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 Shri. Bharat Bhushan Verma,

House No. 22 , GH 10, Sector 20,

Panchkula. ……Appellant

 Vs.

Public Information Officer,

O/o Chief Administrator, GMADA, Mohali.

First Appellant Authority,

 Estate Officer, GMADA, Mohali. ……. Respondents

**Appeal Case No. 24 of 2018**

Present:- None present.

ORDER

 The appellant, Shri Bharat Bhushsan Verma is absent without any intimation to the Commission. He was also absent on last dates of hearings i.e. 22.02.2018 and 15.03.2018 and today is his third absence.

 None is present on behalf of respondent PIO office of GMADA, Mohali. The Commission has received mail dated 15.03.2018 diary No.5377 sent by the Administrative Officer of GMADA which is letter dated 14.03.2018 bearing No. 714 through which the information was sent to the appellant. The said letter is taken on file of the Commission.

 I have gone through the letter and the information was provided to the appellant. The appellant has not come present to state as to whether he has satisfied with the information provided to him by the PIO. It means he is satisfied that is why he has not come present. So the present Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed.**

 Sd/-

  **(Avtar Singh Kaler)**

**Dated: 24.04.2018. State Information Commissioner, Punjab**

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 Shri. Sharanjeet Singh, S/o Jagbir Singh,

 R/o Dhani Kundan Singh, VPO Sham Kot,

Tehsil Malout, Distt. Sri. Muktsar Sahib-152115.

M : 9779013418. ……Appellant

 Vs.

Public Information Officer,

O/o BDPO, Malout, Distt. Sri. Muktsar Sahib.

First Appellant Authority,

O/o DDPO, Sri. Muktsar Sahib. ……. Respondents

**Appeal Case No. 21 of 2018**

Present:- None on behalf of appellant.

 Shri Kulwinder Singh Randhawa, PIO-cum-BDPO, Maout.

ORDER

 Shri Sharanjeet Singh, appellant is absent without any intimation to the Commission.

 Shri Kulwinder Singh Randhawa, PIO-cum-BDPO, Malout is present in the Commission and he stated that the information was provided to the appellant. I have gone through the information and the RTI application dated 11-06-2015 filed by the appellant and I am not satisfied with the information provided by the respondent to the appellant.

 The respondent PIO is directed to provide the complete attested information to the appellant within a week and get receipt from the appellant that he has received the information.

 The PIO-cum-BDPO, Malout should personally come present on the next date of hearing along with copy of information and file reply to the show cause notice through duly attested affidavit.

 Both the parties are directed to come present before the Commission on the next date of hearing on **22-05-2018 at 11:00 AM.**

 Sd/-

  **(Avtar Singh Kaler)**

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Shri Sarmail Singh, S/o Shri. Butta Singh,

 R/o Village Raniwala, Tehsil Malout,

Distt. Shri Muktsar Sahib. …….Appellant

Public Information Officer,

O/o BDPO, Malout,

Distt. Sri Muktsar Sahib.

First Appellant Authority,

O/o DDPO, Sri Muktsar Sahib. …....Respondent

**Appeal Case No. 2787 of 2017**

Present:- Shri Sarrnail Singh, appellant, in person.

 Shri Kulwinder Singh Randhawa, PIO-cum-BDPO, Malout, Distt. Sri Muktsar Sahib.

ORDER

 Shri Kulwinder Singh Randhawa, PIO-cum-BDPO, Malout is present and provided the information to the appellant by hand, today. The appellant had gone through the information and he is satisfied with the information provided to him.

 I had issued show cause notice to the PIO-cum-BDPO, Malout. I have heard the PIO- cum -BDPO, Malout and he stated that he had joined as BDPO at Malout on 15.03.2018 whereas the RTI application was filed on 16.05.2017. So at that time, Shri Kulwinder Singh Randhawa was not the PIO so a show cause notice issued to him is dropped and filed and as the information is provided to the appellant. So the present Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed.**

 Sd/-

  **(Avtar Singh Kaler)**

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 Shri Sunil Mallan (Adv) Booth

No.14-B Sec-47-C, Chandigarh(160047)

M: 9814096353 . ……Appellant

 Vs.

Public Information Officer,

O/o DC Fazilka.

First Appellate Authority,

 O/o DC Fazilka. ……. Respondents

 **Appeal Case No. 3621 of 2017**

Present:- None on behalf of appellant.

 On behalf of the PIOs the Following persons are present:-

1. Shri Dalip Singh, ASI (184 Fazilka) on behalf of SSP, Fazilka.
2. Shri Harmeet Singh, on behalf of DC, Fazilka and SDM, Jalalabad.
3. Shri Jaswinder Singh, Data Entry Operator is present on behalf of SDM, Fazilka and Motor Vehicle Inspector Ferozepur.
4. Shri Kulwinder Singh on behalf of SDM, Abohar and Commission received mail sent by District Education Officer, Fazilka.

ORDER

 I have gone through the order dated 19.03.2018 and most of the information was already provided to the appellant and the appellant was directed to visit the office of PIOs on 11.04.2018 at 10:00 AM for inspection of the concerned records. But incompliance of the order passed by the Commission, the appellant has not visited the office of PIOs for inspection of the concerned record and a last & final opportunity was granted to the appellant but he fail to comply with the direction of the Commission. Whereas, the concerned employees on behalf of PIOs of different departments are coming present on dates of hearing.

 The appellant was also absent on the last date of hearing and has not come present today and neither he visited the office of PIOs for making the inspection so the appellant is not interested in perusing his Appeal Case. So the present Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed.**

 Sd/-

  **(Avtar Singh Kaler)**

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M: 9814096353 ……Appellant

 Vs.

Public Information Officer,

O/o DC Siri Mukatsar Sahib.

First Appellate Authority,

 O/o DC Siri Mukatsar Sahib. ……. Respondents

**Appeal Case No. 3630 of 2017**

Present:- None on behalf of appellant.

 Shri Nachhatar Singh, Superintendent on behalf of PIO.

ORDER

 Shri Sunil Mallan, appellant is absent without any intimation to the Commission.

 Shri Nachhatar Singh, Superintendent on behalf of PIO is present and stated that the sought information was sent to the appellant through registered post on 11.04.2018 through letter no. 291 and presented copy of information sent to the appellant by the PIO.

 The appellant has not come present, whereas, the PIO has provided him the information sought by him through his RTI application. So the present Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed.**

 Sd/-

 **(Avtar Singh Kaler)**

**Dated: 24.04.2018. State Information Commissioner, Punjab**

**PUNJAB STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION,**

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Shri D C Gupta, IDAS (Retd.),

# 778, Urban Estate, Phase-I,

Patiala-147002. ……Appellant

 Vs.

Public Information Officer,

O/o PSPCL, The Mall, Patiala.

First Appellant Authority O/o

 Chief Engineer (South Zone), PSPCL,

The Mall Road, Patiala. ……. Respondents

**Appeal Case No. 3640 of 2017**

Present:- None on behalf of appellant.

 Shri Bhupinder Singh, PIO-cum-SE o/o PSPCL, Patiala.

ORDER

 Shri D C Gupta, appellant is absent without any intimation to the Commission. He was also absent on the last dates of hearings i.e. 20.02.2018 and 19.03.2018.

 Today, Shri Bhupinder Singh, PIO-cum-SE, is present and he stated that the information sought by the appellant was sent to him on 20.02.2018 and presented copy of information and postal receipt dated 21.02.2018 are taken on the file of the Commission.

 The PIO had provided the information to the appellant but the appellant is absent and not coming present. So I am satisfied with the information provided to the appellant and the PIO resolved the matter involved in the RTI application. So the present Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed.**

Sd/-

 **(Avtar Singh Kaler)**

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Shri Rajesh Kumar, S/o Shri. Babu Ram,

R/o 2040/9B, Jain Nagar, Shivpuri, Ludhiana.

M :7837744724 ……Appellant

 Vs.

Public Information Officer,

O/o Secretary, Youth Services & Sports Department,

PB, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o Secretary, Youth Services & Sports Department,

 PB, Chandigarh. ……. Respondents

**Appeal Case No. 3641 of 2017**

Present:- None on behalf of appellant.

 Smt. Kamaljeet Kaur, Senior Assistant is present on behalf of PIO.

Order

 The respondent today provided the information to the appellant by hand before the Commission and the appellant had filed duly signed written submission dated 24.04.2018 that he has received the information and he is satisfied. So the present Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed.**

Sd/-

 **(Avtar Singh Kaler)**

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Shri. Rohit Sabharwal (President),

Kundan Bhawan, 126, Model Gram,

Ludhiana. ……Appellant

 Vs.

Public Information Officer,

O/o DDPO, Ludhiana.

First Appellant Authority,

O/o DDPO, Ludhiana. ……. Respondents

**Appeal Case No. 19 of 2018**

Present:- None present.

 Shri Rohit Sabharwal, appellant is absent, today. He was also absent on 22.02.2018 and 19.03.2018. The Commission received a mail sent by the appellant and the mail is taken on file of the Commission. It has been submitted in the mail that the information was provided by the respondent and he has further submitted that the information was provided too late and requested to issue show cause notice to the PIO.

 As the PIO has provided the information to the appellant and resolved the matter involved in the RTI application. So the present Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed.**

Sd/-

 **(Avtar Singh Kaler)**

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Shri Jagdeep Singh, S/o Shri Pala Singh,

Village Paharpur, Tehsil & Distt Patiala.

M : 9592916666. ………Appellant

 Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o BDPO, Patiala.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o DDPO, Patiala. ……. Respondents

**Appeal Case No. 410 of 2018**

Present:-Shri Jagdeep Singh, appellant in person.

None is present on behalf of PIO-cum- BDPO, (Shri Vaneet Sharma) Patiala.

ORDER

 The appellant filed RTI application dated 07-12-2017 and sought information regarding Gram Panchayat, Paharpur and as stated by the appellant the PIO has not provided him the information till today.

 The pendency of the appeal case is in the knowledge of PIO-cum-BDPO, Patiala as the DDPO, Patiala wrote a letter dated 27.02.2018 to BDPO, Patiala for his appearance on 20.03.2018 but he had not come present and neither had he provided the information.

 The conduct of the PIO amounts to denial of information and defiance of the provisions of the RTI Act. So a show cause notice is issued to the PIO that why you have not provided the information to the appellant within the stipulated period and so why you may not be penalized under Section 20 of the RTI Act.

 The PIO should personally present on the next date of hearing and file reply to the show cause notice through duly attested affidavit and an opportunity of personal hearing will be afforded to him on the next date of hearing. The PIO should provide the information to the appellant before the next date of hearing.

 Both the parties will come present before the Commission for further hearing on **22-05-2018 at 11:00 AM.**

Sd/-

 **(Avtar Singh Kaler)**

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Shri Satish Kumar Bhiri, Advocate, Near Nehru

Park, Jaitu, Distt Faridkot. 151202.

M : 9417612036. ………Appellant

 Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o BDPO Block Jaitu,

Distt Faridkot.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o BDPO, Bathinda Road, Jaitu,

Distt. Faridkot. ……. Respondents

**Appeal Case No. 420 of 2018**

Present:- None on behalf of appellant.

 Shri Jagtar Singh, Panchayat Secretary on behalf of PIO-cum-BDPO, Block Jaitu.

ORDER

 Shri Satish Kumar Bhiri, appellant is absent without any intimation to the Commission. He was also absent on the last date of hearing on 20.03.2018

 Shri Jagtar Singh, Panchayat Secretary is present and stated that the attested copies of information was sent to the appellant through registered post on 18.04.2018. In compliance with the order passed by the Commission.

 A direction was issued to the appellant to come present on the next date of hearing otherwise it will be presumed that the appellant is received the information and he is satisfied and his case will be heard and decided in his absence on the basis of information sent to him by the PIO.

 I have gone through the RTI application and the copy of information which is with the respondent. The PIO has resolved the matter and provided the information to the appellant. So the present Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed.**

Sd/-

 **(Avtar Singh Kaler)**

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Shri. Parveen Kumar, S/o Shri. Babu Ram,

R/o Arniwala Waziran, PO. Phul Khera, Tehsil

Malout, Distt. Sri Muktsar Sahib.

M :9530991083. ………Appellant

 Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o BDPO, Malout, Distt. Siri. Muktsar Sahib.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o BDPO, Malout, Sri. Muktsar Sahib. ……. Respondents

**Appeal Case No. 440 of 2018**

 Present:- None on behalf of appellant.

 Shri Kulwinder Singh Randhawa, PIO-cum-BDPO, Malout is present.

ORDER

 Shri Parveen Kumar, appellant is absent without any intimation to the Commission.

 Shri Kulwinder Singh Randhawa, PIO-cum-BDPO, Malout is present. He stated that he has come present along with attested copies of information but the appellant is absent. So the PIO is directed that the attested copies of complete information as sought by the appellant in RTI application dated 06.09.2017 be provided to the appellant within a week and get receipt from the appellant that he has received the information and he is satisfied.

 Both the parties will come present before the Commission for further hearing on **22-05-2018 at 11:00 AM.**

Sd/-

 **(Avtar Singh Kaler)**

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Shri. Parveen Kumar, S/o Shri. Babu Ram,

R/o Arniwala Waziran, PO. Phul Khera, Tehsil

Malout, Distt. Sri Muktsar Sahib.

M :9530991083. ………Appellant

 Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o BDPO, Malout, Distt. Siri. Muktsar Sahib.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o BDPO, Malout, Sri. Muktsar Sahib. ……. Respondents

**Appeal Case No. 441 of 2018**

 Present:- None on behalf of appellant.

 Shri Kulwinder Singh Randhawa, PIO-cum-BDPO, Malout is present.

ORDER

 Shri Parveen Kumar, appellant is absent without any intimation to the Commission.

 Shri Kulwinder Singh Randhawa, PIO-cum-BDPO, Malout is present. He stated that he has come present along with attested copies of information but the appellant is absent. So the PIO is directed that the attested copies of complete information as sought by the appellant in RTI application dated 16.08.2017 be provided to the appellant within a week and get receipt from the appellant that he has received the information and he is satisfied.

 Both the parties will come present before the Commission for further hearing on **22-05-2018 at 11:00 AM.**

Sd/-

 **(Avtar Singh Kaler)**

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Shri Jang Bahadur, S/o Shri Jai Chand,

 R/o Mandi Ameenganj, Raora Wali,

Tehsil and District Fazilka. M 9876818803. ………Appellant

 Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o BDPO , Jalalbad (West), Distt Fazilka.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o DDPO, Fazilka. ……. Respondents

**Appeal Case No. 442 of 2018**

Present:- **None present.**

ORDER

 Shri Jang Bahadur, appellant is absent without any intimation to the Commission. He was also absent on the last date of hearing.

 None on behalf of PIO-cum-BDPO, Jalalabad. I have gone through the RTI application dated 06.10.2017 and he has sought information regarding Gram Panchayat, Mandi Ameen Ganj Roranwala.

 So a direction is issued to the PIO-cum- BDPO, Jalalabad that attested copies of information be sent to the appellant through registered post within 10 days and come present on the next date of hearing along with another attested copies of information and in case, the PIO-cum- BDPO, Jalalabad would not come present and not provided the information then a show cause notice will be issued to him on the next date of hearing.

 Both the parties will come present before the Commission for further hearing on **22-05-2018 at 11:00 AM.**

Sd/-

 **(Avtar Singh Kaler)**

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Shri Sham Sunder, C-85, New Cantt Road,

Faridkot.M : 8146032240 ………Appellant

 Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o SSP , Fazilka.

First Appellant Authority,

O/o SSP, Fazilka. ……. Respondents

**Appeal Case No. 447 of 2018**

Present:- None on behalf of appellant.

 Shri Dalip Singh, ASI (184) on behalf of PIO office of SSP, Fazilka.

 Shri Sham Sunder, appellant is absent without any intimation to the Commission.

 Shri Dalip Singh, ASI (184) on behalf of PIO office of SSP, Fazilka is present. He stated that the complete information has been provided to the appellant and presented a receipt dated 18.04.2018 duly signed by the appellant that he has received the information and requested for closer of the case and receipt taken on the file of the Commission. As the PIO provided the information to the appellant. So the present Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed.**

Sd/-

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Shri H.S.Hundal,

Chamber No. 82, District Courts,

S.A.S.Nagar 3 B 1, 160059. . ……Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer,**

O/o Secretary, Local Government,

Punjab Civil Secretariat,

Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority

o/o Secretary, Local Government,

Punjab Civil Secretariat, Chandigarh.

PIO-o/o Commissioner,

Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana.

Shri Vijay Kumar,

Asstt. Town Planner-cum-PIO,

o/o Commissioner, Municipal Corporation,

Ludhiana. ` ...Respondent

**Appeal Case No. 1392 of 2017**

Present:- None present.

ORDER

 Shri H.S. Hundal, appellant is absent without any intimation to the Commission.

 None is present on behalf of PIO office of Secretary Local Govt. Punjab.

 I have gone through the orders dated 28.02.2018 and 20.03.2018 and a direction was issued to the PIO that in case the information is not available in the office of PIO then he should submit affidavit but incompliance to the order, the PIO has not submitted the affidavit and neither he come present.

 So a show cause notice is issued to the PIO that why you have not provided the information within the stipulated period. So why you may not be penalized. The PIO should personally come present and file reply to the show cause notice through duly attested affidavit and in case, the PIO would not come present then arrest warrants will be issued.

 Both the parties will come present before the Commission for further hearing on **22-05-2018 at 11:00 AM.**

 Sd/-

 **(Avtar Singh Kaler)**

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Shri Inderjeet Singh S/o Shri Shangara Singh,

VPO Chhaurian, Block Sri Machhiwara Sahib,

Tehsil Samrala, Distt Ludhiana. 141121. ………Appellant

 Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o BDPO, Machhiwara Sahib, Tehsil Samrala,

 Distt Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o DDPO ,Ludhiana. ……. Respondents

**Appeal Case No. 460 of 2018**

Present:- None on behalf of appellant.

 Shri Sukhwinder Singh, Pancayat Secretary, present on behalf of the Respondent/PIO-BDPO, Machhiwara Sahib, District Ludhiana.

O R D E R

 Shri Inderjeet Singh appellant is absent without any intimation to the Commission.

 Shri Sukhwinder Singh, Panchayat Secretary is present on behalf of PIO-cum-BDPO, Machhiwara and he submitted a letter dated 23.04.2018 bearing no. 1224 sent by PIO-cum-BDPO, Machhiwara along with an application dated 18.04.2018 duly signed by Shri Inderjeet Singh, appellant. Both the papers are taken on file of the Commission.

 I have gone through the letter and he submitted in the application that the appellant is satisfied and he do not want to pursue his appeal case. So his appeal case may kindly be filed and disposed of. So the present Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed.**

 Sd/-

 **(Avtar Singh Kaler)**

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Shri Maninder Singh, Village Bungal, PO Badgani,

Tehsil & Distt Pathankot.M : 9915178788 ………Appellant

 Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o BDPO, Sujanpur, Distt Pathankot.

First Appellate Authority,

 O/o BDPO, Sujanpur, Distt Pathankot. ……. Respondents

**Appeal Case No. 488 of 2018**

Present:- None on behalf of appellant.

 Shri Joginder Singh, Panchayat Secretary on behalf of the Respondent/PIO- BDPO, Sujanpur, District Pathankot.

ORDER

 Shri Joginder Singh, Panchayat Secretary. He submitted a letter dated 23.04.2018 along with a receipt duly signed by Shri Maninder Singh appellant that he has received the information and he is satisfied. The papers are taken on file of the Commission. As the PIO has provided the information. So the present Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed.**

 Sd/-

 **(Avtar Singh Kaler)**

**Dated: 24.04.2018. State Information Commissioner, Punjab**

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Shri Sawinder Singh, S/o Shri Bal Singh,

PO Shutrana, Tehsil Patran, Distt Patiala. 147105.

M : 9417924772. ………Complainant.

 Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o BDPO, Patran, Distt Patiala. ……. Respondents

**Complaint Case No. 118 of 2018**

Present:- Shri Sawinder Singh, appellant, in person.

 None present on behalf of the Respondent/PIO-BDPO, Patran, District Patiala.

ORDER

 The complainant has filed RTI application dated 21.11.2017 and sought information regarding Gram Panchayat, Shutrana and stated that no information has been provided by the PIO.

 The conduct of the PIO amounts to denial of information and defiance of the provisions of the RTI Act.

 So a show cause notice is issued to **the PIO-cum-BDPO, Patran** that why you have not provided the information to the complainant within the stipulated period and so why you may not be penalized under Section 20 of the RTI Act.

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**Dated: 24.04.2018. State Information Commissioner, Punjab**

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Shri Sawinder Singh, S/o Shri Bal Singh,

PO Shutrana, Tehsil Patran, Distt Patiala. 147105.

M : 9417924772 ………Complainant

 Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o BDPO, Patran, Distt Patiala. ……. Respondents

**Complaint Case No. 138 of 2018**

Present:- Shri Sawinder Singh, appellant, in person.

 None present on behalf of the Respondent/PIO-BDPO, Patran, District Patiala.

ORDER

 The complainant has filed RTI application dated 21.11.2017 and sought information regarding Gram Panchayat, Shutrana and stated that no information has been provided by the PIO.

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Shri DC Gupta, IDAS (Retd.), H.No. 778,

Urban Estate, Phase-1, Patiala-147002. …….Appellant

 Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o PDA, Urban Estate, Patiala.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o PDA, Urban Estate, Phase -2, Patiala. ……. Respondents

**Appeal Case No. 662 of 2018**

Present:- None on behalf of appellant.

 Shri Davinder Kumar, APIO on behalf of the Respondent/PIO-PDA, Patiala.

O R D E R

 I have gone through the order dated 03.04.2018 the information was sent to the appellant through registered post on 14.03.2018 and as the appellant was absent on 03.04.2018 so the another opportunity was granted to the appellant to come present and to state that whether he is satisfied with information and in case he would not come present the case will be heard and decided in his absence on the basis of information provided to him by the PIO.

 That inspite of the directions issued to the appellant he had not come present today before the Commission and he was also absent on the last date of hearing i.e. 03.04.2018. Whereas, the information was sent to him on 14.03.2018. The PIO as provided the information to the appellant and resolved the matter involved in the RTI application. So the present Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed.**

Sd/-

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 Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o DDPO, Fazilka.

First Appellant Authority,

O/o DDPO, Fazilka. ..Respondent

**Appeal Case No. 2620 of 2017**

Present::- Shri Gautam Lal, on behalf of appellant Shri Raj Kumar is present.

 None on behalf of the Respondent/PIO-DDPO, Fazilka.

ORDER

 None on behalf of PIO-cum- DDPO, Fazilka whereas, on the last date of hearing Shri Nishan Singh, JE was present.

 I have gone through order dated 20.03.2018 and a direction was issued to the respondent that attested copies of cashbook for the period from 2009 to 2013 and resolutions for the period from 2007 to 2013 and copy of patanamas be provided to the appellant within 15 days but no one has come present on behalf of PIO. Whereas the authorized person Mr. Gautam Lal stated that the PIO has not provided the above said information to the appellant.

 The conduct of the PIO amounts to denial of information and defiance of the provisions of the RTI Act.

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