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Sh. Suresh Kumar Sharma
r/o New Sharma Furniture House,
Pratap Bazaar, Chhehartta,
District Amritsar

....Appellant

vs

Public Information Officer
o/o Amritsar Improvement Trust,
District Amritsar

First Appellate Authority
o/o Amritsar improvement Trust,
District Amritsar.

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 5577 of 2021
(Video Conference Proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Suresh Kumar Sharma, appellant.
Sh. Vipin Kumar and Sh. Ravinder Kumar on behalf of the respondents.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 2.7.2021 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 11.8.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 20.12.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 22.3.2021.

2. The representative of the respondents requests for the adjournment of the case and assures that the complete information will be supplied to the appellant within three days through registered post, duly certified. He further submits that a copy of the information supplied to the appellant along with the receipt of the registry will be sent to the Commission for information.

3. According to the assurance given by the respondent, the case is adjourned.

4. To come up on 28.4.2022 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, District Amritsar.

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Dated: 22.3.2022

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....Appellant

vs

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o/o Amritsar Improvement Trust,
District Amritsar

First Appellate Authority
o/o Amritsar improvement Trust,
District Amritsar.

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 5580 of 2021
(Video Conference Proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Suresh Kumar Sharma, appellant.
Sh. Vipin Kumar and Sh. Ravinder Kumar on behalf of the respondents.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 28.6.2021 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 11.8.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 10.12.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 22.3.2021.

2. The representative of the respondents requests for the adjournment of the case and assures that the complete information will be supplied to the appellant within three days through registered post, duly certified. He further submits that a copy of the information supplied to the appellant along with the receipt of the registry will be sent to the Commission for information.

3. According to the assurance given by the respondent, the case is adjourned.

4. To come up on 28.4.2022 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, District Amritsar.

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Dated: 22.3.2022

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....Appellant

vs

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o/o Amritsar Improvement Trust,
District Amritsar

First Appellate Authority
o/o Amritsar improvement Trust,
District Amritsar.

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 5587 of 2021
(Video Conference Proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Suresh Kumar Sharma, appellant.
Sh. Shamsher Singh on behalf of the respondents.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 28.6.2021 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 11.8.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 10.12.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 22.3.2021.

2. The representative of the respondents requests for the adjournment of the case and assures that the complete information will be supplied to the appellant within three days through registered post, duly certified. He further submits that a copy of the information supplied to the appellant along with the receipt of the registry will be sent to the Commission for information.

3. According to the assurance given by the respondent, the case is adjourned.

4. To come up on 28.4.2022 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, District Amritsar.

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Dated: 22.3.2022

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....Appellant

vs

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o/o Amritsar Improvement Trust,
District Amritsar

First Appellate Authority
o/o Amritsar improvement Trust,
District Amritsar.

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 5585 of 2021
(Video Conference Proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Suresh Kumar Sharma, appellant.
Sh. Shamsher Singh on behalf of the respondents.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 15.7.2021 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 11.8.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 10.12.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 22.3.2021.

2. The representative of the respondents requests for the adjournment of the case and assures that the complete information will be supplied to the appellant within three days through registered post, duly certified. He further submits that a copy of the information supplied to the appellant along with the receipt of the registry will be sent to the Commission for information.

3. According to the assurance given by the respondent, the case is adjourned.

4. To come up on 28.4.2022 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, District Amritsar.

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Dated: 22.3.2022

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....Appellant

vs

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o/o Amritsar Improvement Trust,
District Amritsar

First Appellate Authority
o/o Amritsar improvement Trust,
District Amritsar.

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 5579 of 2021
(Video Conference Proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Suresh Kumar Sharma, appellant.
Sh. Shamsher Singh on behalf of the respondents.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 28.6.2021 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 11.8.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 10.12.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 22.3.2021.

2. The representative of the respondents requests for the adjournment of the case and assures that the complete information will be supplied to the appellant within three days through registered post, duly certified. He further submits that a copy of the information supplied to the appellant along with the receipt of the registry will be sent to the Commission for information.

3. According to the assurance given by the respondent, the case is adjourned.

4. To come up on 28.4.2022 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, District Amritsar.

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Dated: 22.3.2022

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....Appellant

vs

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o/o Amritsar Improvement Trust,
District Amritsar

First Appellate Authority
o/o Amritsar improvement Trust,
District Amritsar.

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 5578 of 2021
(Video Conference Proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Suresh Kumar Sharma, appellant.
Sh. Shamsher Singh on behalf of the respondents.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 28.6.2021 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 11.8.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 10.12.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 22.3.2021.

2. The representative of the respondents requests for the adjournment of the case and assures that the complete information will be supplied to the appellant within three days through registered post, duly certified. He further submits that a copy of the information supplied to the appellant along with the receipt of the registry will be sent to the Commission for information.

3. According to the assurance given by the respondent, the case is adjourned.

4. To come up on 28.4.2022 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, District Amritsar.

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Dated: 22.3.2022

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....Appellant

vs

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o/o Amritsar Improvement Trust,
District Amritsar

First Appellate Authority
o/o Amritsar improvement Trust,
District Amritsar.

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 5584 of 2021
(Video Conference Proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Suresh Kumar Sharma, appellant.
Sh. Harmeet Singh on behalf of the respondents.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 28.6.2021 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 11.8.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 10.12.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 22.3.2021.

2. The representative of the respondents requests for the adjournment of the case and assures that the complete information will be supplied to the appellant within three days through registered post, duly certified. He further submits that a copy of the information supplied to the appellant along with the receipt of the registry will be sent to the Commission for information.

3. According to the assurance given by the respondent, the case is adjourned.

4. To come up on 28.4.2022 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, District Amritsar.

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....Appellant

vs

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o/o Amritsar Improvement Trust,
District Amritsar

First Appellate Authority
o/o Amritsar improvement Trust,
District Amritsar.

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 5583 of 2021
(Video Conference Proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Suresh Kumar Sharma, appellant.
Sh. Harmeet Singh on behalf of the respondents.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 28.6.2021 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 11.8.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 10.12.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 22.3.2021.

2. The representative of the respondents requests for the adjournment of the case and assures that the complete information will be supplied to the appellant within three days through registered post, duly certified. He further submits that a copy of the information supplied to the appellant along with the receipt of the registry will be sent to the Commission for information.

3. According to the assurance given by the respondent, the case is adjourned.

4. To come up on 28.4.2022 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, District Amritsar.

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District Amritsar

....Appellant

vs

Public Information Officer
o/o Amritsar Improvement Trust,
District Amritsar

First Appellate Authority
o/o Amritsar improvement Trust,
District Amritsar.

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 5582 of 2021
(Video Conference Proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Suresh Kumar Sharma, appellant.
Sh. Harmeet Singh on behalf of the respondents.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 28.6.2021 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 11.8.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 10.12.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 22.3.2021.

2. The representative of the respondents requests for the adjournment of the case and assures that the complete information will be supplied to the appellant within three days through registered post, duly certified. He further submits that a copy of the information supplied to the appellant along with the receipt of the registry will be sent to the Commission for information.

3. According to the assurance given by the respondent, the case is adjourned.

4. To come up on 28.4.2022 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, District Amritsar.

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....Appellant

vs

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o/o Amritsar Improvement Trust,
District Amritsar

First Appellate Authority
o/o Amritsar improvement Trust,
District Amritsar.

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 5581 of 2021
(Video Conference Proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Suresh Kumar Sharma, appellant.
Sh. Harmeet Singh on behalf of the respondents.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 28.6.2021 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 11.8.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 10.12.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 22.3.2021.

2. The representative of the respondents requests for the adjournment of the case and assures that the complete information will be supplied to the appellant within three days through registered post, duly certified. He further submits that a copy of the information supplied to the appellant along with the receipt of the registry will be sent to the Commission for information.

3. According to the assurance given by the respondent, the case is adjourned.

4. To come up on 28.4.2022 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, District Amritsar.

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Dated: 22.3.2022

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District Amritsar

....Appellant

vs

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o/o Amritsar Improvement Trust,
District Amritsar

First Appellate Authority
o/o Amritsar improvement Trust,
District Amritsar.

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 5586 of 2021
(Video Conference Proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Suresh Kumar Sharma, appellant.
Sh. Harmeet Singh on behalf of the respondents.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 28.6.2021 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 11.8.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 10.12.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 22.3.2021.

2. The representative of the respondents requests for the adjournment of the case and assures that the complete information will be supplied to the appellant within three days through registered post, duly certified. He further submits that a copy of the information supplied to the appellant along with the receipt of the registry will be sent to the Commission for information.

3. According to the assurance given by the respondent, the case is adjourned.

4. To come up on 28.4.2022 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, District Amritsar.

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Dated: 22.3.2022

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Sh. Sushil Kumar,
1410, Phase 1, Urban Estate Dugri Road,
Ludhiana 141013
9814500575

....Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer
o/o Punjab State Information Commission,
Sector 16,
Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority-cum-
ACFA, Punjab State Information Commission,
Sector 16, Chandigarh.

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 186 of 2021
(Video Conference Proceedings)

Present:- None on behalf of the appellant.
Sh. Sudhir Kumar, S.O. on behalf of the respondents.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 14.10.2021 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 6.11.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 30.12.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 22.3.2022.

2. The appellant is absent but he has sent the submissions in this case, which are taken on record. However, the respondent-Public Information Officer submits that the specific reply has already been sent to the appellant in this case. He further submits that the appellant may inspect the relevant record pertaining to the sought information and in case any document will be identified by him, the same will be supplied to the appellant before the next date of hearing.

3. Accordingly, the appellant is advised to inspect the relevant files pertaining to his RTI application on any working day before the next date of hearing.

5. To come up on 30.3.2022 at 12.30 PM at Chandigarh.

Dated: 22.3.2022

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....Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer
o/o D.P.I. Colleges,
Vidya Bhawan, Phase 8,
Mohali.

First Appellate Authority
o/o Administrative Secretary,
Higher Education, Punjab,
Punjab Civil Secretariat-1, Chandigarh.

Shri Parminder Singh Deputy Director
o/o D.P.I. Colleges,
Sector 62, Mohali .

Dr Ashwani, Addl. Director,
o/o DPI Colleges,
College Education
Sector 62, Mohali.

Ms Pushpa,
Superintendent,
Education 1 Branch
Punjab Civil Secretariat-2, Chandigarh.

Principal
Government Mahindra College
Patiala.

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 3163 of 2021
(Video Conference Proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Mandeep Singh, appellant.
Sh. Jasapl Singh, Ms Nidhika Aeiry, Sr. Asstt and Sh. Parminder Singh,
Services 1 Branch on behalf of the respondents.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 31.12.2021
vide which the case was adjourned for 24.1.2022 but due to administrative reasons the

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Appeal Case No. 3163 of 2021

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case could not be heard on the said date and further adjourned for today i.e. 22.3.2022.

2. After detailed deliberations with both the parties, it has ascertained that Point Number 1 of the RTI application relates to Shri Parminder Singh Deputy Director o/o D.P.I. Colleges. Regarding Point number 2 of the RTI application, the same relates to Dr Ashwani, Addl. Director, o/o DPI Colleges, College Education and the information pertaining to Point number 3 of the RTI application relates to Education 1 Branch and Point Number 5 and 6 of the RTI application relates to the Principal Mahindra College Patiala.

3. Accordingly, all the Public Information Officer mentioned in para 2 above in this case, are impleaded as necessary parties in this case in the public interest. They are also directed to file their reply/supply the information in this case before the next date of hearing.

4. To come up on 10.5.2022 at 12.30 P.M. at Chandigarh/ video conference facility available in the office of Deputy Commissioner Patiala.

Dated: 22.3.2022

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..Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Punjab State Information Commission,
Sector 16, Chandigarh.
First Appellate Authority
O/o Punjab State Information Commission,
Sector 16, Chandigarh.

....Respondent(s)

Appeal Case No. 184/2022

(Video Conference/Cisco Webex/Telephone Proceedings)

Present:- None on behalf of the appellant.
Sh. Sudhir Kumar, S.O. on behalf of the respondents.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 20.10.2021 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 8.11.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 30.12.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today i.e. 22.3.2022.

2. The appellant is absent but he has sent the submissions in this case, which are taken on record. However, the respondent-Public Information Officer submits that the specific reply has already been sent to the appellant in this case. He further submits that the appellant may inspect the relevant record pertaining to the sought information and in case any document will be identified by him, the same will be supplied to the appellant before the next date of hearing.

3. Accordingly, the appellant is advised to inspect the relevant files pertaining to his RTI application on any working day before the next date of hearing.

5. To come up on 30.3.2022 at 12.30 PM at Chandigarh.

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Dated:22.3.2022

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Urban Estate, Dugri,
Ludhiana-141013.
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..Appellant

Vs

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O/o Punjab State Information Commission,
Sector 16, Chandigarh.
First Appellate Authority
O/o Punjab State Information Commission,
Sector 16, Chandigarh.

....Respondent(s)

Appeal Case No. 185/2022
(Video Conference Proceedings)

Present:- None on behalf of the appellant.
Sh. Sudhir Kumar, S.O. on behalf of the respondents.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 7.10.2021 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 9.11.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 30.12.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 22.3.2022.

2. The appellant is absent but he has sent the submissions in this case, which are taken on record. However, the respondent-Public Information Officer submits that the specific reply has already been sent to the appellant in this case. He further submits that the appellant may inspect the relevant record pertaining to the sought information and in case any document will be identified by him, the same will be supplied to the appellant before the next date of hearing.

3. Accordingly, the appellant is advised to inspect the relevant files pertaining to his RTI application on any working day before the next date of hearing.

5. To come up on 30.3.2022 at 12.30 PM at Chandigarh.

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Dated:22.3.2022

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Sh. Jasbir Singh,
Guru Nanak Nagar,
Village Bholapur, Jhabewal,
Post Office Ramgarh,
District Ludhiana.141123
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..Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Deputy Commissioner,
Ludhiana.
First Appellate Authority
O/o Deputy Commissioner,
Ludhiana.

Public Information Officer
o/o the Addl. Deputy Commissioner,
Khanna, District Ludhiana.

....Respondent(s)

Appeal Case No. 202/2022

(Video Conference/Cisco Webex/Telephone Proceedings)

Present:- None on behalf of the appellant.
Sh. Prabjot Singh _____ on behalf of the respondents.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 5.10.2021 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 6.11.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 30.12.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today i.e. 22.3.2022.

The appellant is absent but he has sent the submissions in this case through email, which are taken on record. However the representative of the respondent submits that the reply regarding the sought information has already been sent to the appellant vide which he has informed that the DO letter has already been sent to the

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Additional Deputy Commissioner, Khanna, Ludhiana, as has been sought by the appellant.

3. After hearing the submissions made by the respondent, the respondent Public Information Officer is directed to transfer the RTI application of the appellant to the Additional Deputy Commissioner, KHANNA, Ludhiana under Section 6(3) of the RTI Act, 2005. The Public Information Officer o/o the Additional Deputy Commissioner, Khanna is also impleaded as necessary party in this case. **A copy of the RTI application along with the submissions received from the respondent-Public Information Officer o/o the Deputy Commissioner, is also being sent to him along with this order.**

4. To come up on 17.5.2022 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, District Ludhiana.

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Dated: 22.3.2022

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Sh. Baljeet Singh M 796500015

64-H B.R.S. Nagar,

Ludhiana

Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,

o/o Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana

First Information Officer,

o/o Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana.

Ms Manu Vij, Sr. Medical Officer,

Public Information Officer,

o/o Civil Surgeon,

Ludhiana.

Ms Deep Sikha,

Public Information Officer

o/o the NHM, Punjab

5th Floor, Prayaas Building,

Sector-38B, Chandigarh

Respondents

Appeal case No. 2917 /2020

Present: None of the appellant.

Sh. Rakesh Kumar 7009314442, Sgh. Rakesh Kumar Accountant 9463972356, Sh. Rajan Kumar Accountant 9872203359 in person on behalf of the respondents.

ORDER

This case may be read with the reference of the order dated 19.1.2022.

2. The appellant has sent the submissions that he will not be able to attend the hearing. He has further informed that he has not received the information pertaining to Para 5,6,7,9 and 10 of the RTI application. However, the representative of the respondents submits that they have brought the complete original record pertaining to the remaining points for which the local purchase has been made from the National Federation of Farmer's Procurement, Processing & Retailing Cooperative of India Ltd. Regarding the other material procured, information of which has been sought by the

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appellant, the representative of the respondents submits that the said material has been received from the NHM, Therefore, the Public Information Officer of the said department may be impleaded as necessary party in this case.

3. Video Conference Facility/cisco webex facility was introduced for the convenience of general public and for government officials. Viewing the attitude in dealing with the RTI application of the appellant in a casual manner, Ms Manu Vij, Sr. Medical Officer o/o the Civil Surgeon, District Ludhiana is, thus, issued a show cause notice to explain in a self-attested affidavit as to why a penalty @ Rs.250/- per day of delay subject to a maximum of Rs.25000/- till the complete information is furnished, be not imposed under Section 20(1) of RTI Act, 2005 on him for causing wilful delay/denial of the information to the RTI application and to issue show cause for compensation to the appellant for detriment suffered by him under section 19(8) of the RTI Act, 2005.

In addition to the written reply, the PIO is also 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. She may take a note that in case she does not file her written reply and does not avail herself of the opportunity of personal hearing on the next date, it will be presumed that she has nothing to say and the Commission will proceed ex-parte.

4. Also the directions are issued to the respondent-Public Information Officer Ms Manu Vij to transfer the RTI application of the appellant under Section 6(3) of the RTI Act, 2005 to Ms Deep Sikha, Public Information Officer o/o the NHM who is

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impleaded as necessary party in this case. A copy of the RTI application is being sent to her along with this order.

5. Also the parties concerned are directed to remain present along with the original record/information supplied on the next date of hearing. It is also clarified that in case of absence of any party on the next date of hearing, the case will be decided ex-parte on merit.

6. To come up on 21.04.2022 at 11.30 A.M. at Chandigarh.

Dated: 22.3.2022

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Chief Information Commissioner,
Punjab

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Dr. S.P. Singh,
Civil Surgeon
District Ludhiana.
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To ensure compliance of this order.

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Sh. Gourav Sekhri,
Chamber No. 68- A,
District Court,
Amritsar. (9888866559)

Appellant

Vs

Sh. Pardeep, Supdt-cum-
Public Information Officer,
O/o Director,
Department of Medical Education and Research, Punjab
Medical Education Bhawan, Sector 69,
Mohali.

Registered

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Director,
Department of Medical Education and Research, Punjab
Medical Education Bhawan, Sector 69,
Mohali.

Respondents

AC No. 3236/2020

(Video Conference/Telephone Proceedings)

Present:- None on behalf of the appellant.

Sh.Dheeraj(SA) 9888480888, on behalf of the respondents.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 16 December 2021 vide which the case was adjourned for 24 January 2022. But due to administrative reasons the case could not be heard on the said date and the case was further adjourned for today i.e. 22 March 2022.

2. The appellant is absent but he has sent the written submission for one adjournment in this case. However, the representative of the respondent submits that the complete information in this case has already been supplied to the appellant.

3. Accordingly, the respondent-Public Information Officer is directed to remain present on the next date of hearing along with the original record and in case of compelling reasons, it may be ensured that his representative should be present along with the original record on the next date of hearing.

4. To come up on 30 March 2022 at 12:30 PM at Chandigarh

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Dated: 22.3.2022

(Suresh Arora)

Chief Information Commissioner,
Punjab.