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Sh. Darshan Singh s/o Sh. Jagtar Singh,
r/o Village Jhugge Fangia,
Tehsil Jalalabad West
District Fazilka.

..Complainant

Vs

Public Information Officer
o/o Block Development and Panchayats Officer,
Block Jalalabad,
District fazilka.

Public Information Officer
o/o Addl. Deputy Commissioner (Dev.)
Mini Secretariat,
Fazilka.

....Respondent

Complaint Case No. 427 of 2020
(Video Conference/on phone Proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Darshan Singh, appellant.
Ms Pooja, GRS on behalf of the respondents.

ORDER

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

2. The appellant states that incomplete information has been supplied i.e. four pages of his complaint has been supplied whereas he has filed the complaint comprising five pages concerning Point No. 1 and also incomplete information has been supplied regarding Point No. 2 to 5 of the RTI application. Whereas the representative of the respondents states the complete information whatever on record concerning the RTI application has been provided.

3. After deliberations, the respondent-Public Information Officer is directed to provide the following to the appellant before the next date of hearing concerning Complaint/demand letter dated 28.2.2020 of Village Jhuge Phangian.

Point No. 1 – In case the fifth page of the complaint is not available on record then submit that the complaint of the appellant consists of four pages and fifth page is not available on record.

Point No.-2 – APO has marked the complaint downward and action taken, if any, be provided else submit that no action has been taken on the said complaint of the appellant.

Point No. 3 – The plea taken by the respondent is accepted that there are no provisions under the RTI Act, 2005 to provide causes as the appellant has sought the causes in this Point.

Point No. 4 – The details of work allotted to the persons of Village Jhuge Phangian from 28.2.2020 to date.

Point No. 5 – Attested copies of mustroll regarding work done under MANREGA of Village Jhuge Phangian from 28.2.2020 to date.

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The Public Information Officer o/o the Block Development and Panchayats Officer is also directed to provide the same failing which the penalty provisions will be invoked on the next date of hearing.

4. To come up on 5.11.2020 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Fazilka/cisco webex.

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Dated: 22.10.2020

(Suresh Arora)
Chief Information Commissioner,
Punjab.

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Sh. Ajaypal Singh S/o Sh. Iqbal Singh,
VPO –Gumtala, Opp. Govt. Dispensary,
Ward No. 5, (98721-39640)
Amritsar.

.....Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Block Development & Panchayat Officer,
Block Khadoor Sahib,
District- Tarn Taran.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Deputy Commissioner,
Administration Complex,
Tarn Taran.

..... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 412 of 2020

Present:- Smt. Kamaldeep Kaur w/o Sh. Ajaypal Singh on behalf of the appellant.
Sh. Gurminder Singh, Panchayat Secretary on behalf of the respondents.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 15.9.2020.

2. The appellant states that till date incomplete information has been supplied by the respondents. She has also sent the deficiencies in the provided information through email which is taken on record. She also states that no compensation has been paid to him by the respondents and requests to direct the respondents to pay the same. However, the representative of the respondents states that the complete information, whatever available in the official record pertaining to the RTI application of the appellant, has been supplied.

3. After hearing both the parties and going through the record the respondents are directed to pay the compensation amount to the appellant via demand draft drawn through the Government Treasury amounting to Rs.5000/- (Rupees five thousand only) as per the orders dated 15.9.2020 of the Commission. Sh. Jagdeep Singh, Block Development and Panchayats Officer was directed to deduct Rs.5000/- (Rupees five thousand only) in two instalments from the salary of Sh. Gurminder Singh, Panchayat Secretary as the penalty was imposed upon him vide orders dated 15.9.2020 of the Commission, but nothing has been received from him in this regard. Accordingly, Sh. Jagdeep Singh, Block Development and Panchayats Officer, Block Khadoor Sahib is directed to submit the copy of challan deposited the Government Treasury under the relevant head before the next date of hearing failing which the punitive action will be initiated against him on the next date of hearing.

4. Also, both the parties are directed to remain present at Chandigarh along with the information supplied/provided to take the matter to its logical end. In addition, Sh. Gurminder Singh, Panchayat Secretary is directed to remain present on the next date of hearing along with the original record pertaining to the RTI application of the appellant at Chandigarh.

5. To come up on 3.12.2020 at 12.30 PM at Chandigarh.

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Dated: 22.10.2020

(Suresh Arora)

Chief Information Commissioner,
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Financial Commissioner (by name) Registered

To look into the matter personally and

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Government of Punjab,
Rural Development & Panchayat Deptt.,
Vikas Bhawan, Sec-62, Mohali

ensure compliance of this order.

The Director (By name) Registered -do-
Rural Development & Panchayat Deptt.,
Vikas Bhawan, Sector 62,
Mohali

District Development and Panchayats Officer,
Taran Taran.

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Sh. Inderjit RTI Activist 7888383867

Chamber No. 141 A,

New Court Jalandhar,

Jalandhar.

....Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer (By name)

Registered

o/o District Development and Panchayats Officer,

Mini Secretariat,

Jalandhar.

First Appellate Authority

o/o Addl. Deputy Commissioner (Dev.)

Mini Secretariat,

Jalandhar

Public Information Officer (By name)

Registered

o/o the Addl. Deputy Commissioner (Dev.)

Mini Secretariat, Jalandhar

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1914 of 2020

(Cisco Webex proceedings)

Present:- None on behalf of the parties.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 11.9.2020.

2. A request has been received from the appellant through email that due to martyrdom of his younger brother, he is unable to attend the hearings today and requested for the adjournment of the case.

3. Also a copy of reply has already been received from the respondents vide No. 2680 dated 10.9.2020 in the Commission, which is taken on record and sent to the appellant with this order. None is present on behalf of the Public Information Officer o/o Addl. Deputy Commissioner (Dev.) Ludhiana, therefore the respondent-Public Information Officer o/o the Addl. Deputy Commissioner (Dev.) District Ludhiana is directed to remain present on the next date of hearing and file the reply/supply the information before the next date of hearing.

4. To come up on 7.12.2020 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Jalandhar/cisco webex.

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Dated:22.10.2020

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Chief Information Commissioner,
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Encl a/a

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Sh.Prem Singh M 8699780800

Village Nawa Salehshah,

Tehsil and District Fazilka

....Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer

o/o Block Development and Panchayats Officer,

Block Fazilka,

Fazilka

First Appellate Authority

o/o District Development and Panchayats Officer,

Fazilka.

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 2323 of 2020

(Video Conference Proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Prem Singh, appellant.

None on behalf of the respondents.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 10.6.2020 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter called FAA) on 14.7.2020 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 27.8.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today.

2. The appellant states that no information has been provided by the respondents so far. Since none is present on behalf of the respondents, the case is adjourned with the directions to the Public Information Officer o/o the Block Development and Panchayats Officer, Fazilka to file the reply/supply the information before the next date of hearing failing which the punitive action will be initiated.

3. To come up on 3.12.2020 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Fazilka/cisco webex.

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Dated: 22.10.2020

(Suresh Arora)

Chief Information Commissioner,
Punjab.