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



Sh. Manjit Singh,
S/o Sh. Sohan Singh,
R/o 388 / 3, Bahera Road, Patiala.

Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o The SSP, Patiala.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The DGP, Punjab,
Sector 9, Chandigarh.

Respondent

Appeal Case No. 1399 of 2022

{Heard in the Court}

FULL BENCH

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Manjit Singh is present in the Court.
Sh. Hakam Singh, ASI is present from the Department in the Court.

ORDER:

The date of RTI application is 20.12.2021, the date of First Appeal is 03.02.2022 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 22.03.2022.

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

On the other hand, the ASI, Sh. Hakam Singh states that it would be difficult for them to trace the Raseed Book Numbers without the year mentioned.

On further discussion with the parties the Appellant, Sh. Manjit Singh mentions that these Raseed Books Numbers are from Year – 2014.

In view of above, an opportunity is given to the respondent PIO concerned to supply the certified copies of the required information to the appellant as per queries raised by him in his RTI request, through registered post with a copy to the Commission by the next date of hearing positively.

The appellant is directed to point out deficiencies, if any, in the information supplied, in writing, to the respondent PIO so that the same could be removed by the respondent concerned.

As I am demitting the office on 23.09.2022, hence, next date of hearing in this case cannot be announced. Accordingly this case file be sent to the Deputy Registrar to place this file before the Hon'ble Chief Information Commissioner for appropriate orders.

Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

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State Information Commissioner
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State Information Commissioner
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(Sanjiv Garg)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Dated: 23.08.2022

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O/o The SSP, Patiala.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The DGP, Punjab,
Sector 9, Chandigarh.

Respondent

Appeal Case No. 1401 of 2022

{Heard in the Court}

FULL BENCH

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Manjit Singh is present in the Court.
Sh. Hakam Singh, ASI is present from the Department in the Court.

ORDER:

The date of RTI application is 20.12.2021, the date of First Appeal is 03.02.2022 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 22.03.2022.

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

On the other hand, the ASI, Sh. Hakam Singh states that it would be difficult for them to trace the Raseed Book Numbers without the year mentioned.

On further discussion with the parties the Appellant, Sh. Manjit Singh mentions that these Raseed Books Numbers are from Year – 2014.

In view of above, an opportunity is given to the respondent PIO concerned to supply the certified copies of the required information to the appellant as per queries raised by him in his RTI request, through registered post with a copy to the Commission by the next date of hearing positively.

The appellant is directed to point out deficiencies, if any, in the information supplied, in writing, to the respondent PIO so that the same could be removed by the respondent concerned.

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V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o The SSP, SAS Nagar,
Mohali.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The DGP, Punjab,
Sector 9, Chandigarh.

Respondent

Appeal Case No. 1866 of 2022

{Heard in the Court}

FULL BENCH

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Manjit Singh is present in the Court.
Ms. Rajinder Kaur, Head Constable is present from the Department in the Court.

ORDER:

This case may be read with the reference of the previous order dated 20.06.2022.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Manjit Singh states that information relating to point number 1 has already been supplied but the information relating to point number 02 is pending.

On the other hand, the HC, Ms. Rajinder Kaur states that the requisite amount (i.e. Rs. 13,20,000/- dated from 01.01.2020 to 31.08.2020) has already been deposited into the Government Treasury and the same reply has been given to the Appellant vide letter dated 05.07.2022, which is taken on record.

On further discussion with the parties the Appellant, Sh. Manjit Singh states that he has requested for certified copies of Govt. Vouchers /receipts which has been deposited to the bank of the specified period in his RTI.

In view of above, an opportunity is given to the respondent PIO concerned to supply the certified copies of the of Govt. Vouchers /receipts (i.e. point number 02 of the RTI) to the appellant as per queries raised by him, through registered post with a copy to the Commission by the next date of hearing positively.

The appellant is directed to point out deficiencies, if any, in the information supplied, in writing, to the respondent PIO so that the same could be removed by the respondent concerned.

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O/o The Commissioner of Police,
Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Director General of Police, Punjab,
Sector 9, Chandigarh.

Respondent

Appeal Case No. 415 of 2021

{Heard in the Court}

FULL BENCH

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Manjit Singh is present in the Court.
None is present from the Department.

ORDER:

This case may be read with the reference of the previous order dated 20.06.2022.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Manjit Singh states that no information has been supplied to him.

On the other hand, none is present from the department.

Commission takes a serious view of the casual approach of the Respondent / PIO as information is still not supplied and moreover, show cause notice was issued to the concerned PIO vide last order of the Commission dated 20.06.2022 but still nobody appears from the department relating to this case for clarifying the facts of this case.

In view of above, the penalty amounting to Rs. 10,000 /- (Rupees Ten Thousand Only) is imposed upon the concerned PIO office of The Commissioner of Police, Ludhiana (Punjab). The penalty must be deposited under the following Heads:

Major Head	.. 0070 -Other Administrative Services
Sub-Major Head	.. 60 - Other Services
Minor Head	.. 800 - Other Receipts
Sub-Head	.. 86 - Fee under the Right to Information Act, 2005
Detailed Head	.. 0070 Other Administrative Services
	60 Other Services- 800- Other Receipts-
	86- Fees under the Right to Information Act, 2005

And a copy of challan receipt be submitted to the Commission on the next date of hearing.

Last opportunity is given to the respondent PIO concerned to supply the certified copies of the required information to the appellant as per queries raised by him through RTI request, through registered post or e-mail with a copy to the Commission by the next date of hearing and deposit the copy of challan receipt to the Commission.

Appeal Case No. 415 of 2021

{Heard in the Court}

FULL BENCH



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The appellant is also advised to point out deficiencies, if any, in the information supplied, in writing, to the respondent PIO so that the same could be removed by the respondent concerned.

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O/o The Senior Superintendent of Police,
Patiala (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Director General of Police, Punjab,
Sector 9, Chandigarh.

Respondent

Appeal Case No. 117 of 2020

{Heard in the Court}

FULL BENCH

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Manjit Singh is present in the Court.
Sh. Hakam Singh, ASI is present from the Department.

ORDER:

This case may be read with the reference of the previous order dated 20.06.2022.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Manjit Singh states that no information has been supplied to him.

On the other hand, the ASI, Sh. Hakam Singh is not carrying the case file in the Court today. He further states that he would look into this and also mentions that information might be supplied to the Appellant.

In view of above, last opportunity is given to the respondent PIO concerned to reply the show cause notice of the Commission which was issued on 20.06.2022 and further directed to supply the certified copies of the required information to the appellant as per queries raised by him, through registered post or e-mail with a copy to the Commission within 15 days from today.

The appellant is also advised to point out deficiencies, if any, in the information supplied, in writing, to the respondent PIO so that the same could be removed by the respondent concerned.

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