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Sh. Harwinder Singh
s/o Sh. Nirvar Singh
H.No. 158, Near Ganga Singh Haveli,
Abadi Patti Mansoor,
Village Sultanwind, Amritsar 143006
9501004812

..appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
o/o Tehsildar, Amritsar-1,
Amritsar

For Compliance

First Appellate Authority,
o/o Sub Divisional Magistrate,
Amritsar-1, Amritsar

For Compliance

..Respondents

Appeal Case No. 3136 of 2022
(Video Conference Proceedings)

Present: Sh. Harwinder Singh, appellant.
Ms. Jaskirat Kaur (M. 8847490196), on behalf of the respondent PIO.
None on behalf of the FAA.

Order

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 8.8.2022 vide which the representative of the PIO requested the Commission to adjourn the case for one week to file the reply/supply of the information. The case was adjourned and fixed for hearing for today i.e. 24.8.2022.

2. The appellant states that no information regarding copy of Parat Sarkar pertaining to Intkal No. 37223 Tehsil Amritsar-1 has been provided by the respondent PIO so far.

3. The Public Information Officer has sent a letter dated 23.8.2022 to the Commission which is taken on record. The representative of the PIO reiterated the written submissions that Parat Sarkar of Intkal no. 37223 Tehsil Amritsar-1 is not traceable inspite of the efforts made to search the same by Office Kanoogo staff. She further states that a separate letter will be written to Deputy Commissioner by the PIO within two days to obtain the further orders pertaining to the said matter.

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4. None is present on behalf of the FAA. The FAA was sent notice of hearing and a copy of order dated 8.8.2022 through registered post. After perusal of the case file it is ascertained that FAA has not passed any order pertaining to this case. Thus, he has not fulfilled his duty as per the provisions of the RTI Act. Therefore, he is given another opportunity to take action as per the provisions of the RTI Act.

5. In view of the above, the respondent PIO is directed to file submissions with regard to the verbal statement made by the representative of the respondent PIO before the next date of hearing. Accordingly, the case is adjourned. A copy of letter dated 23.8.2022 so received from the respondent PIO is being **sent** to the appellant along with this order.

6. To come up on 30.8.2022 at 3.30 P.M. to be heard through video conference facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Amritsar.

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Dated 24.8.2022

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Sh. Inderpal Singh, (M: 7986903363),
F-13/167, Friends Colony,
Majitha Road, Amritsar.

....Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer
O/o Improvement Trust, Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o EO Improvement Trust,
Amritsar.

Sh. Kulwinder Singh, S/o Sh. Hardeep Singh,
2, Sultanwind Road, Prime Roses School,
Guru Nanak Nagar, Distt. Amritsar.
M - 8567007001

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 4830 of 2021
(Video Conference Proceedings)

Present:- None on behalf of the appellant.
Sh. Montu Kumar on behalf of the respondents and Sh. Kulwinder Singh 3rd party.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 8.8.2022 vide which Sh. Kulwinder Singh 3rd party requested the Commission to adjourn the case to file his submissions. Accordingly, the case was adjourned and fixed for today.

2. That Sh. Kulwinder Singh, 3rd party has submitted his submissions and complied with the Commission's Order. The submissions so received from 3rd party is taken on record. The order in this case is 'Reserved' and will be pronounced later.

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Dated 24.8.2022

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Satish Bahadur, Advocate,
Chamber No. 121-22,
District Court, Complex,
Fazilka.(M 9877165156)

--Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
o/o Principal, Satyam College for Women,
Village Sayadwala, Tehsil Abohar,
Distt. Fazilka.

First Appellate Authority,
o/o DPI (College), Pb. Chandigarh.

---Respondents

Appeal Case No. 2074 of 2022
(Video Conference Proceedings)

Present: Sh. Kameshwar Gumbar, advocate representative of the appellant.
None on behalf of the respondents.

Order

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 18.8.2022 vide which the PIO was directed to submit the original record/ concerned file with this case before the Commission. The case was adjourned and fixed for hearing today i.e. 24.8.2022 .

2. The respondent PIO is absent today. The case is adjourned.
3. To come up on 09.9.2022 at 12.30 PM to be heard at video conference facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Fazilka for the appellant and respondent is directed to send his authorised representative with the original file to Chandigarh. It is further directed that respondent Public Information Officer is to attend the hearing at Fazilka.

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Dated 24.8.2022

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Sh. Raminder Mohan Singh,
(M9888510677)
#12-C, Model Town Extension, Ludhiana.

Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
o/o Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,
o/o Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana.

Public Information Officer,
o/o A.D.C.(UD), Ludhiana.

Respondents

Appeal CaseNo. 3414 of 2022
(Video Conference Proceedings)

Present: None on behalf of the appellant.
Sh. Ranjit Singh, S.K. Branch o/o D.C. Ludhiana.
Sh. Divleen Singh, Executive Engineer o/o GLADA.(9915030005)

Order

The RTI application is dated 12.3.2022 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter called FAA) on 27.4.2022 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 22.7.2022.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today i.e. 24.8.2022.

2. The representative of the respondent o/o GLADA states that complaint of the appellant relates to o/o ADC(UD) and the same was transferred to office of ADC(UD). But now again after the reshuffling of responsibilities, the action will be taken by GLADA. Also the status of the letter no. 5992 dated 16.9.2021 will be provided to the appellant before the next date of hearing.

3. The representative of the S.K. Branch o/o Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana states that the status of letter no. 4149-54 dated 25.4.2019 will also be provided to the appellant before the next date of hearing.

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Appeal Case No. 3414 of 2022

4. After hearing the respondents and going through the RTI application it is noticed that the point no. 2 and 3 are not maintainable as per provisions of the RTI Act.

6. That the respondent PIO of o/o Deputy Commissioner and GLADA are hereby, directed to file their response before the next date of hearing.

7. To come up on 23.9.2022 at 12.30 PM to be heard through video Conference available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana.

Dated 24.8.2022

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(Suresh Arora)

Chief information Commissioner, Punjab

**D.R.O. cum Public Information Officer,
o/o Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana**

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Sh. Tarsem Singh, Ex-Subedar,
President Gram Vikas Society (Regd.),
Khanpur, Tehsil Baba Bakala Sahib,
Distt. Amritsar.
(M: 9915097137).

....Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer
O/o Tehsildar, Baba Bakala,
Distt. Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o SDM, Baba Bakala,
Distt. Amritsar.

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1236 of 2022
(Video Conference Proceedings)

Present: Sh. Tarsem Singh, appellant.
None on behalf of the respondents.

Order

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 21.7.2022.

2. None is present on behalf of the respondents. But the Commission has received a letter of respondent PIO on 22.7.2022 which is taken on record. The respondents have written that letters dated 16.9.2019, 30.9.2019 and 10.12.2019 have not been received as per the record of the office.

3. The appellant states that the above said letter were diarized in the office of the respondent PIO.

4. Keeping in view of the above, the appellant is hereby, directed to send the said letters /record to the Commission before the next date of hearing.

5. To come up on 23.9.2022 at 12.30 PM to be heard through video Conference available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Amritsar.

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Dated 24.8.2022
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Sh. S.K. Chaudhary, (M 9878182001)
Chamber No. 372,
New Court Complex, Jalandhar.

Complainant

vs

Public Information Officer,
o/o Punjab School Education Board, Mohali.

First Appellate Authority,
o/o Punjab School Education Board, Mohali.

Respondent



Complaint Case No. 471 of 2022
Now converted to Appeal Case No. 471 of 2022
(Video Conference Proceedings)

Present: Sh. S.K. Chaudhary, appellant. (on VC)
Sh. Rajneesh Astt. Secretary (M9815991784) on behalf of the respondent PIO at Chandigarh.

Order

The RTI Application is dated 21.3.2022 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI Application. Complaint case was filed in the Commission on 20.7.2022 under Section 18 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today i.e. 24.5.2022.

2. The appellant states that the respondent PIO has not supplied him the sought information. He further states that he has also filed the First Appeal with the First Appellate Authority. The FAA has passed order dated 1.6.2022 to provide the information to the appellant within 10 days.

3. The Public Information Officer has submitted his written response which is taken on record. The APIO reiterates that written submissions which is reproduced below.

3. ਸਬੰਧਤ ਸ਼ਾਖਾ ਦੇ ਅਧਿਕਾਰੀ-ਕਮ- ਏ.ਪੀ.ਆਈ.ਓ (ਪ੍ਰਕਾਸ਼ਨ ਸ਼ਾਖਾ) ਵੱਲੋਂ ਅਕਾਦਮਿਕ

ਸਾਲ- 2022-23 ਲਈ ਪਾਠ-ਪੁਸਤਕਾਂ ਦੀ ਛਪਾਈ/ਸਪਲਾਈ ਦਾ ਕਾਰਜ ਵਿਚਾਰ ਅਧੀਨ

ਹੋਣ ਕਰਕੇ ਮਿਤੀ: 15-09-2022 ਤੱਕ ਸੂਚਨਾ ਮੁਹੱਈਆ ਕਰਵਾਉਣ ਬਾਰੇ ਆਰ.ਟੀ.ਆਈ.

ਸ਼ਾਖਾ ਨੂੰ ਸੂਚਿਤ ਕੀਤਾ ਗਿਆ ਹੈ। (ਕਾਪੀ ਨਾਲ ਨੱਥੀ ਹੈ।)

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The PIO further states the FAA has also passed the order to supply the information to the appellant.

4. After hearing the parties and going through the case file, it is noticed that the present case is registered as complaint case in the registry branch but after confirmation of the parties that FAA has passed order dated 1-6-2022 to provide the information to the appellant, the present complaint case is converted in appeal case.

5. Keeping in view of the above, the case is adjourned.

6. To come up on 21.9.2022 at 12.30 PM to be heard through video Conference available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Jalandhar for appellant and at Chandigarh for respondents.

Dated 24.8.2022

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Chief information Commissioner, Punjab

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New Court Complex, Jalandhar.

Complainant

VS

Public Information Officer,
o/o Punjab School Education Board, Mohali.

First Appellate Authority,
o/o Punjab School Education Board, Mohali.

Respondent



Complaint Case No. 472 of 2022
Now converted to Appeal Case No. 472 of 2022
(Video Conference Proceedings)

Present: Sh. S.K. Chaudhary, appellant. (on VC)
Sh. Niranjana Lal, APIO, M on behalf of the respondent PIO at Chandigarh.

Order

The RTI Application is dated 21.3.2022 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI Application. Complaint case was filed in the Commission on 20.7.2022 under Section 18 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today i.e. 24.5.2022.

2. The appellant states that the respondent PIO has not supplied him the sought information. He further states that he has also filed the First Appeal with the First Appellate Authority but he has also not provided the information.

3. The Public Information Officer has submitted his written response which is taken on record. The APIO reiterates that written submissions which is reproduced below.

Respectfully Showeth,

1. ਉਪਰੋਕਤ ਕੇਸ ਮਾਨਯੋਗ ਚੀਫ਼ ਸੂਚਨਾ ਕਮਿਸ਼ਨਰ, ਸ਼੍ਰੀ ਸੁਰੇਸ਼ ਅਰੋੜਾ, ਪੰਜਾਬ ਜੀ ਦੀ ਅਦਾਲਤ ਵਿਖੇ ਮਿਤੀ 24.08.2022 ਨੂੰ ਬਾਅਦ ਦੁਪਹਿਰ 12:30 ਵਜੇ ਸੁਣਵਾਈ ਲਈ ਸੂਚੀ-ਬੱਧ ਹੈ। ਸੇ ਸਬੰਧਤ ਸ਼ਾਖਾ ਦੇ ਅਧਿਕਾਰੀ-ਕਮ-ਏ.ਪੀ.ਆਈ.ਓ. ਆਪ ਜੀ ਦੇ ਸਨਮੁੱਖ ਦਫ਼ਤਰ ਦਾ ਪੱਖ ਪੇਸ਼ ਕਰਨ ਲਈ ਹਾਜ਼ਰ ਹੋਣਗੇ।
2. ਪ੍ਰਾਰਥੀ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਮੰਗੀ ਸੂਚਨਾ, ਸਬੰਧਤ ਏ.ਪੀ.ਆਈ.ਓ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਪ੍ਰਾਪਤ ਰਿਪੋਰਟ ਨੂੰ ਆਰ.ਟੀ.ਆਈ. ਐਕਟ-2005 ਦੇ 8(1)(h) ਤਹਿਤ ਨਹੀਂ ਦਿੱਤੀ ਜਾ ਸਕਦੀ। ਪ੍ਰਾਰਥੀ ਨੂੰ ਡਿਸਪੈਚ ਨੰਬਰ-111 ਮਿਤੀ: 19-04-2022 ਰਾਹੀਂ 01 ਪੰਨੇ ਦੀ ਸੂਚਨਾ ਭੇਜ ਦਿੱਤੀ ਗਈ ਸੀ।
3. ਪ੍ਰਾਪਤ ਸੂਚਨਾ ਤੇ ਪ੍ਰਾਰਥੀ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਫਸਟ ਐਪੀਲੇਟ ਅਥਾਰਟੀ-ਕਮ- ਵਾਈਸ ਚੇਅਰਮੈਨ, ਪੰਜਾਬ ਸਕੂਲ ਸਿੱਖਿਆ ਬੋਰਡ ਵਿਖੇ ਆਰ.ਟੀ.ਆਈ. ਐਕਟ ਦੀ ਧਾਰਾ 19 (1) ਤਹਿਤ ਪਹਿਲੀ ਅਪੀਲ ਨੰਬਰ 19 ਆਫ਼ 2022 ਮਿਤੀ: 10-05-2022 ਦਾਇਰ ਕੀਤੀ। ਫਸਟ ਐਪੀਲੇਟ ਅਥਾਰਟੀ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਵੀ ਪਹਿਲਾਂ ਭੇਜੀ ਸੂਚਨਾ ਤੋਂ ਸਹਿਮਤ/ਸੰਤੁਸ਼ਟ ਹੁੰਦੇ ਹੋਏ ਹੁਕਮ ਨੰ: - ਹੁਕਮ ਨੰ: ਪਸਸਬ-ਵੀ.ਸੀ.-2022/2084 ਮਿਤੀ: 31-05-2022 ਕੇਸ ਡਿਸਪੈਚ ਆਫ਼ ਕੀਤਾ ਗਿਆ।
4. ਮਾਨਯੋਗ ਕਮਿਸ਼ਨਰ ਜੀ ਨੂੰ ਬੇਨਤੀ ਹੈ ਕਿ ਉਪਰੋਕਤ ਸਥਿਤੀ ਨੂੰ ਸਨਮੁੱਖ ਰੱਖਦੇ ਹੋਏ, ਪ੍ਰਾਰਥੀ ਦੀ ਇਸ ਅਪੀਲ ਨੂੰ ਖਤਮ ਕਰਨ ਦੀ ਕ੍ਰਿਪਾਲਤਾ ਕੀਤੀ ਜਾਵੇ ਜੀ।

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He further states that the case has been sent to the Secretary Education, Punjab Branch-3, Punjab, Chandigarh. No reply has been received from office of the Secretary Education, Punjab Branch-3. The APIO states since, the case has not reached the finality, information cannot be provided at this stage. The respondent has sent order of the FAA in which he has also denied the information under section 8(1) of the RTI Act. The order of the FAA so received is taken on record.

4. After hearing the parties and going through the case file, it is noticed that the present case is registered as complaint case in the registry branch but after receiving order of FAA, the case is converted in appeal case.

5. Keeping in view of the above, the respondent PIO is directed to bring the original case file for the perusal of the Commission. The case is adjourned.

6. To come up on 21.9.2022 at 12.30 PM to be heard through video Conference available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Jalandhar.

Dated 24.8.2022

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