



Sh. Gurmeet Singh (9464361361)

S/o Sh. Gurdial Singh
R/o Village Phillaur,
Tehsil Khamanoo, Distt. Fatehgarh Sahib

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o Principal, ITI Samrala,
District Ludhiana

First Appellate Authority

O/o Director, Technical Education and
Industrial wing, Head Office, Sector-36 A,
Punjab, Chandigarh

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 3838 of 2020
Heard through CISCO WEBEX

Present: (i) Sh. Gurmeet Singh, the appellant in person.
(ii) For the respondent: Sh. Gurmeet Singh (Group Instructor) (9478660607)

ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated 01.10.2020 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 07.08.2020 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 04.12.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for personal hearing on 24.02.2021 in the Commission but heard through CISCO WEBEX application.
2. Respondent, Sh. Gurmeet Singh states that reply has already been handed over to the appellant (03 pages) dated 21.10.2019 mentioning therein that “ਵਜ਼ੀਫਾ ਸੰਬੰਧਤ ਵਿਭਾਗ ਵਲੋਂ ਸਿੱਧੇ ਤੌਰ ਤੇ ਸਿਧਿਆਰਥੀ ਦੇ ਖਾਤੇ ਵਿੱਚ ਪਾਇਆ ਜਾਂਦਾ ਹੈ”. He added that requisite information relates with office of the Director, Department of Social Justice Empowerment and Minority (Welfare Cell), SCO No. 6-7, Phase-1, SAS Nagar.
3. Appellant, Sh. Gurmeet Singh states that requisite information relates with ਵਜ਼ੀਫਾ (Scholarship) is still pending from the respondent PIO.
4. After hearing both the parties and pursuing the case file, I am of the considered view that respondent PIO, Office of the Director, Department of Social Justice Empowerment and Minority (Welfare Cell), SCO No. 6-7, Phase-1, SAS Nagar be implead as a necessary party in this case. A copy of this order along with RTI application be sent to him through registered post.
5. Appellant, Sh. Gurmeet Singh is advised to represent this case in person on the next date of hearing positively.

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6. To come up on **20.04.2021** at **11:00 A.M.** through **CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties. **Steps to use CISCO WEBEX: Install CISCO Webex->Click on Join Meeting->Enter Meeting Number 1582933632.**

Chandigarh
Dated: 24.02.2021

(Anumit Singh Sodhi)
State Information Commissioner

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Public Information Officer (By Name)
O/o Director, Department of Social
Justice Empowerment and Minority (Welfare Cell),
SCO No. 6-7, Phase-1, SAS Nagar

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Sh. Jasbir Singh (9888296107)

Guru Nanak Nagar,
Village Bolapur, Jhabewal,
Post Office, Ramgarh,
District Ludhiana-141123

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o State Transport Commissioner,
Punjab, Chandigarh

First Appellate Authority

O/o State Transport Commissioner,
Punjab, Chandigarh

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 3580 of 2020
Heard through CISCO WEBEX

Present:

- (i) Sh. Jasbir Singh, the appellant in person.
(ii) For the respondent: Ms. Kulwinder Kaur (PIO) (9779624022)

ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated 25.08.2020 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 30.09.2020 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 18.11.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for personal hearing on 24.02.2021 in the Commission but heard through CISCO WEBEX application.
2. Appellant, Sh. Jasbir Singh states that incomplete information has been supplied to him in connection with point no. 2.
3. On this, respondent, Ms. Kulwinder Kaur states that RTI application replies as per RTI application dated 25.08.2020 was sent to the appellant twice dated 07.01.2021 and 02.02.2021. She added that pending information in connection with point no. 2 relates with the office of S.S. Service Provider, 37, Model Town, Patiala.
4. After hearing both the parties and examining the case file, one more opportunity is given to the respondent PIO to collect the pending information from the concerned office and supply it to the appellant within fifteen days after receipt of this order. Both the parties are advised to represent this case to clear the facts on the next date of hearing, failing to which case will be decided on merit basis.
5. To come up on **20.04.2021 at 11:00 A.M.** through **CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties. **Steps to use CISCO WEBEX: Install CISCO Webex->Click on Join Meeting->Enter Meeting Number 1582933632.**

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Sh. Jasbir Singh (9888296107)

Guru Nanak Nagar,
Village Bolapur, Jhabewal,
Post Office, Ramgarh,
District Ludhiana-141123

Versus

Appellant

(Regd. Post)

Public Information Officer
O/o State Transport Commissioner,
Punjab, Chandigarh

Encl. Copy of an email dated 21.02.2021 of the appellant.

First Appellate Authority

O/o State Transport Commissioner,
Punjab, Chandigarh

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 3842 of 2020
Heard through CISCO WEBEX

Present: (i) Sh. Jasbir Singh, the appellant in person.
(ii) For the respondent: Ms. Kulwinder Kaur (PIO) (9779624022)

ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated 31.08.2020 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 05.10.2020 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 04.12.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for personal hearing on 24.02.2021 in the Commission but heard through CISCO WEBEX application.
2. Appellant, Sh. Jasbir Singh states that incomplete information has been supplied to him. He added that he has sent an email regarding the deficiencies in the supplied information.
3. On this, respondent, Ms. Kulwinder Kaur states that RTI application replies as per RTI application dated 25.08.2020 was sent to the appellant twice dated 26.11.2020 and 02.02.2021.
4. After hearing both the parties and examining the case file, it is observed that an email dated 21.02.2021 was received from the appellant by the undersigned bench through which appellant pointed out deficiencies in the supplied information, which is taken on record.

One more opportunity is given to the respondent PIO to remove the deficiencies as per RTI application within fifteen days after receipt of this order. A copy of this order be sent to him along with copy of an email dated 21.02.2021 sent by the appellant for his ready reference through registered post. Both the parties are advised to represent this case to clear the facts on the next date of hearing, failing to which case will be decided on merit basis.

5. To come up on **20.04.2021 at 11:00 A.M.** through **CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties. **Steps to use CISCO WEBEX: Install CISCO Webex->Click on Join Meeting->Enter Meeting Number 1582933632.**

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District Ludhiana-141123

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o State Transport Commissioner
Punjab, Chandigarh

First Appellate Authority

O/o State Transport Commissioner
Punjab, Chandigarh

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 4050 of 2020
Heard through CISCO WEBEX

Present:

- (i) Sh. Jasbir Singh, the appellant in person.
(ii) For the respondent: Ms. Kulwinder Kaur (PIO) (9779624022)

ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated 28.09.2020 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 30.10.2020 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 15.12.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for personal hearing on 24.02.2021 in the Commission but heard through CISCO WEBEX application.
2. In today's hearing, respondent, Ms. Kulwinder Kaur states that requisite information has been sent to the appellant through registered post yesterday i.e. 23.02.2021. She submits a copy of the supplied information to the Commission vide letter no. 5582 dated 23.02.2021, which is taken on record.
3. Appellant, Sh. Jasbir Singh is present for today's hearing.
4. After hearing the respondent and pursuing the case file, it is observed that copy of supplied information was also received through an email dated 24.02.2021 from the respondent PIO. Appellant is advised to go through the supplied information and point out the specific deficiency, if any, in writing within ten days, once he had received the registry from the respondent under the intimation to the Commission.

Both the parties are advised to represent this case to clear the facts on the next date of hearing, failing to which case will be decided on merit basis.

5. To come up on **20.04.2021 at 11:00 A.M.** through **CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties. **Steps to use CISCO WEBEX: Install CISCO Webex->Click on Join Meeting->Enter Meeting Number 1582933632.**

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District Ludhiana-141123

Appellant

Versus

(Regd. Post) Sh. Sundeep (RTO-cum-PIO)
O/o Secretary, Regional Transport Authority,
Ludhiana

First Appellate Authority

O/o Secretary, Regional Transport Authority,
Ludhiana

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 3772 of 2020
Heard through CISCO WEBEX

Present: (i) Sh. Jasbir Singh, the appellant in person.
(ii) For the respondent: Sh. Amardeep Singh (Clerk) (9878977003).

ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated 04.09.2020 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 09.09.2020 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 02.12.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for personal hearing on 17.02.2021 in the Commission but heard through CISCO WEBEX application.
2. Respondent, Sh. Amardeep Singh states that another case (Appeal Case 3845 of 2020) is pending before the Hon'ble Chief Information Commissioner fixed for 09.03.2021 and requested to close this case.
3. On this, appellant, Sh. Jasbir Singh states that both are different cases and requested the Commission to supply the requisite information in the present case.
4. After hearing both the parties and examining the case files of the present case (Appeal Case No. 3772 of 2020) and another case (Appeal Case 3845 of 2020), it is observed that RTI applications are different in both the cases. Respondent PIO is directed to supply the requisite information to the appellant before the next date of hearing positively. A copy of this order be sent to the respondent PIO through registered post by name for his ready reference.
6. To come up on **20.04.2021 at 11:00 A.M.** through **CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties. **Steps to use CISCO WEBEX: Install CISCO Webex->Click on Join Meeting->Enter Meeting Number 1582933632.**

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Ms. Manjit Kaur (9357271895)

D/o Sh. Bal Krishan
R/o Bhadson, Tehsil Nabha,
District Patiala

Complainant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o Rayat Bahra Group of Institutes,
Bhedpura Campus, Patiala

Respondent

Complaint Case No.: 906 of 2020

Heard through CISCO WEBEX

Present: (i) Ms. Manjit Kaur, the complainant in person.
(ii) None on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated 12.09.2020 whereby the information-seeker has sought information as mentioned in his RTI application. He filed complaint in the Commission on 04.12.2020 under Section 18 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 24.02.2021 through hearing in the Commission but heard through CISCO Webex application.
2. Complainant, Ms. Manjit Kaur states that requisite information is still pending from the respondent PIO.
3. Respondent PIO is not present for today's hearing.
4. After hearing the complainant and pursuing the case file, one more opportunity is given to the respondent PIO to represent this case on the next date of hearing to clear the facts of this case along with advice to supply the reply/information to the complainant as per RTI application, failing to which action as per RTI Act, 2005 will be initiated against him. A copy of this order be sent to him through registered post for his ready reference.
5. To come up on **20.04.2021 at 11:00 A.M.** through **CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties. **Steps to use CISCO WEBEX: Install CISCO Webex->Click on Join Meeting->Enter Meeting Number 1582933632.**

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Note: After the hearing was over, an email dated 24.02.2021 was received from the respondent PIO from email ID bgoipta@gmail.com stating that he was unable to represent this case through CISCO Webex connectivity issue.

The case stands adjourned on **20.04.2021 (at 11.00 AM)** for further proceedings through CISCO Webex.

Chandigarh
Dated: 24.02.2021

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