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..Appellant

Public Information Officer,
O/o District Revenue Officer,
Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority
O/o Addl. Deputy Commissioner (G),
Ludhiana.

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1997/2020

Present:- Sh. Rachhpal Singh, appellant, on phone.
Sh. Ranjeet Singh, on behalf of the respondents on phone.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 10.5.2019 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 18.9.2019 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 30.7.2020 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. However, the respondents have submitted a copy of letter No. 6172-73 dated 18.9.2020 vide which the appellant has been advised to get the copy of Intkal No. 1754 after depositing the necessary fee in the Sewa Kendra.

3. The request of the respondents is not tenable in accordance with the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005 and the judicial pronouncements in such cases. As the appellant has applied for the information under the RTI Act, 2005, the information i.e. copy of intkal No. 1754 Jamabandi 1966-67 of Village Haraich, Tehsil Payal be supplied to the appellant free of cost before the next date of hearing as the RTI application of the appellant is 10.5.2019.

4. To come up on 22.10.2020 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, District Ludhiana/Cisco Webex.

Dated: 22.9.2020

Sd/
(Suresh Arora)
Chief Information Commissioner,
Punjab.

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S. Jasbir Singh,
Village - Bolapur.
Jhabewal, PO - Ramgarh,
District - Ludhiana. M : 9888296107

..Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Deputy Commissioner,
Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority
O/o Deputy Commissioner,
Ludhiana.

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 2010/2020
(Cisco Webex proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Jasbir Singh, appellant.
Sh. Sukhpal Singh 7973562511 on behalf of the respondents.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 15.4.2020 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 1.6.2020 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 30.7.2020 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. However, the representative of the respondents placed on record a copy of letter No. 1055 dated 16.6.2020 vide which the information has been sent to him. Whereas, the appellant contended that the information is incomplete regarding Point No. 1 and no information has been supplied to him pertaining to Point No. 2 and 3 of his RTI application. But with regard to Point No.1, the representative of the respondents states that no enquiry has been marked by the Deputy Commissioner hence, no information is available on record.

3. After deliberations, it has transpired that no information has been supplied to the appellant pertaining to Point No. 2 and 3 of the RTI application. Therefore, the respondent-Public Information Officer is directed to file the reply/supply the information pertaining to Point No. 2 and 3 of the RTI application before the next date of hearing.

4. To come up on 13.11.2020 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, District Ludhiana/Cisco Webex.

Sd/

Dated: 22.9.2020

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Sh. Satnam Singh Dhawan,
H. No. 7-GK Vihar,
Manakwal,
Ludhiana. M : 9501513137

..Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Sub Divisional Magistrate(East),
Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority-cum-
O/o Deputy Commissioner,
Mini Secretariat,
Ludhiana.

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 2015/2020
(Cisco Webex proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Satnam Singh, appellant.
Sh. Baljinder Singh Dhillon, Sub Divisional Magistrate(East) on behalf of the
respondents.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 26.2.2020 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 23.5.2020 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 31.7.2020 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 respondents have submitted a copy of the letter bearing No. 1009 dated 26.6.2020, copy of which is taken on record, vide which the information has already been provided to the appellant. Whereas the appellant insisted for the detailed information regarding the three points as has been sought by him vide his RTI application.

3. With regard to Point No.1, the appellant contended that the information is not available on the web link whereas, the representative of the respondents states that the information is available on the website. But the appellant further contended that the username and password is required to see the complete list to see the backlog entries of driving licences from 1.12.2018 to 14.2.2020. Furthermore, the representative of the respondents states that it is not possible for the office to provide the details of username and password. He also states that the information concerning Point No. 1 of the RTI Act contains the 3rd party information which cannot be supplied as per the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

4. After deliberations the Commission opines that the respondents have supplied the specific information as per the letter mentioned above pertaining to Point No. 2 and 3 of the RTI application. Regarding Point No.1, the respondent-Public Information Officer is directed to place on record the details of entries as has been sought by the appellant vide his RTI application before the next date of hearing so that the same can be adjudged, whether the information sought should be given being in public interest despite relating to third party.

5. To come up on 1.10.2020 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana/Cisco Webex.

Sd/

Dated: 22.9.2020

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Chief Information Commissioner, Punjab.

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Sh. Ajay Kumar,

R/o H No.- 1, Rose Avenue Colony,

Near Improvement Trust Office,

Block- Malerkotla,

District -Sangrur.

.....Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,

O/o Block Development & Panchayats Officer,

Block- Malerkotla-1,

District -Sangrur.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o Block Development & Panchayats Officer,

Block- Malerkotla-1,

District -Sangrur.

.....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 882 of 2020

(Cisco Webex proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Ajay Kumar, appellant, on phone

Sh. Ekam Singh, Panchayat Secretary on behalf of the respondents.

ORDER

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

2. The representative of the respondents states that the complete information has been provided to the complainant with regard to Point No. 4 and 7 of the RTI application. He also states that the information pertaining to Point No.2 has also been supplied by the Tehsildar, Amargarh. However, the appellant submits the copy of deficiency, which is taken on record, in the information pertaining to Point No.4 i.e. the details of persons having illegal possession of shamlat land. On the other hand the representative of the respondents states that the appellant may inspect the relevant record of the panchayat and whatever information related to Point No.4 of the RTI application will be supplied, if so identified by the appellant with which the appellant agrees. With the mutual understanding, the date of inspection has been fixed for 28.9.2020 at 11.00 AM in the office of the Block Development and Panchayats Officer, Malerkotla-1.

3. Accordingly, the respondent-Public Information Officer is directed to make available the concerned record as mentioned above for the inspection of the appellant and provide the copies of documents if so identified by the appellant and the appellant is advised to inspect the relevant record and obtain the copies of the documents after identification.

4. To come up on 23.10.2020 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Sangrur/Cisco Webex.

Sd/

(Suresh Arora)

Dated: 22.9.2020

Chief Information Commissioner,
Punjab.