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**Raghubir Singh,**  
S/o Sh. Hira Singh,  
# 13/469, Street No. 3,  
Sardar Nagar,  
District Moga-142001

Versus

**Public Information Officer,**  
o/o Senior Superintendent of Police,  
G.T. Road,  
District Moga.

## **Complaint Case No. 535 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)**

PRESENT:

Raghubir Singh (Complainant) - 9872595804.

SI, Balwinder Singh (for the Respondent) 9780004040.

ORDER:

1. The complainant, Raghubir Singh, filed this RTI application dated **29.6.2020** and sought information **CCTV Cameras installed in Thana Sadar, Moga**, from the PIO o/o Moga. When no information was received, the Complainant filed a complaint under Section 18 of the RTI Act, 2005 to the Commission on **14.8.2020**. Notice was issued to the parties for hearing on 24.9.2020.
2. Both the parties are present. The respondent PIO, represented by SI Balwinder Singh, from the Police Station Sadar, Moga, stated that a reply was sent to the complainant on 22.7.2020 as well as by Registered Post on 10.9.2020. He contended that the matter cited in the RTI application is in Court. He has so claimed exemption from disclosure under section 8(1)(h) of the RTI Act, contending that this could "impede the apprehension or prosecution of offenders."
3. The respondent PIO is directed to send copies of the replies sent to the Complaint as well as copies of the postal receipts and dispatch register wherein the replies were entered.
4. **Next hearing on 12.11.2020 at 11.00 am through Video Conference Facility in the office of Deputy Commissioner, Moga.**

Sd/-  
**(ASIT JOLLY)**  
State Information Commissioner  
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24.9.2020

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**Kadambini,**

# 4125, Abohar Road,

Muktsar-152026

Versus

**Public Information Officer,**

o/o President, The Muktsar Club,

Muktsar.

**First Appellate Authority,**

o/o Deputy Commissioner,

Muktsar.

## **Appeal Case No. 1233 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)**

PRESENT:

Ms. Kadambini (Appellant) 9814206385.

Rakesh , Clerk (for the respondent)-8847270034.

ORDER:

(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on 23.7.2020.)

1. The RTI application is dated **7.11.19** vide which the appellant has sought **information regarding Muktsar Club, Muktsar**, as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **12.12.2019**, and second appeal was filed in the Commission on **20.4.2020** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. Notice was issued to the parties for first hearing in the Commission on **23.7.2020**.

2. Both the parties are present through Video Conference in the DC office at Mukatsar. The respondent PIO, represented by Rakesh, Clerk, stated that the information could not be collected, as most of the staff is under home quarantine owing to ongoing Pandemic. The respondent PIO is given one more opportunity to collect and furnish the information to the appellant with a copy to this Commission via email..

3. **Next hearing on 12.11.2020 at 11.00 am through Video Conference Facility in the office of Deputy Commissioner, Mukatsar.**

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**Kulwinder Kaur,**

W/o Late Kulwant Singh,

c/o Pawan Kumar, s/o Shiv Lal,

Village Rupana,

Tehsil & District Muktsar Sahib – 152032

Versus

**Public Information Officer,**

o/o Senior Superintendent of Police,

Sri Muktsar Sahib.

**First Appellate Authority,**

o/o Inspector General of Police, Bathinda.

## **Appeal Case No. 1299 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)**

PRESENT:

Kulwinder Kaur (Appellant) 88476-32432

Manjeet Singh, ASI (for the Respondent) 80549-23495

ORDER:

(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on 23.7.2020.)

1. The RTI application is dated **31.1.2020** vide which the appellant has sought **information regarding application No. 47PC 10/19 dated 2.4.2019**, as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **14.3.2020**, and second appeal was filed in the Commission on **18.5.2020** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. The case was last heard on **23.7.2020**.
2. Both the parties are present through Video Conference Facility in the DC office at Mukatsar. As directed at the last hearing on 23.7.2020, the respondent PIO, had furnished the information (15 pages) as requested by the appellant. The appellant has however, contended that the information sought by way of call details of her own phone have not been provided by the Police.
3. The respondent stated that the call details pertains to the appellant's own mobile phone and has nothing to do with the case in question or the Police Department. The respondent PIO, is directed to state the contention in a reply to the appellant with a copy to this Commission before the next hearing.
4. **Next hearing on 12.11.2020 at 11.00 am through Video Conference Facility in the office of Deputy Commissioner, Mukatsar.**

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**Iqbal Singh Rasulpur,**

Village Rasulpur,

Tehsil Jagraon,

District Ludhiana.

Versus

**Public Information Officer,**

o/o Director General of Police,

Punjab, Chandigarh.

**First Appellate Authority,**

o/o Additional Chief Secretary,

Home Affairs and Justice Department,

Punjab, Chandigarh.

## **Appeal Case No. 4237 of 2019 (Video Conference Proceedings)**

PRESENT:

(Appellant) Absent

Sunil Kumar, Senior Assistant (for the respondent) 9417649277.

ORDER:

*(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on 24.1.2020, 22.7.2020)*

1. The RTI application is dated **3.7.19** vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **20.8.19** and second appeal was filed in the Commission on **14.11.19** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. The case was last heard on **22.7.2020**.

2. The appellant is absent, but informed the Commission that he is available on phone. The respondent PIO, represented by Sunil Kumar, Senior Assistant, stated that the information collected from various branches, was sent to the appellant by registered post on 31.8.2020 and a copy of this has also sent to this Commission. The respondent PIO, is directed to email copy of the postal receipt to this Commission.

3. The appellant is requested to examine the information and inform the respondent PIO as well as this Commission of any deficiency.

4. **Next hearing on 13.11.2020 at 11.00 am through Video Conference Facility in the office of Deputy Commissioner, Mohali.**

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**Devinder Singh Sandhu,**  
S/o Makhan Singh Sandhu,  
# 3410, Sector-45 D,  
Chandigarh.

Versus

**Public Information Officer,**  
o/o Punjab Urban and Development Authority,  
S.A.S Nagar, Sector-62, Mohali.  
**First Appellate Authority,**  
o/o Punjab Urban and Development Authority,  
S.A.S Nagar, Sector-62, Mohali.

## **Appeal Case No. 975 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)**

PRESENT:

Devinder Singh (Appellant) 9914112220.

Rajinder Mittal, Senior Assistant (for the respondent) 98786603998.

ORDER:

*(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on 23.7.2020)*

1. The RTI application is dated **12.12.2019** vide which the appellant has sought **information regarding registration of property advisors/property dealers in near Jyoti Swaroop Chowk Shop No. 1 to 90 from the year 2009 to till date**, as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **13.1.2020**, and second appeal was filed in the Commission on **9.3.2020** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. The case was last heard on 23.7.2020.
2. Both the parties are present through Video Conference facility in the DC office at Mohali. The respondent PIO, as directed at the last hearing, had submitted a copy of the reply sent to the appellant on 7.2.2020. The aforesaid reply is very general and does not include the contention made by the respondent at the last hearing on 23.7.2020, that the information requested is far too voluminous.
3. The respondent PIO, is directed to send a written, pointwise reply of each of the 3 points on this RTI application to the appellant with a copy to this Commission. The Commission will take view in this case after examining the PIO's reply.
4. **Next hearing on 13.11.2020 at 11.00 am through Video Conference Facility in the office of Deputy Commissioner, Mohali.**

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**Davinder Singh**, s/o Mohan Singh,  
# 353, Phase-2,  
Mohali.

Versus

**Public Information Officer,**

o/o Greater Mohali Area Development Authority,  
PUDA Bhawan, Sector-62, Mohali.

**First Appellate Authority,**

o/o Greater Mohali Area Development Authority,  
PUDA Bhawan, Sector-62, Mohali.

## **Appeal Case No. 1080 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)**

PRESENT:

Davinder Singh (Appellant)

Harpal Singh, Superintendant (for the Respondent) 8427610342.

ORDER:

*(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on 23.7.2020)*

1. The RTI application is dated **5.11.2019** vide which the appellant has sought **information regarding Plot No. 353 Phase-2, SAS Nagar (Mohali)**, as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **16.12.2019**, and second appeal was filed in the Commission on **11.3.2020** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. The case was last heard on **23.7.2020**.

2. Both the parties are present through Video Conference Facility in the office of DC at Mohali. The respondent PIO, represented at this hearing by Harpal Singh, Superintendent-cum-APIO, is unaware of the facts of this case. Nonetheless, as directed at the last hearing, the respondent PIO, has submitted a reply to this Commission stating that identical information was sought by the appellant in Appeal Case 4010/2019, which was heard and disposed of by State Information Commissioner, Lt. Gen. Ajay Sharma (retd.) with the direction that the appellant be given Affidavit within a period of 7 days from the date of disposal i.e. 1.7.2020.

3. However, in a letter received in this Commission on 18.9.2020, the appellant has stated that the aforesaid affidavit cited by the respondent has still not been given to him. He has also pointed out that the loss of public record, which is required to be kept permanently, cannot be wished away merely by admitting this in an Affidavit.

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## **Appeal Case No. 1080 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)**

4. Concurring with the appellant, this Commission directs the respondent PIO to submit a copy of the Affidavit submitted in AC 4010/2019. He is also to inform this Commission in writing whether any police case/FIR was registered after the loss of the requested record was discovered. The respondent must also state in writing whether any responsibility was fixed and departmental/criminal action initiated for the loss of aforesaid record. This must be submitted to this Commission before the next hearing on 13.11.2020.

5. **Next hearing on 13.11.2020 at 11.00 am through Video Conference Facility in the office of Deputy Commissioner, Mohali.**

Sd/-  
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State Information Commissioner

Chandigarh  
24.9.2020