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



Sh. Yogesh Mahajan, S/o Sh. Kuldeep Raj Mahajan,
Opposite Water Tank, Municipal Market,
Mission Road, Pathankot.
M: 9814354649

...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Executive Engineer,
Construction Division Number 02, PWD B & R, Hoshiarpur.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Superintending Engineer,
PWD B & R, Hoshiarpur.

...Respondent

Appeal Case No. 1356 of 2020 **{Heard through CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}**

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Yogesh Mahajan is present.
Sh. Surjeet Kumar, Superintendent is present from the Department.

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference of previous order dated 01.12.2020.

In today's hearing, the Superintendent, Sh. Surjeet Kumar states that information has been supplied to the Appellant. He further mentions about an email dated 11.02.2021 and another email dated 11.02.2021, which has been sent to the Commission and the same is taken on record.

On the other hand the Appellant, Sh. Yogesh Mahajan states that information relating to point number 01 and point number 02 is pending only and requests for the same. He further mentions about a letter dated 01.01.2021 which has been sent to the Commission and the same is taken on record.

In view of above, the Appellant is directed to visit the **concerned office on 16.03.2021 at 02:00 P.M. i.e. Tuesday positively** for collecting the remaining information from the concerned department and if the Appellant does not visit the concerned office for collecting the record on the said date and time then it would be presumed that he does not require the information anymore and the case will be decided on merits.

If the Appellant visits for the inspection and the inspection could not take place on the said date and time from the Department's end then it would be presumed that the concerned department is misleading the Court and further strict action would be recommended against the PIO, on the next date of hearing.

The concerned PIO and Sh. Surjeet Kumar, Superintendent are directed to be present at the concerned office on the said date and time when the Appellant would appear to collect the record.

This case is adjourned to 17.05.2021 at 11:00 A.M.' and both the parties are directed to be present on the next date of hearing i.e. 17.05.2021 which is going to be heard through **Software/ Application Cisco Webex Meetings. Meeting Id Number : 1589136034.**

Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated: 23.02.2021

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Punjab

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First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Superintending Engineer,
PWD B & R, Hoshiarpur.

...Respondent

Appeal Case No. 1355 of 2020 **{Heard through CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}**

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Yogesh Mahajan is present.
Sh. Surjeet Kumar, Superintendent is present from the Department.

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference of previous order dated 01.12.2020.

In today's hearing, the Superintendent, Sh. Surjeet Kumar states that information has been supplied to the Appellant. He further mentions about an email dated 11.02.2021 and another email dated 11.02.2021, which has been sent to the Commission and the same is taken on record.

On the other hand the Appellant, Sh. Yogesh Mahajan states that incomplete information relating to this case has been supplied to him. He further states that there are three divisions and two work orders have been passed only. He further mentions about a letter dated 01.01.2021 which has been sent to the Commission and the same is taken on record.

In view of above, the Appellant is directed to visit the **concerned office on 16.03.2021 at 02:00 P.M. i.e. Tuesday positively for clarifying the facts and collect the remaining information** from the concerned department and if the Appellant does not visit the concerned office for collecting the record on the said date and time then it would be presumed that he does not require the information anymore and the case will be decided on merits.

If the Appellant visits for the inspection and the inspection could not take place on the said date and time from the Department's end then it would be presumed that the concerned department is misleading the Court and further strict action would be recommended against the PIO, on the next date of hearing.

The PIO is also directed to hand over the information to the Appellant by hand and if the information is not available with them then the PIO is directed to submit the same in writing along with a reason, to the Appellant along with a copy to the Commission by the next date of hearing.

The concerned PIO and Sh. Surjeet Kumar, Superintendent are directed to be present at the concerned office on the said date and time when the Appellant would appear to collect the record.

This case is adjourned to 17.05.2021 at 11:00 A.M.' and both the parties are directed to be present on the next date of hearing i.e. 17.05.2021 which is going to be heard through **Software/ Application Cisco Webex Meetings. Meeting Id Number : 1589136034.**

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O/o The XEN, Provincial Division,
PWD B & R, Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o SE, Construction Circle,
PWD B & R, Amritsar.

...Respondent

Appeal Case No. 1363 of 2020 **{Heard through CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}**

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Yogesh Mahajan is present.
Sh. Hasvinder Pal Singh, Superintendent is present from the Department.

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference of the previous order dated 01.12.2020.

In today's hearing, the Respondent/ PIO, Sh. Hasvinder Pal Singh states that the information has been supplied to the Appellant.

On this, the Appellant, Sh. Yogesh Mahajan states that he has received the information two days back and seeks some time to go through it and would point out deficiencies, if any.

In view of above, an opportunity is given to the Appellant and he is directed to go through the requisite information and point out deficiencies in written, **if any**, to the Respondent/PIO within 15 days through registered post or through email, with a copy to the Commission, failing which the case will be decided on merits.

The PIO is further directed to supply the requisite information (after removing the deficiencies, if any pointed by the Appellant in time) to the Appellant **by registered post or through an email along with a copy to the Commission** relating to his RTI Application by the next date of hearing positively.

The Respondent/PIO concerned is also directed to submit copy of postal receipt or submits a copy of an email to the Commission, through which information would be sent to the Appellant (**again**), by the next date of hearing.

This case is adjourned to 17.05.2021 at 11:00 A.M.' and both the parties are directed to be present on the next date of hearing i.e. 17.05.2021 which is going to be heard through **Software/ Application Cisco Webex Meetings. Meeting Id Number : 1589136034.**

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PWD B & R, Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o SE, Construction Circle,
PWD B & R, Amritsar.

...Respondent

Appeal Case No. 1352 of 2020
{Heard through CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Yogesh Mahajan is present.
Sh. Hasvinder Pal Singh, Superintendent is present from the Department.

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference of the previous order dated 01.12.2020.

In today's hearing, the Respondent/ PIO, Sh. Hasvinder Pal Singh states that the information has been supplied to the Appellant.

On this, the Appellant, Sh. Yogesh Mahajan states that he has received incomplete information and requests for the same.

In view of above, an opportunity is given to the Appellant and he is directed to go through the requisite information and point out deficiencies in written, **if any**, to the Respondent/PIO within 15 days through registered post or through email, with a copy to the Commission, failing which the case will be decided on merits.

The PIO is further directed to supply the requisite information (after removing the deficiencies, if any pointed by the Appellant in time) to the Appellant **by registered post or through an email along with a copy to the Commission** relating to his RTI Application by the next date of hearing positively.

The Respondent/PIO concerned is also directed to submit copy of postal receipt or submits a copy of an email to the Commission, through which information would be sent to the Appellant (**again**), by the next date of hearing.

This case is adjourned to 17.05.2021 at 11:00 A.M.' and both the parties are directed to be present on the next date of hearing i.e. 17.05.2021 which is going to be heard through **Software/ Application Cisco Webex Meetings. Meeting Id Number : 1589136034.**

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Sh. Sanjeev Thakur, S/o Sh. Baldev Singh Salaria,
Mohalla Rajput Nagar, Village and Post Office, Madhopur,
Tehsil Pathankot. M: 8968084100

...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Executive Engineer,
Mandi Board Division,
Tarn Taran.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Chief Engineer (North),
Mandi Board, Punjab, Chandigarh.

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 665 of 2020

{Heard through CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Sanjeev Thakur is present.
Sh. Sudesh Kumar, SDO is present from the Department.

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference of the previous order dated 08.12.2020.

In today's hearing, the SDO, Sh. Sudesh Kumar states that information has been supplied to the Appellant. He further mentions about an email dated 07.12.2020 in which a copy of letter dated 04.12.2020 (along with annexures) is attached and the same is taken on record.

On the other hand the Appellant, Sh. Sanjeev Thakur states that incomplete information relating to this case has been supplied to him. He further states that there are four sub divisions and four work orders have been passed only. He further mentions about a letter dated 14.12.2020 which has been sent to the Commission and the same is taken on record.

On this the SDO, Sh. Sudesh Kumar states that there are three sub divisions and four work orders have been passed only during the mentioned period of RTI Application.

In view of above, the PIO is directed to supply the requisite information to the Appellant **by registered post or through an email along with a copy to the Commission** relating to his RTI Application by the next date of hearing positively or submit the same in writing signed by the PIO, as said by Sh. Sudesh Kumar above.

The Respondent/PIO concerned is also directed to submit copy of postal receipt or submits a copy of an email to the Commission, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, by 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.

This case is adjourned to 17.05.2021 at 11:00 A.M.' and both the parties are directed to be present on the next date of hearing i.e. 17.05.2021 which is going to be heard through Software/ Application Cisco Webex Meetings. Meeting Id Number : 1589136034.

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...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Land Reclamation Officer,
Irrigation Department,
U.B.D.C., Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The S.E.,
U.B.D.C., Amritsar.

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1079 of 2020

{Heard through CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Mukhtar Singh is present.
Sh. Ashu Gupta, Divisional Accountant is present from the Department.

ORDER:

This order be read with the reference of previous order dated 08.12.2020.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Mukhtar Singh states that the incomplete information has been supplied to him and the money which has been deducted and has not been deposited / credited to his account is wrong.

On the other hand, Sh. Ashu Gupta states that the information which relates to the Appellant's RTI has been supplied to him twice and they have gone further to look into this matter and observed that the money which has not been deposited has to be checked and it has to be rectified by the Treasury Department end and for the same they have written a letter to the Treasury Department as well.

After going through the case file and hearing both the parties, Sh. Ashu Gupta is directed to look into this matter again and try to sort it out with the Treasury Department.

In view of above, the Appellant is directed to visit the **concerned office on 05.04.2021 at 11:00 A.M. i.e. Monday positively for clarifying the facts and collect the remaining information** from the concerned department and if the Appellant does not visit the concerned office for collecting the record on the said date and time then it would be presumed that he does not require the information anymore and the case will be decided on merits.

The PIO is also advised to hand over the information to the Appellant by hand and if the information is not available with them then the PIO is directed to submit the same in writing along with a reason, to the Appellant along with a copy to the Commission by the next date of hearing.

The concerned PIO and Sh. Ashu Gupta, Divisional Accountant are directed to be present at the concerned office on the said date and time when the Appellant would appear to collect the record.

This case is adjourned to 17.05.2021 at 11:00 A.M.' and both the parties are directed to be present on the next date of hearing i.e. 17.05.2021 which is going to be heard through **Software/ Application Cisco Webex Meetings. Meeting Id Number : 1589136034.**

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Sh. Suraj Setia,
S/o Sh. Krishan Kumar,
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M: 94183-18786

...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Punjab Mandi Board,
Fazilka. (152123)

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Chief Engineer,
Punjab, Mandi Board, Sector 65-A,
S.A.S Nagar (Mohali).

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1072 of 2020

{Heard through CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Suraj Setia is absent.
Sh. Sahil Gagneja, SDO is present from the Department.

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference of the previous order dated 08.12.2020.

In today's hearing, the SDO, Sh. Sahil Gagneja states that the information has been supplied to the Appellant. He further states that the most of the information has been supplied to the Appellant on 05.01.2021 and the remaining information i.e. Lay out plan map was pending and it was to be supplied to the Appellant within 15 days, which has also been supplied to the Appellant within time. In relating to this, he further mentions about an email dated 05.02.2021 and another email dated 19.02.2021 which has been sent to the Commission and the same is taken on record.

In view of above, an opportunity is given to the Appellant and he is directed to clarify to the Commission whether he had received the information or not, failing which it would be presumed that the Appellant has nothing to say and the case will be decided on merits.

The Respondent / PIO is directed to appear in person or through any of his representative on the next date of hearing, which is going to be heard through Cisco Webex Meetings Software.

This case is adjourned to 17.05.2021 at 11:00 A.M.' and both the parties are directed to be present on the next date of hearing i.e. 17.05.2021 which is going to be heard through Software/ Application Cisco Webex Meetings. Meeting Id Number : 1589136034.

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Chheharata, Amritsar (143105)

...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Punjab Mandi Board,
Tarn Taran.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Punjab Mandi Board,
Sector 65-A, S.A.S Nagar (Mohali)

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 978 of 2020 **{Heard through CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}**

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Surinder Singh is present.
None is present from the Department.

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference of the previous order dated 08.12.2020.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Surinder Singh states that the information relating to point number 05 of the RTI Application is pounding only.

On the other side, none comes present from the Department.

After going through the case file, it has been observed that the Department has sent the reply / information vide letter dated 12.02.2021. In the same, relating to point number 05, the reply given by the department is 'ਮੁੱਖ ਦਫਤਰ ਨਾਲ ਸਬੰਧਤ ਹੈ'.

So, in view of above, the PIO is further **directed to clarify the reply given against 'point number 05' or try to supply the requisite information** to the Appellant **by registered post or through an email along with a copy to the Commission** relating to his RTI Application

The PIO is directed to appear in person on the next date of hearing which is going to be heard through CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS.

The Respondent/PIO concerned is also directed to submit copy of postal receipt or submits a copy of an email to the Commission, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, by 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.

This case is adjourned to 17.05.2021 at 11:00 A.M.' and both the parties are directed to be present on the next date of hearing i.e. 17.05.2021 which is going to be heard through Software/ Application Cisco Webex Meetings. Meeting Id Number : 1589136034.

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Sh. Gurmeet Singh, S/o Sh. Lal Singh,
R/o Village Kikar Khera, Tehsil Abohar,
Distt. Fazilka (M: 98762-69776).

...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o The XEN,
Water Drainage and Construction Division,
Ferozepur at Fazilka.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The S.E.,
Water Drainage and Construction Division,
Ferozepur.

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 937 of 2020

{Heard through CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Gurmeet Singh is present.
Sh. Sarabjeet Singh, SDO –cum- APIO is present from the Department.

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference of the previous order dated 08.12.2020.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Gurmeet Singh states that the information relating to point number 1, 2, 5, 7, 8 and 9 are pending.

On the other side, the SDO –cum- APIO, Sh. Sarabjeet Singh states out of these mentioned points the information relating to point number 05 and 08 has already been supplied by letter dated 01.01.2021. Relating to point number 09, he mentions a judgment passed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in the case number 27734 of 2012 in which at point number 13 page number 11 of order dated October 03, 2012, it has been written that :

"We are in agreement with the CIC and the courts below that the details called for by the petitioner i.e. copies of all memos issued to the third respondent, show cause notices and orders of censure/punishment etc. are qualified to be personal information as defined in clause (j) of Section 8(1) of the RTI Act. The performance of an employee/officer in an organization is primarily a matter between the employee and the employer and normally those aspects are governed by the service rules which fall under the expression "personal information", the disclosure of which has no relationship to any public activity or public interest. On the other hand, the disclosure of which would cause unwarranted invasion of privacy of that individual. Of course, in a given case, if the Central Public Information Officer or the State Public Information Officer of the Appellate Authority is satisfied that the larger public interest justifies the disclosure of such information, appropriate orders could be passed but the petitioner cannot claim those details as a matter of right."

Also, the APIO, Sh. Sarabjeet Singh states that the information relating to point number 01 and point number 02 has to be supplied by Chief Engineer / Head Office, Dispute and Resolution (E.E. 1 and E.E. 2 Branch), Water Resource Department, Punjab, Sector 18, Chandigarh and for the same an email dated 23.02.2021 has been sent to the Commission in which a letter vide endorsement dated 11.02.2021 is attached and the same is taken on record.

Sh. Sarabjeet Singh, SDO states that in relating to point number 07 which has to be supplied by them is voluminous in nature and the Appellant could collect the record from the concerned office on his visit.

After discussing with both the parties, the PIO O/o Chief Engineer / Head Office, Dispute and Resolution (E.E. 1 and E.E. 2 Branch), Water Resource Department, Punjab, Sector 18, Chandigarh is implemented as a party and concerned PIO is further directed to look into this matter and supply the



information accordingly relating to point number 01 and point number 02 (except residential address) . A copy of this order along with the concerned RTI Application be sent to the PIO O/o Chief Engineer / Head Office, Dispute and Resolution (E.E. 1 and E.E. 2 Branch), Water Resource Department, Punjab, Sector 18, Chandigarh for further action.

The Appellant, Sh. Gurmeet Singh is directed to visit the concerned office tomorrow i.e. 24.02.2021 at 1:00 P.M. along with his pendrive to collect the record from Sh. Sarabjeet Singh, SDO –cum- APIO. If the Appellant does not visit on the said date and time then it would be presumed that the Appellant does not require the information anymore and the case would be decided on merits.

The concerned PIO's are directed to appear in person on the next date of hearing which is going to be heard through CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS.

The Respondent/PIO concerned is also directed to submit copy of postal receipt or submits a copy of an email to the Commission, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, by 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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Water Resource Department, Punjab, Sector 18,
Chandigarh.
Encl. RTI Application

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...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Forest Range Officer,
Forest Department, Malerkotla.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Conservator of Forest, (South Circle),
Nabha Road, Patiala.

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 883 of 2020 **{Heard through CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}**

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Ajay Kumar is absent.
None is present from the Department.

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference of the previous order dated 08.12.2020.

In today's hearing, both the parties are absent.

In view of above, last opportunity is given to the Appellant and 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 (within 15 days), failing which it would be presumed that the Appellant is satisfied and the case will be decided on merits.

Also, the PIO is further directed to submit copy of postal receipt or submits a copy of an email to the Commission, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, by the next date of hearing.

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V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Divisional Forest Officer,
Hoshiarpur.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Conservator of Forests,
North Circle,(Punjab) Hoshiarpur.

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 865 of 2020

{Heard through CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Sanjeev Kumar is present.
Sh. Gurdeep Singh, Range Forest Officer is present from the Department.

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference of the previous order dated 08.12.2020.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Sanjeev Kumar states that incomplete information has been supplied to him.

On the other hand, Range Forest Officer, Sh. Gurdeep Singh states that information is ready with them and further requests the Appellant, Sh. Sanjeev Kumar to visit the concerned office for collecting the record.

On this, the Appellant agrees to visit the concerned office for collecting the concerned record.

Both the parties are directed to set a date and time mutually and Appellant is directed to visit the concerned office for collecting the requisite information from Sh. Gurdeep Singh.

If the Appellant doesnot visit on the said date and time then it would be presumed that the Appellant doesnot require the information anymore and the case will be decided on merits.

Also, the PIO and Sh. Gurdeep Singh are directed to be present at the concerned office on the decided date and time when the Appellant would appear to collect the record.

This case is adjourned to 17.05.2021 at 11:00 A.M.' and both the parties are directed to be present on the next date of hearing i.e. 17.05.2021 which is going to be heard through Software/ Application Cisco Webex Meetings. Meeting Id Number : 1589136034.

Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated: 23.02.2021

Sd/-
(Sanjiv Garg)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab