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Sh. Lajpat Rai, S/o Sh. Harbans Lal, H No-B-3/287, Romana Street, Jaito, Distt Faridkot.

... Complainant Versus

**Public Information Officer,** O/o Examiner, Local Fund Account,

Punjab, Chandigarh...

...Respondent

Complaint Case No. 654 of 2020

PRESENT: Sh.Lajpat Rai as the Complainant

**Sh.Prem Chand, PIO for the Respondent** 

### ORDER:

The complainant through RTI application dated 25.07.2020 has sought information regarding details of staff working in the department alongwith mobile number —details of employees retired on 31.03.2020 alongwith retirement dues paid to them and the persons going to retire on 30.09.2020 and other information as enumerated in the RTI application from the office of Examiner, Local Fund Account, Pb Chandigarh. The complainant was not satisfied with the information provided by the PIO vide letter dated 18.08.2020 after which the complainant filed a complaint in the Commission on 15.09.2020.

The case has come up for hearing today through video conferencing at DAC Faridkot. The complainant claims that the PIO has not provided the information .

The respondent present pleaded that the complainant was asked vide letter dated 18.08.2020 to deposit requisite fee of Rs.359/- for 134 pages plus postal charges which the complainant did not deposit. However, after the notice of the Commission, the information has been supplied to the complainant (151 pages) free of cost vide letter dated 06.01.2021.

Since the RTI application was attended to by the PIO within the time prescribed under the RTI Act, and the information has been provided, I see no malafide on the part of the PIO. If the complainant is still not satisfied with the information, he should go to the First Appellate Authority.

No further course of action is required. The case is disposed off and closed.

Chandigarh Dated:26.02.2021 Sd/-(Khushwant Singh) State Information Commissioner

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Versus

**Public Information Officer**, O/o SSP. Distt Faridkot.

...Respondent

... Complainant

Complaint Case No. 655 of 2020

PRESENT: Sh.Lajpat Rai as the Complainant

Sh.Ramesh Kumar, ASI for the Respondent

#### ORDER:

The complainant through RTI application dated 28.07.2020 has sought information regarding status report on the RTI applications filed from 20.05.2020 till date - detail/status of FRI No.80 dated 30.05.2020 - retirement date of Daljit Singh ASI/Fdk - List of employees in police station Jaito and other information as enumerated in the RTI application from the office of SSP Faridkot. The complainant was not provided the information after which the complainant filed a complaint in the Commission on 15.09.2020.

The case has come up for hearing today through video conferencing at DAC Faridkot. The respondent present pleaded that since the enquiry regarding FIR No.80 is pending, the information on point-2 cannot be provided and the reply alongwith information (52 pages) on other points has been supplied to the complainant on 18.02.2021.

Since the complainant has come to the Commission without going to the First Appellate Authority and the RTI application has been suitably replied by the PIO, if the complainant is still not satisfied with the information, he should go to the First Appellate Authority.

No further course of action is required. The case is disposed off and closed.

Chandigarh Dated:26.02.2021

Sd/-(Khushwant Singh) **State Information Commissioner** 

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... Appellant

Sh. Gurjit Singh, S/o Sh. Yadwinder Singh, Village Behbal Kalan, Tehsil Jaito, Distt Faridkot.

Versus

**Public Information Officer,** O/o DC, Faridkot.

First Appellate Authority, O/o DC,

Faridkot ...Respondent

Appeal Case No. 2658 of 2020

PRESENT: Sh.Gurjit Singh as the Appellant

Sh.Manpreet Singh, Superintendent for the Respondent

### ORDER:

The appellant through RTI application dated 09.05.2020 has sought information regarding action taken report on the complaint filed on 19.03.2020 for misappropriation of grants received by Behbal Kala village Panchayat and other information as enumerated in the RTI application from the office of DC Faridkot. The appellant was not provided the information after which the appellant filed first appeal before the first appellate authority on 15.06.2020 which took no decision on the appeal.

The case has come up for hearing today through video conferencing at DAC Faridkot. The respondent present pleaded that the information has been supplied to the appellant vide letter dated 29.01.2021. The appellant has received the information.

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

Chandigarh Dated:26.02.2021 Sd/(Khushwant Singh)
State Information Commissioner