



Sh.Tejinder Singh,
H N0-130-B, Street NO-8-B,
Sarabha Nagar, Bhadson Road,
Patiala.

... Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o XEN,
Water Supply & Sanitation, Deptt,
Division-2, Mohali.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o SE,
Water Supply & Sanitation,
Pb, Chandigarh.

...Respondent

Appeal Case No. 2196 of 2020

PRESENT: Tejinder Singh as for the Appellant
Sh.Sunil Kumar, Xen for the Respondent

ORDER:

The appellant through RTI application dated 28.01.2020 has sought information regarding tender issued from 01.1.2019 to 25.01.2020 – copy of tender register and approved quotations – copy of cash books and vouchers and other information concerning the office of Xen Water Supply & Sanitation Division No.2, SAS Nagar, Mohali. The appellant was asked by the PIO vide letter dated 11.02.2020 & 17.02.202 to deposit requisite fee of Rs.34670/- which the appellant did not deposit and the information not provided after which the appellant filed first appeal with the first appellate authority on dated nil which took no decision on the appeal.

The case first came up for hearing on 09.11.2020 through video conferencing at DAC Patiala. The respondent was present at Chandigarh. The respondent pleaded that since the information being voluminous (weight around 50-60 KG), the appellant was asked vide letter dated 07.07.2020, 17.07.2020, email dated 24.07.202, 04.08.2020, 17.08.2020, 8.09.2020 & 09.10.2020 to collect the information from their office but the appellant did not turn up.

The appellant was absent and telephonically sought adjournment. Since the information was voluminous and weighed a sizable amount, the appellant was directed to collect the information from the office of the PIO by fixing a mutually convenient date and time.

However, if the appellant does not collect the information, the PIO was directed to bring the record to the Commission at the next date of hearing and the appellant to collect the information on that date. This was the final opportunity that was provided to the appellant to collect it from the commission.

Hearing dated 23.11.2020:

The respondent has brought the information and handed over to the appellant. The appellant has received the information and is satisfied.

Since the information has been provided, no further course of action is required. The case is **disposed off and closed.**

Chandigarh
Dated 23.11.2020

Sd/-
(Khushwant Singh)
State Information Commissioner



Sh.Prem Kumar Rattan,
H No-78/8, Park Road,
New Mandi, Dhuri,
Distt.Sangrur..

... Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o ADGP, (NRI Wing),
Phase-7, Mohali.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o ADGP, (NRI Wing),
Phase-7, Mohali.

...Respondent

Appeal Case No. 4048 of 2020

PRESENT: Sh.Sukhdeep Singh, HC for the Respondent

ORDER: The appellant through RTI application dated 22.07.2019 has sought information regarding FIR UID No.1293408 dated 15.03.2018 filed by Sh.Pushpinder Sharma against Sakshi Mehra – counter complaints dated 10.07.2018, 20.07.2018, 18.08.2018, 16.05.2018 of Sakshi Mehra – order of the authority under which complaints were registered – copy of complaints – statement of both parties – statement of witnesses and other information concerning the office of ADGP(NRI Wing), Mohali. The appellant was not provided the information after which the appellant filed first appeal before the First Appellate Authority on 15.09.2019 which took no decision on the appeal.

The case came up first before Sh.Asit Jolly, State Information Commissioner on 27.02.2020. The appellant was absent. The respondent PIO represented by Inspector Veerpal Kaur and ASI Joginder Pal submitted that the information requested by the appellant has already been furnished to the appellant vide letter dated 05.12.2019. The respondent also informed that this RTI application pertains to the same matter regarding which the appellant had filed four other appeals which were pending before State Information Commissioner Sh.Khushwant Singh. The Bench referred this case back to the Hon'ble CIC with a request that it be heard by State Information Commissioner, Sh.Khushwant Singh alongwith the case No.1493/2019, AC-1498/2019, 3492/2019 & 3493/2019 wherein the information requested related to the same matter. Accordingly, the case was allotted to this bench.

The case came up for hearing before this bench on 03.09.2020. The appellant claimed that the PIO has not provided the information. The respondent submitted his reply which was taken on the file of the Commission.

In the reply, it was mentioned that the UID No.1293408 dated 15.03.2018 from Pushpinder Sharma against Sakshi Mehra and counter UID 1424980 dated 10.07.2018, UID 1386288 dated 20.07.2018, UID 1408868 dated 18.08.2018, UID 1333175 dated 16.05.2018 from Sakshi Mehra were all clubbed and after completing the report by Asstt. Director General Police (NRI Wing) Ludhiana, it was sent to Addl. Director General Police (NRI wing) Mohali. Thereafter, FIR No.12 dated 12.03.2019 was registered by Police Station (NRI) Ludhiana city and after completing the enquiry, the case has been presented in the Hon'ble Court for approval of cancellation report.

The appellant wanted the order vide which all the UIDs were clubbed. The PIO was directed to give to the appellant the said document if it existed. If no such documents exists, to give in writing on an affidavit.

Hearing dated 23.11.2020:

The case has come up for hearing today through video conferencing at DAC Sangrur. Due to cancellation of VC, the appellant could not be heard.

The respondent is present at Chandigarh who informed that in compliance with order of the Commission, they have sent an affidavit to the Commission on 23.10.2020. The Commission has received a letter dated 23.10.2020 from the PIO alongwith an affidavit which has been taken on the file of the Commission.

The Commission has also received a copy of letter dated 31.10.2020 from the appellant on 11.11.2020 vide which the appellant has filed objection that no enquiry on the UID No.1293408 dated 15.03.2018 has been conducted and has requested for the copy of order vide which all the UIDs were clubbed.

I have gone through the entire affidavit, the objections raised by the applicant and find that the affidavit filed by the PIO is in line with the previous order and hence there is no further course of action which is required. Affidavit in original is being sent to the appellant as requested and a copy of the same is retained.

The case is **disposed off and closed**.

Chandigarh
Dated 23.11.2020

Sd/-
(Khushwant Singh)
State Information Commissioner

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Mission Road, Pathankot.

... Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o XEN,
Water Supply & Sanitation Division,
Malerkotla.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o SE,
Water Supply & Sanitation,
Sangrur.

... Respondent

Appeal Case No. 1265 of 2020

ORDER:

The appellant through RTI application dated 06.01.2020 has sought information regarding works undertaken/carried out during the period from 06.01.2019 to 06.01.2020 in Sub Division, Dhuri, Sub Division No.1 Malarkotla, Sub Division No.2, Malarkotla – attested copies of work order book in all sub divisions – comparative statements of other work from the office Xen Water Supply & Sanitation Division, Malerkotla. The appellant was not provided the information after which the appellant filed first appeal before the First Appellate Authority on 05.02.2020 which took no decision on the appeal.

The case has come up for hearing today through video conferencing at DAC Sangrur. Due to cancellation of VC by District Administration, the hearing could not take place.

The Commission has received a copy of letter dated 06.10.2020 from the PIO vide which the PIO has sent the information to the appellant. The appellant vide email has informed that he has received the information from the PIO till date.

Since the information has been provided, no further course of action is required. The case is **disposed off and closed**.

Chandigarh
Dated 23.11.2020

Sd/-
(Khushwant Singh)
State Information Commissioner