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Shri Rakesh Kumar Gupta,
8/ 23 7, Jagraon Road,
Mandi Mullanpur, District Ludhiana.

.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o The Director,
Local Govt. Department, (Estt. Branch)
Sector 35-A, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority

O/o The Director,
Local Govt. Department, Sector 35-A,
Chandigarh.

....Respondents

AC No. 255 of 2021

Present:

- (i) Shri Rakesh Kumar Gupta, appellant- cisco webex.
- (ii) Shri Jagjit Singh Judge, Executive Officer, Municipal Council, Mullanpur Dakha, PIO/Respondent, in person.
- (iii) Shri Kapil, Senior Assistant, Establishment Branch, O/o Director, Local Govt., Punjab, Chandigarh, in person.

ORDER

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 15.09.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.
2. The case has been heard today. Shri Rakesh Kumar Gupta, appellant attends the hearing through cisco webex.
3. Shri Jagjit Singh Judge, Executive Office, Municipal Council, Mullanpur Dakha comes present in person before the Bench and states the information has been supplied to the appellant on 21.10.2022 and then on 26.10.2022 i.e. today.
4. On the asking of the Bench, the appellant states that on 21.10.2022, he received letter to collect the information and the same has been delivered to him today. He further states that he has not been clarified the position regarding TS-1 form Shri Kapil, representative of Director, Local Govt. states that the HO Local Govt. has no control over TS-1 and every Municipal Council/Corporation has its own system to deal with the same.
5. In view of the above, the Bench is not inclined to proceed further in the matter. **As such, the instant appeal case is disposed off and closed.** Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

**Chandigarh
26.10.2022**

**Sd/-
(Lt Gen Ajae Kumar Sharma (Retd))
State Information Commissioner, Punjab**

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Smt. Kiran Sharma,
W/o Late Shri Jagdish Sharma
H.No.4162, LIG Flat Phase-2,
Urban Estate Dugri Road,
Ludhiana-141013.

.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o Station House Officer,
Police Station, Shimlapuri,
Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Commissioner of Police,
Ludhiana.

...Respondents

AC No.177/2022

Present:

- (i) Appellant- absent.
- (ii) ASI Jaswinder Singh, Police Station, Shimlapuri, Ludhiana,
on behalf of PIO/respondent- in person.

ORDER

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 18.07.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.

2. The case has been heard today. Mrs. Kiran Sharma, appellant has not come present to attend the hearing in person before the Bench nor through cisco webex. However, three e-mails dated 14.10.2022, 14.10.2022 and 19.10.2022 are available in the case file wherein the appellant has stated that the PIO has not provided her information in spite of lapse of 550 days. She has further stated that her representative Shri Sushil Kumar is unable to attend the hearing being unwell and that her case may not be closed without her consent and in case of closure of my case, she will approach Hon'ble Punjab and Haryana High Court, President of India, and Chief Minister, Punjab.

3. ASI Jaswinder Singh, O/o SHO Police Station, Shimlapuri, Ludhiana comes present in person before the Bench to attend the hearing person on behalf of PIO. He states that the point wise information, supported by relevant documents, has been sent to the appellant by registered post as well as by e.mail on 25.10.2022 and produces before the Bench a copy of the same which is taken on record. He further states

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that on the same subject, 111 number complaints have been received by the Police Station which have been made by Smt. Kiran Sharma, Shri Ajay Sharma, Shri Sushil Kumar and Smt. Neena Gupta which all have been enquired into and the enquiry reports have been sent to the appellant. He further states that similar information has been supplied in other appeal cases and that the entire information has been supplied to the appellant as available in the official records.

4. The Bench, on perusal of the documents produced before the Bench and as per version of the representative of PIO, observes that adequate information stands supplied to the appellant. The Bench, however, directs the PIO/S.H.O. Police Station, Shimlapuri, Ludhiana to file an affidavit on e-Stamp paper, within 21 (Twenty one) days, duly signed by the PIO and attested by the Notary Public to the effect that the information as available in official records in AC No.177/2022 has been supplied to the appellant. It be further stated that nothing has been concealed therein and the information supplied is true and correct. The original affidavit be sent to the appellant and copy of the same be sent to the Commission for record.

5. In view of the submissions made by the representative of PIO before the Bench and as is revealed from the documents produced before the Bench, the Bench drops the show cause notice issued to the PIO. Further, in view of the information having been supplied, the Bench is not inclined to accept the contentions raised by the appellant in her e.mail sent to the Commission.

6. With the aforesaid directions, **the instant appeal case is disposed off and closed.** Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

**Chandigarh
26.10.2022**

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Shri Mohit Arora,
H.No.136, Gali No.5,
Sunder Nagar,
Amritsar-143001.

.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o Superintendent, Water Supply
Sewerage Authority,
Municipal Corporation, Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Commissioner,
Municipal Corporation, Amritsar.

...Respondents

AC No.1564/2022

Present: (i) Appellant- absent.
(ii) None on behalf of the PIO/Respondent.

ORDER

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 19.09.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.
2. The case has been heard today. Shri Mohit Arora, appellant has not come present to attend the hearing either in person before the Bench or through cisco webex.
3. Neither the PIO O/o Water Supply & Sewerage Authority, Municipal Corporation, Amritsar has come present in person before the Bench to attend the hearing nor through cisco webex. However, the APIO-cum-Superintendent (Water Rent), Municipal Corporation, Amritsar has sent an e.mail dated 21.10.2022 stating that the appellant has been supplied information vide letter dated 14.10.2022 and the appellant has also acknowledged receipt of information in writing to his satisfaction. He has also sought time to file the affidavit as per direction of Hon'ble Commission.
4. The Bench observes that the acknowledgement given by the appellant for having received information to his satisfaction is also available with the e.mail of the APIO. Since the appellant has expressed his satisfaction over the information supplied, the Bench does not feel need for the filing of the affidavit as directed during the previous hearings and the same is not required to be filed by the PIO.
5. In view of the above, no further cause of action is left in the matter. **The instant appeal case is disposed off and closed.** Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

**Chandigarh
26.10.2022**

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.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o Superintendent, Water Supply
Sewerage Authority,
Municipal Corporation, Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Commissioner,
Municipal Corporation,
Amritsar.

...Respondents

AC No.1559/2022

Present:

- (i) Appellant- absent.
- (ii) None on behalf of the PIO/Respondent.

ORDER

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 19.09.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.
2. The case has been heard today. Shri Mohit Arora, appellant has not come present to attend the hearing either in person before the Bench or through cisco webex.
3. Neither the PIO O/o Water Supply & Sewerage Authority, Municipal Corporation, Amritsar has come present in person before the Bench to attend the hearing nor through cisco webex. However, the APIO-cum-Superintendent (Water Rent), Municipal Corporation, Amritsar has sent an e.mail dated 21.10.2022 stating that the appellant has been supplied information vide letter dated 14.10.2022 and the appellant has also acknowledged receipt of information in writing to his satisfaction. He has also sought time to file the affidavit as per direction of Hon'ble Commission.
4. The Bench observes that the acknowledgement given by the appellant for having received information to his satisfaction is also available with the e.mail of the APIO. Since the appellant has expressed his satisfaction over the information supplied, the Bench does not feel need for the filing of the affidavit as directed during the previous hearings and the same is not required to be filed by the PIO.
5. In view of the above, no further cause of action is left in the matter. **The instant appeal case is disposed off and closed.** Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

**Chandigarh
26.10.2022**

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Shri Nitin Kumar Tayal,
Founder, The Gats Urban Cooperative
Thrift & Credit Society Ltd.,
SCO 1-3B, Swami Vivekanand
Vridhashram Market,B-Block,
Model Town Extension,
Ludhiana-141002.

.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer
O/o Divisional Commissioner,
Ferozepur.

First Appellate Authority
O/o Divisional Commissioner,
Ferozepur.

....Respondents

AC No. 977 of 2022

Present: (i) **Appellant- absent.**
(ii) **Shri Yadwinder Singh, Clerk O/o Divisional Commissioner, Ferozepur,
on behalf of the PIO/respondent, in person.**

ORDER

(Heard in person/ through cisco webex)

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 22.09.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.
2. The case has been heard today. Shri Nitin Kumar Tayal, appellant has not come present to attend the hearing in person or through cisco webex.
3. Shri Yadwinder Singh, Clerk O/o Divisional Commissioner, Ferozepur comes present in person before the Bench to attend the hearing on behalf of the PIO. Shri Yadwinder Singh, representative of PIO states that the information sought by the appellant has been sent vide letter dated 19.10.2022 by registered post.
4. Since the appellant is absent, he is contacted on mobile phone. On the asking of the Bench, he refers to his e.mail dated 25.10.2022 sent to the Commission confirming receipt of information and also gives his consent to close the case.
5. In view of the above, no further cause of action is left in the matter. **The instant appeal case is disposed off and closed.** Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

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26.10.2022**

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Shri Amarjit Singh Dhamotia, RTI Activist,
Whistle Blower, Social Worker,
President, NCAG Office,
1331-5, Vishawkarma Bhawan,
Down Canal Road, Shimlapuri,
Ludhiana.

... Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o Addl.Chief Secretary to Govt. of Punjab,
Department of Housing & Urban Development,
Punjab Civil Secretariat-2, Sector-9, Chandigarh.

Public Information Officer,

O/o Chief Administrator,
GLADA, Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o Addl.Chief Secretary to Govt. of Punjab,
Department of Housing & Urban Development,
Punjab Civil Secretariat-2, Sector-9, Chandigarh.

... Respondents

AC No. 5476 of 2021

Present:- (i) **Shri Amarjit Singh Dhamotia, Appellant- cisco webex.**
(ii) **Shri Bhupinder Singh, Senior Assistant O/o GLADA, Ludhiana,**
on behalf of the PIO/Respondent- cisco webex.

ORDER

(Heard through Cisco Webex)

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 22.09.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.

2. The case has been heard today in Commission's office at Chandigarh. Shri Amarjit Singh Dhamotia, appellant comes present to attend the hearing through cisco webex. He states that he had made a complaint to the Chief Minister, Punjab on which he has sought action taken report. However, he has not been provided any information so far.

3. Shri Bhupinder Singh, Senior Assistant O/o GLADA, Ludhiana comes present to attend the hearing on behalf of the PIO through cisco webex and states that the information has already been supplied to the appellant vide letter dated 24.09.2021. He further states that the information as available in the official records stands supplied to the appellant.

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AC No.5476/2021

4. On the asking of the Bench, the appellant Shri Amarjit Singh Dhamotia expresses dissatisfaction over the information supplied.

5. The Bench, on perusal of the case file, observes that the appellant has also been supplied information vide letter dated 09.02.2022 by the Superintended-cum-PIO, Department of Housing and Urban Development, Punjab, as received by him from the PIO O/o GLADA, Ludhiana. Since the appellant is not satisfied with the information supplied and the respondent in his submissions has stated that information as available in the official records stands supplied, the PIO O/o GLADA, Ludhiana is now directed to file an affidavit on e-Stamp paper, within 21 (Twenty one) days, duly signed by the PIO and attested by the Notary Public to the effect that the information as available in official records in AC No.5476/2022 has been supplied to the appellant. It be further stated that nothing has been concealed therein and the information supplied is true and correct. The original affidavit be sent to the appellant and copy of the same be sent to the Commission for record.

6. With the aforesaid directions, **the instant appeal case is disposed off and closed.** Copies of the orders be sent to the concerned parties.

**Chandigarh
26.10.2022**

**Sd/-
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Shri JPS Sidhu, Advocate,
R/o H.No.310, Advocates Society,
Sector-49, Chandigarh.

.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer
O/o Greater Mohali Area
Development Authority (GMADA),
Mohali.

First Appellate Authority-cum-
O/o Principal Secretary,
Department of Housing and
Urban Development, Punjab,
Chandigarh.

...Respondents

AC No.1038/2022

Present: (i) Appellant- absent.
(ii) Shri Gurwinder Singh, Assistant Estate Officer/PIO, GMADA, Mohali through cisco webex

ORDER:

(Heard through Cisco Webex)

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 22.09.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.
2. The case has been heard today. Shri JPS Sidhu, appellant has not come present to attend the hearing in person before the Bench or through cisco webex.
3. Shri Gurwinder Singh, Assistant Estate Officer/PIO, GMADA, Mohali comes present to attend the hearing through cisco webex. He states that information on point No.(iii) & (iv) of RTI application has been supplied to the appellant on 11.04.2022 by the Technical Branch of GMADA and that the information on Points No.(i), (ii) and (v) to (x) has been supplied to the appellant by the office of Land Acquisition Collector, GMADA vide letter dated 22.09.2022. He further states that the information as available in the official records stands supplied to the appellant.
4. The appellant is contacted on his mobile phone. However, in spite of repeated attempts made to contact him, he does not respond.



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AC No.1038/2022

5. The Bench, post examination of documents available on file, is convinced that adequate information has been supplied to the appellant. However, the PIO, he is now directed to file an affidavit on e-Stamp paper, within 21 (Twenty one) days, duly signed by the PIO and attested by the Notary Public to the effect that the information as available in official records in AC No.1038/2022 has been supplied to the appellant. It be further stated that nothing has been concealed therein and the statement made is true and correct. The original affidavit be sent to the appellant and copy of the same be sent to the Commission for record.

6. With the aforesaid directions, **the instant appeal case is disposed off and closed.** Copies of the orders be sent to the concerned parties.

**Chandigarh
26.10.2022**

**Sd/-
(Lt Gen Ajae Kumar Sharma, (Retd))
State Information Commissioner, Punjab**

