be taken against the PIO. The PIO concerned is also directed to be present in person along with the postal receipt or along with a copy of email, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, on the next date of hearing.

The Appellant is directed 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 or through email, with a copy to the Commission, failing which the case will be decided on merits.

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Dated: 22.06.2020

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Ms. Navjeet Kaur,
R/o H No. 43, Mohalla Darapur,
Near Session Chowk,
Hoshiarpur. - 146001

...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Director,
Technical Education and Industrial Training Department,
Punjab, Sector- 36-A, Plot Number -1, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Director,
Technical Education and Industrial Training Department,
Punjab, Sector- 36-A, Chandigarh.

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 4657 of 2019

{Heard through Video Conference CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}

Present : The Appellant, Ms. Navjeet Kaur is present.
Ms. Jawinder Kaur, APIO along with Sh. Baldev Singh, RTI Assistant is present on behalf of Respondent/ PIO.

ORDER:

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 16.03.2020. In today's hearing, the APIO, Ms. Jaswinder Kaur states that the information has already been sent to the Appellant.

On this, the Appellant, Ms. Navjeet Kaur states that no information has been supplied to her related to this case.

In view of above, the concerned PIO/Respondent is directed to supply requisite information to the Appellant, by registered post or through email along with a copy to the Commission by the next date of hearing, failing which a strict action would be taken against the PIO. The PIO concerned is also directed to be present in person along with the postal receipt or along with a copy of email, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, on the next date of hearing.

The Appellant is directed 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 or through email, with a copy to the Commission, failing which the case will be decided on merits.

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Sh. Manohar Lal,
S/o Sh. Sadhu Singh,
R/o H. No. 1560, Ward Number 01,
Diyalpur Gate, Kartarpur,
Distt. Jalandhar. (Punjab)

...Complainant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Director,
Technical Education and Industrial Training Department,
Punjab, Sector- 36-A, Plot Number -1, Chandigarh.

...Respondents

Complaint Case No. 1073 of 2019

{Heard through Video Conference CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}

Present : The Complainant, Sh. Manohar Lal is absent.
Ms. Naresh Kamal, PIO is present.

ORDER:

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 16.03.2020.

In today's hearing, the PIO, Ms. Naresh Kamal states that the information has already been supplied to the Complainant and he is satisfied with the same.

The Complainant, Sh. Manohar Lal is absent but an email dated 15.06.2020 has been received in the Commission vide which the Complainant has requested for closing this complaint case, as he is satisfied with the supplied information.

In view of above, as the Complainant is satisfied, so no further intervention is required in this case.

This case is disposed of and closed.

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Sh. Ravi Jindal,
Chamber Number 427,
District Court, Sangrur.

...Appellant

V/s.

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

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

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 4514 of 2019

{Heard through Video Conference CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Ravi Jindal is present.
Sh. Gurpal Singh, APIO is present on behalf of Respondent/ PIO.

ORDER:

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 18.02.2020.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Ravi Jindal states that no information has been supplied to the him till date.

On this, the APIO, Sh. Gurpal Singh states that this information relates with various Secretaries of Regional Transport Authorities in different Districts. But on further discussing with both the parties, it has been found that this information relates with O/o The State Transport Commissioner, Punjab, Chandigarh, as through the RTI Application, the Appellant has requested for those letters vide which the signing authority was given to the private employees and further more points in his RTI Application dated 22.07.2019 which has been requested by the Appellant.

In view of above, the concerned PIO/Respondent is directed to supply requisite information to the Appellant, by registered post or through email along with a copy to the Commission by the next date of hearing or if the information is not available with them then the Respondent/ PIO is directed to submit the reply in the form of an affidavit explaining the facts of this case, failing which a strict action would be taken against the PIO. The PIO concerned is also directed to be present in person along with the postal receipt or along with a copy of email, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, on the next date of hearing.

The Appellant is directed 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 or through email, with a copy to the Commission, failing which the case will be decided on merits.

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Chamber Number 427,

District Court, Sangrur.

...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,

O/o The State Transport Commissioner,

Punjab, Sector -17, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o The State Transport Commissioner,

Punjab, Sector -17, Chandigarh.

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 143 of 2020

{Heard through Video Conference CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Ravi Jindal is present.

Sh. Guralp Singh, APIO is present on behalf of Respondent/ PIO.

ORDER:

The date of RTI Application is 20.07.2019, the date of First Appeal is 05.11.2019 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 30.12.2019.

In today's hearing, the APIO, Sh. Guralp Singh states that the information relating to this case has already been supplied to the Appellant vide letter number 21778 dated 09.08.2019 and further requests that they do not have any Form Number 24 with them, as it only be collected from the concerned RTA's of different Districts.

On this, the Appellant, Sh. Ravi Jindal states that no information or any letter has been received by him till date.

In view of above, the concerned PIO/Respondent is directed to supply requisite information to the Appellant, by registered post or through email along with a copy to the Commission by the next date of hearing or if the information is not available with them then the Respondent/ PIO is directed to submit the reply in the form of an affidavit explaining the facts of this case, failing which a strict action would be taken against the PIO. The PIO concerned is also directed to be present in person along with the postal receipt or along with a copy of email, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, on the next date of hearing.

The Appellant is directed 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 or through email, with a copy to the Commission, failing which the case will be decided on merits.

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Sh. Sanjeev Thakur,
Village Ghudha Khurd,
P.O. Madhopur Cantt.
PIN : 145024,
Tehsil & Distt.: Pathankot.

...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Secretary, Regional Transport Authority,
Gurdaspur.

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

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 4644 of 2019

{Heard through Video Conference CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Sanjeev Thakur is present.
Sh. Ravinder Singh, PIO is present.

ORDER:

This case may be read with the reference with the previous order dated 16.03.2020 vide which the Appellant was advised to visit the concerned office for collecting the relevant record.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Sanjeev Thakur states that incomplete information has been supplied and further mentions about his deficiencies email which has been received by the Commission vide diary number 6479 dated 11.06.2020, which is taken on record.

On this the PIO, Sh. Ravinder Singh states that the information is ready with them and further requests the Appellant to visit their concerned office for collecting the specific record as per the RTI Application after identifying the same.

After discussing with both the parties, the Appellant is directed to visit the concerned office on **29.06.2020 at 11:00 A.M.** for inspection of records and collect the same after identifying the records as per his RTI Application. The PIO, Sh. Ravinder Singh is directed to be present there on the decided date and time to facilitate the Appellant for inspection of records. If the Appellant doesn't visit for inspection at the above said date and time then it will be presumed that the Appellant is satisfied and he doesn't require the requisite information anymore and the case will be decided on merits.

Both the parties are directed to be present on the next date of hearing which is going to be held through **Video Conference Software/ Application Cisco Webex Meetings Software.**

This case is adjourned to '**01.09.2020 at 11:00 A.M.**' through **Video Conference Software/ Application Cisco Webex Meetings Software.**

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P.O. Madhopur Cantt.
PIN : 145024,
Tehsi & Distt. : Pathankot.

...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o The General Manager,
Punjab Roadways, Pathankot. (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Administrative Office –cum-
Executive Director (Admin), PUNBUS,
Sector -17, Jeevandeep Building, Chandigarh.

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1530 of 2019

{Heard through Video Conference CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Sanjeev Thakur is present.
Sh. Shubhash, Establishment Assistant along with Sh. Pardeep Singh, Clerk
is present on behalf of Respondent/ PIO.

ORDER:

This case may be read with the reference with the previous order dated 20.02.2020 vide which the Appellant was advised to visit the concerned office for collecting the relevant record.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Sanjeev Thakur states that incomplete information has been supplied to him and further mentions about the

On this the PIO, Sh. Shubhash states that the information is voluminous in nature and it is ready with them and further requests the Appellant to visit their concerned office for collecting the specific record as per the RTI Application after identifying the same.

After discussing with both the parties, the Appellant is directed to visit the concerned office on **01.07.2020 at 11:00 A.M.** for inspection of records and collect the same (on the spot) after identifying the records as per his RTI Application. The EA, Sh. Shubhash and Sh. Pardeep Singh, Clerk is directed to be present there on the decided date and time to facilitate the Appellant for inspection of records. If the Appellant doesn't visit for inspection at the above said date and time then it will be presumed that the Appellant is satisfied and he doesn't require the requisite information anymore and the case will be decided on merits.

Both the parties are directed to be present on the next date of hearing which is going to be held through **Video Conference Software/ Application Cisco Webex Meetings Software.**

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Sh. Sandeep Kumar,

S/o Sh. Ranjit Singh,

R/o House Number 72-E/40,

Near Valmiki Colony, Saheed Bhagat Singh Nagar,

Pakhawal Road, Basant Avenue, Ludhiana.

...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,

O/o The Commissioner,

Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o The Commissioner,

Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana.

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 59 of 2020

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Sandeep Kumar is absent

Sh. Mohan Singh, Assistant Town Planner, Zone-D, is present from

O/o MC, Ludhiana.

ORDER:

The date of RTI Application is 18.05.2019, the date of First Appeal is 29.07.2019 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 24.12.2019.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Sandeep Kumar is absent.

The ATP, Sh. Mohan Singh requests for an adjournment and further assures that the information will be supplied to Appellant before the next date of hearing.

In view of above, the concerned PIO/Respondent is directed to supply requisite information to the Appellant, by registered post or through email along with a copy to the Commission by the next date of hearing, failing which a strict action would be taken against the PIO. The PIO concerned is also directed to be present in person along with the postal receipt or along with a copy of email, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, on the next date of hearing.

The Appellant is directed 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 or through email, with a copy to the Commission, failing which the case will be decided on merits.

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Sh. Sandeep Kumar,
S/o Sh. Ranjit Singh,
R/o House Number 72-E/40,
Near Valmiki Colony, Saheed Bhagat Singh Nagar,
Pakhawal Road, Basant Avenue, Ludhiana.

...Appellant

V/s.

{Regd. Post}Public Information Officer,
O/o The Commissioner,
Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana. {RTI Application}

{Regd. Post}First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Commissioner,
Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana.

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 60 of 2020

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Sandeep Kumar is absent
None is present on behalf of Respondent/ PIO.

ORDER:

The date of RTI Application is 11.12.2018, the date of First Appeal is 11.04.2019 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 24.12.2019.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Sandeep Kumar is absent.

The Respondent/ PIO is absent without any intimation to the Commission. Commission takes a serious view of the casual approach of the Respondent/ PIO.

In view of the above, a show cause notice under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act is issued to the 'concerned' PIO O/o The Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana as to why penalty be not imposed upon him for willful delay in supplying the information to the RTI Appellant and as to why the compensation be not awarded to the information-seeker under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

In addition, the PIO is also hereby given an opportunity under Section 20(1) provision thereto, for a personal hearing with the sought for information, before the imposition of such penalty on the next date of hearing.

The PIO/Respondent is directed to supply requisite information to the Appellant, by registered post or through email along with a copy to the Commission by the next date of hearing, failing which a strict action would be taken against the PIO. The PIO concerned is also directed to be present in person along with the postal receipt or along with a copy of email, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, on the next date of hearing. **A copy of the RTI request be sent to the PIO through registered post along with this order.**

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 or through email, with a copy to the Commission, failing which the case will be decided on merits.

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