

Manjinder Singh,  
# 2469, Sunny Enclave,  
Sector – 125,  
Kharar, Distt. Mohali (Punjab)

...Appellant

V/s.

(Regd. Post) Public Information Officer,  
O/o The Secretary,  
Regional Transport Authority,  
Ferozepur (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,  
O/o The State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,  
Sector 17, Chandigarh

... Respondents

### **Appeal Case No. 1762 of 2019**

Present : Sh. Manjinder Singh, the appellant in person.  
Sh. Shiv Kumar, Data Entry Operator (without Authority Letter), on behalf  
of the respondent.

#### **ORDER**

This case was last heard on 03.12.2019 and Last opportunity was given to the respondent-PIO concerned to supply remaining information to the appellant though registered post and produce a copy of the postal receipt in the Commission.

Sh. Shiv Kumar, Data Entry Operator, appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing without any Authority Letter, states that the requisite information was supplied to the appellant, Sh. Manjinder Singh through registered post.

The appellant, Sh. Manjinder Singh, who appeared in person in today's hearing, states that incomplete and misleading information has been given to him by the respondent PIO as the information has been given to him is as per 'financial year' not 'calendar year', moreover, he has sought information for the period from year 2012 to 2016 and the information given to him only for one year and that also differ from the earlier supplied information.

After examining the documents placed on record, it emerges that the requisite information has not been supplied by the respondent PIO to the information seeker even after a period of ten months. The Commission took a serious view of this casual approach of the respondent PIO.

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**In view of the above, a show cause notice under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act is issued to Public Information Officer concerned of office of Secretary, Regional Transport Authority, Ferozepur, as to why penalty be not imposed upon him for willful delay/denial in supplying the information to the RTI applicant and why the compensation be not awarded to the information-seeker under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.**

The PIO is also hereby given an opportunity under Section 20(1) provision, thereto, for a personal hearing before the imposition of such penalty on the next date of hearing. He may note that in case he does not file his submission and does not avail himself of the opportunity of personal hearing on the next date fixed, it will be presumed that he has nothing to say and the Commission shall proceed to take further proceedings against him ex-parte. **A copy of this order be sent to him through registered post .**

Last opportunity is given to the respondent-PIO concerned to supply the certified copies of the required information, as per queries raised by him through RTI request to the appellant, which should be year wise and as per 'calendar year' not 'financial year' by the next date of hearing positively, failing which action would be initiated against him under the provisions of the RTI Act.

The case is **adjourned to 24<sup>th</sup> March, 2020 (Tuesday) at 11:00 A. M.**

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

**Date : 27<sup>th</sup> January, 2020**

**(Sanjiv Garg)  
State Information Commissioner  
Punjab**

Tejinder Singh, Advocate,  
R/o Village Bholapur,  
P.O. Ramgarh, Chandigarh Road,  
Ludhiana-141123(Punjab)

...Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,  
O/o The State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,  
Sector 17, Chandigarh

First Appellate Authority,  
O/o The State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,  
Sector 17, Chandigarh

... Respondents

### **Appeal Case No. 1733 of 2019**

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.  
None on behalf of the respondent.

#### **ORDER**

This case was last heard on 03.12.2019 and the respondent PIO concerned was directed to send the requisite information to the appellant through registered post at his residential address within three weeks from that day and produce a copy of the postal receipt in the Commission.

The appellant, Sh. Tejinder Singh, Advocate, is absent from today's hearing without any intimation to the Commission.

The respondent PIO through a reply vide letter no. 1753 dated 24.01.2020, signed by Public Information Officer office of State Transport Commissioner, Punjab, Chandigarh, which has been received in the Commission through an e-mail, has intimated the Commission that he is unable to attend today's hearing and requested for an adjournment in this case. It is taken on record.

Nevertheless, another opportunity is given to both the parties to represent this case in person or through their representative, on the next date of hearing, positively.

The case is **adjourned to 23<sup>rd</sup> March, 2020 (Monday) at 11:00 A. M.**

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

**Date : 27<sup>th</sup> January, 2020**

**(Sanjiv Garg)  
State Information Commissioner  
Punjab**

Jatinder Kumar  
C/o Sh. Sachkhand Mishthan Bhandar,  
Nehru Gate, NawanShaher (Punjab)

...Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,  
O/o The Executive Officer,  
Municipal Council, NawanShaher (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,  
O/o The Regional Deputy Director,  
Urban Local Bodies, Pb., Jalandhar (Punjab)

... Respondents

### **Appeal Case No. 2225 of 2019**

Present : Sh. Jatinder Kumar, the appellant in person.  
Sh. Kishore Kumar, Accountant, on behalf of the respondent.

#### **ORDER**

This case was last heard on 03.12.2019 and last opportunity was given to the respondent-PIO to supply the certified copies of the remaining information at point no. 01 and 02, of the RTI request to the appellant as per official record and to file a proper reply, in writing to point no. 04, 05 and 06 of the RTI request.

Sh. Kishore Kumar, Accountant, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, states that he has brought the requisite information in the Commission so that the same could be handed over to the appellant. He also handed over the same to the appellant, Sh. Jatinder Kumar during the hearing in the Commission today. He also submits a set of copy of supplied information, which is taken on record.

After going through the information supplied, the appellant, Sh. Jatinder Kumar, who appeared in person in today's hearing, states that information at point no. 06 is still pending.

In reply to query no. 06, Sh. Kishore Kumar, Accountant, submits a copy of letter no. 27442 dated 16.05.2018, showing that information regarding point no. 06, resolution no. 324 has been sent to Engineer-in-Chief for further comments, which has not been received back till date.

Last and final opportunity is given to the respondent-PIO to file a proper reply, in writing, to point no. 06 of the RTI request by or on the next date of hearing.

The case is **adjourned to 24<sup>th</sup> March, 2020 (Tuesday) at 11:00 A. M.**

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

**Date : 27<sup>th</sup> January, 2020**

**(Sanjiv Garg)**  
**State Information Commissioner**  
**Punjab**

Gursewak Singh S/o Sh. Harbans Singh,  
Village - Batholi Kalan,  
P.O. - Dakala,  
Teh. & District - Patiala (Punjab)

...Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,  
O/o Pepsu Road Transport Corporation,  
(P.R.T.C), Head Office,  
Nabha Road, Patiala (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,  
O/o Pepsu Road Transport Corporation,  
(P.R.T.C), Head Office,  
Nabha Road, Patiala (Punjab)

... Respondents

### **Appeal Case No. 1834 of 2019**

Present : Sh. Gursewak Singh, the appellant in person.  
i) Ms. Rajesh Sharma, Superintendent O/o P.R.T.C. Depot ;  
ii) Sh. Narender Kumar, Senior Assistant O/o P.R.T.C. (HO), Patiala.

### **ORDER**

This case was last heard on 03.12.2019 and the respondent PIO through a reply vide letter no. 7180 dated 24.10.2019 has intimated the Commission that the requisite information has already been supplied to the appellant through registered post and an opportunity was given to the appellant to point out deficiencies, if any, in the information supplied to him, in writing, to the respondent PIO well in time so that the same could be removed by the respondent concerned.

Ms. Rajesh Sharma, Superintendent office of P.R.T.C. Depot and Sh. Narender Kumar, Senior Assistant office of P.R.T.C. (HO), Patiala, who appeared in today's hearing, submit a reply vide letter no. 7180 dated 24.10.2019 signed by Public Information Officer office of P.R.T.C. (HO), Patiala, showing that in response to the RTI request, the requisite information of 511 pages has already been supplied to the appellant, Sh. Gursewak Singh vide letter no. 7179 dated 24.10.2019 through registered post. He also hands over a copy of the same to the appellant during the hearing in the Commission today. It, alongwith a copy of supplied information, is taken on record.

After going through the information supplied, the appellant, Sh. Gursewak Singh, who appeared in person in today's hearing, orally states that he has received the requisite information. He also through a letter dated 27.01.2020, has acknowledged that he has received the requisite information and satisfied with the information supplied and asked for filing of his case. It is taken on record.

Since the information stands supplied, the case is **disposed of and closed.**

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

**Date : 27<sup>th</sup> January, 2020**

**(Sanjiv Garg)**  
**State Information Commissioner**  
**Punjab**

Gursewak Singh S/o Sh. Harbans Singh,  
Village - Batholi Kalan,  
P.O. - Dakala,  
Teh. & District - Patiala (Punjab)

...Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,  
O/o Pepsu Road Transport Corporation,  
(P.R.T.C), Head Office,  
Nabha Road, Patiala (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,  
O/o Pepsu Road Transport Corporation,  
(P.R.T.C), Head Office,  
Nabha Road, Patiala (Punjab)

... Respondents

### **Appeal Case No. 1836 of 2019**

Present : Sh. Gursewak Singh, the appellant in person.  
i) Ms. Rajesh Sharma, Superintendent O/o P.R.T.C. Depot ;  
ii) Sh. Narender Kumar, Senior Assistant O/o P.R.T.C. (HO), Patiala.

#### **ORDER**

This case was last heard on 03.12.2019 and the respondent PIO concerned was directed to send the requisite information to the appellant through registered post at his residential address and produce a copy of the postal receipt in the Commission and an opportunity was given to the appellant to point out deficiencies, if any, in the information supplied to him, in writing, to the respondent PIO well in time so that the same could be removed by the respondent concerned.

Ms. Rajesh Sharma, Superintendent office of P.R.T.C. Depot and Sh. Narender Kumar, Senior Assistant office of P.R.T.C. (HO), Patiala, who appeared in today's hearing, submit a reply vide letter no. 9715 dated 16.01.2020 signed by Public Information Officer office of P.R.T.C. (HO), Patiala, showing that in response to the RTI request, the requisite information of 76 pages has been supplied to the appellant, Sh. Gursewak Singh vide letter dated 16.01.2020 through registered post. He also hands over a copy of the same to the appellant during the hearing in the Commission today. It, alongwith a copy of supplied information, is taken on record.

After going through the information supplied, the appellant, Sh. Gursewak Singh, who appeared in person in today's hearing, orally states that he has received the requisite information. He also through a letter dated 27.01.2020, has acknowledged that he has received the requisite information and satisfied with the information supplied and asked for filing of his case. It is taken on record.

Since the information stands supplied, the case is **disposed of and closed.**

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

**Date : 27<sup>th</sup> January, 2020**

**(Sanjiv Garg)**  
**State Information Commissioner**  
**Punjab**

Jatinder Kumar  
C/o Sh. Sachkhand Mishthan Bhandar,  
Nehru Gate, NawanShaher (Punjab)

...Appellant

V/s

- i) Public Information Officer,  
O/o The Executive Officer,  
Municipal Council,  
NawanShaher (Punjab)
- ii) Public Information Officer,  
O/o The Regional Deputy Director,  
Urban Local Bodies, Punjab,  
Jalandhar (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,  
O/o The Regional Deputy Director,  
Urban Local Bodies, Pb.,  
Jalandhar (Punjab)

... Respondents

### **Appeal Case No. 1849 of 2019**

Present : Sh. Jatinder Kumar, the appellant in person.

- i) Sh. Kishore Kumar, Accountant O/o Municipal Council, NawanShaher ;
- ii) Sh. Baldev Raj, Senior Assistant O/o Regional Deputy Director, Urban Local Bodies, Pb., Jalandhar, for the respondents.

#### **ORDER**

This case was last heard on 03.12.2019 and the respondent-PIO of office of Nagar Council, NawanShaher was directed to supply the remaining information at point no. 02 of the RTI request to the appellant and PIO of office of Regional Deputy Director, Local Bodies, Punjab, Jalandhar was impleaded as necessary party in this case with the directions to supply the remaining information at point no. 01 of the RTI request to the appellant.

Sh. Baldev Raj, Senior Assistant of office of Regional Deputy Director, Urban Local Bodies, Punjab, Jalandhar, appeared in today's hearing,

Sh. Kishore Kumar, Accountant of office of Nagar Council, NawanShaher, who appeared in today's hearing, submits a reply vide letter no. 208 dated 24.01.2020 signed by Public Information Officer-cum-Executive Officer, Nagar Council, NawanShaher, showing that in response to the RTI request, complete information has been supplied to the appellant, Sh. Jatinder Kumar. He also hands over a copy of the same to the appellant during the hearing in the Commission today. It is taken on record.

The appellant, Sh. Jatinder Kumar, who appeared in person in today's hearing, through a letter dated 27.01.2020, has acknowledged that he has received the requisite information and satisfied with the same and asked for filing of his case. It is taken on record.

Since the information stands supplied, the case is **disposed of and closed.**

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

**Date : 27<sup>th</sup> January, 2020**

**(Sanjiv Garg)**  
**State Information Commissioner**  
**Punjab**

Jatinder Kumar  
C/o Sh. Sachkhand Mishthan Bhandar,  
Nehru Gate, Nawan Shahar(Punjab)

...Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,  
O/o The Executive Officer,  
Municipal Council,  
Nangal (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,  
O/o The Regional Deputy Director,  
Urban Local Bodies, Pb.,  
Ludhiana (Punjab)

... Respondents

### **Appeal Case No. 1850 of 2019**

Present : Sh. Jatinder Kumar, the appellant in person.  
Sh. Diljit Singh, Junior Engineer, on behalf of the respondent.

#### **ORDER**

This case was last heard on 03.12.2019 and the appellant pointed out certain deficiencies in the information supplied through a letter dated 05.11.2019 to the concerned respondent PIO and an opportunity was given to the respondent PIO concerned to supply the information to the appellant after removing the deficiencies, through registered post and submit a copy of the postal receipt in the Commission.

Sh. Diljit Singh, Junior Engineer, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, states that in response to the RTI request, complete information has been supplied to the appellant, Sh. Jatinder Kumar.

The appellant, Sh. Jatinder Kumar, who appeared in person in today's hearing, through a letter dated 27.01.2020, has acknowledged that he has received the requisite information and satisfied with the same and asked for filing of his case. It is taken on record.

Since the information stands supplied, the case is **disposed of and closed.**

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

**Date : 27<sup>th</sup> January, 2020**

**(Sanjiv Garg)**  
**State Information Commissioner**  
**Punjab**



Jasbir Singh,  
Village Bholapur Jhabewal  
P. O. - Ramgarh, Chandigarh Road,  
Distt. Ludhiana -123455(Punjab)

...Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,  
O/o The Secretary,  
Regional Transport Authority,  
Ludhiana(Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,  
O/o The State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,  
Sector 17, Chandigarh

... Respondents

### **Appeal Case No. 1782 of 2019**

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.  
Sh. Amareep Singh, Clerk, on behalf of the respondent.

#### **ORDER**

This case was last heard on 03.12.2019 and the respondent PIO through a reply vide letter no. 8747 dated 26.09.2019 has intimated the Commission that the requisite information was given to the appellant vide letter no. 6327 dated 01.03.2019 and again vide letter no. 655 dated 16.04.2019 through registered post. Final opportunity was given to the appellant to point out deficiencies, if any, in the information supplied to him.

The appellant, Sh. Jasbir Singh, is absent from today's hearing without any intimation to the Commission.

Sh. Amardeep Singh, Clerk, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, submits a reply vide letter no. 10590 dated 18.12.2019 in reply to the show-cause issued vide order dated 17.09.2019, signed by PIO-cum-Assistant Transport Officer, Regional Transport Authority, Ludhiana, showing that the requisite information has been supplied to the appellant vide letter no. 6327 dated 01.03.2019 and again vide letter no. 655 dated 16.04.2019. On that reply, the appellant, Sh. Jasbir Singh has put his signatures as an acknowledgement of having received the requisite information. It is taken on record.

As the respondent PIO has supplied to complete information to the appellant to his satisfaction and the appellant has acknowledged that he has received the required information, hence, show cause issued to the concerned respondent PIO vide orders dated 17.09.2019 is **dropped.**

In view of all the above, the case is **disposed of and closed.**

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Date : 27<sup>th</sup> January, 2020

(Sanjiv Garg)  
State Information Commissioner  
Punjab

Satnam Singh Dhawan  
S/o Sh. Gurdarshan Singh Dhawan,  
House no. 7, G.K. Vihar, Manakwal,  
Ludhiana(Punjab)

...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,  
O/o The State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,  
Sector 17, Chandigarh

First Appellate Authority,  
O/o The State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,  
Sector 17, Chandigarh

... Respondents

### **Appeal Case No. 1608 of 2019**

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.  
None on behalf of the respondent

#### **ORDER**

This case was last heard on 03.12.2019 and the respondent PIO was directed to send the remaining information at point no, 02 and 03 of the RTI request to the appellant through registered post at his residential address and produce a copy of the postal receipt in the Commission.

The appellant, Sh. Satnam Singh Dhawan, is absent from today's hearing without any intimation to the Commission.

The respondent PIO through a reply vide letter no. 1753 dated 24.01.2020, signed by Public Information Officer office of State Transport Commissioner, Punjab, Chandigarh, which has been received in the Commission through an e-mail, has intimated the Commission that he is unable to attend today's hearing and requested for an adjournment in this case. It is taken on record.

Nevertheless, another opportunity is given to both the parties to represent this case in person or through their representative, on the next date of hearing, positively.

The case is **adjourned to 23<sup>rd</sup> March, 2020 (Monday) at 11:00 A. M.**

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

**Date : 27<sup>th</sup> January, 2020**

**(Sanjiv Garg)  
State Information Commissioner  
Punjab**

Surinder Mahajan,  
Lane No. 2, Rampura,  
Near SDM Residence, Pathankot (Punjab)

...Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,  
O/o The Deputy Commissioner,  
Pathankot (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,  
O/o The Deputy Commissioner,  
Pathankot (Punjab)

... Respondents

### **Appeal Case No. 843 of 2019**

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.  
None on behalf of the respondent.

#### **ORDER**

This case was last heard on 23.10.2019 and the appellant had intimated the Commission that incomplete and wrong information was supplied to him by the respondent PIO at point no. 02 of the RTI request and last opportunity was given to the respondent PIO concerned to supply the remaining information at point no. 02 of the RTI request to the appellant within one week from that day or file a reply, in writing, to point no. 02 of the RTI request in an affidavit and send a copy the same to the appellant in advance.

The appellant, Sh. Surinder Mahajan, through a letter dated 23.10.2019, which has been received in the Commission vide Diary No. 216 dated 03.01.2020, has intimated the Commission that he is unable to attend today's hearing and requested for an adjournment in this case. It is taken on record.

The respondent through a reply vide letter no. 26 dated 23.01.2020 signed by Superintendent Grade - 1 office of Deputy Commissioner, Pathankot, which has been received in the Commission through an e-mail, has intimated the Commission that the staff members of office of Deputy Commissioner, Pathankot, are not able to attend today's hearing due to a function on 'Republic Day' at District Level and requested for an adjournment in this case. It is taken on record.

Nevertheless, another opportunity is given to both the parties to represent this case in person or through their representative, on the next date of hearing positively.

The case is **adjourned to 23<sup>rd</sup> March, 2020 (Monday) at 11:00 A. M.**

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

**Date : 27<sup>th</sup> January, 2020**

**(Sanjiv Garg)  
State Information Commissioner  
Punjab**

Jagjit Singh S/o Sh. Hukam Singh,  
R/o House no. 459-A,  
Sector 61, Chandigarh

....Complainant

V/s

Public Information Officer,  
O/o The Director,  
Technical Education and  
Industrial Training, Punjab,  
Sector 36-A, Chandigarh

...Respondents

### **Complaint Case No. 379 of 2019**

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.

- i) Sh. Mewa Singh, Superintendent(Grade-I)-cum-APIO(RTI Branch) ;
- ii) Sh. Sukhjinder Singh, Junior Assistant (RTI Branch), on behalf of the respondent.

### **ORDER**

This case was last heard on 20.01.2020 and Sh. Mewa Singh, Superintendent (Grade-I)-cum-APIO and Sh. Sukhjinder Singh, Junior Assistant, both of RTI Branch, had intimated the Commission that concerned official of branch of Admin. Branch/ Recruitment -1 is on leave and sought an adjournment in this case

The complainant, Sh. Jagjit Singh, through a letter dated 27.01.2020, which has been received in the Commission through an e-mail, has intimated the Commission that he is unable to attend today's hearing and requested for an adjournment in this case. Through that letter, he has also intimated the Commission that no information has been received by him from the respondent PIO till date. It is taken on record.

Sh. Mewa Singh, Superintendent(Grade-I)-cum-APIO and Sh. Sukhjinder Singh, Junior Assistant, both of RTI Branch, who appeared in today's hearing, state that a reply, vide letter no. 193 dated 22.01.2020, has been received from Assistant Director(Recruitment) and the same was shown to the complainant during his visit in the office of the respondent PIO. They also submit a reply vide letter no. 89-87 dated 23.01.2020, showing that the above-mentioned reply, vide letter no. 193 dated 22.01.2020, has been sent to the complainant. It, alongwith a copy of reply given vide letter no. 193 dated 22.01.2020, is taken on record.

Another opportunity is given to the complainant to represent this case in person or through his representative on the next date of hearing or it would be assumed that the complainant has received the above-mentioned replies and is satisfied with the same, accordingly, the case would be decided on merits.

The case is **adjourned to 28<sup>th</sup> April, 2020 (Tuesday) at 11:00 A. M.**

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

**Date : 27<sup>th</sup> January, 2020**

**(Sanjiv Garg)**  
**State Information Commissioner**  
**Punjab**

Satnam Singh Dhawan,  
House No. 7, G.K. Vihar ,  
Manakwal, Ludhiana (Punjab)

...Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,  
O/o The Secretary,  
Regional Transport Authority,  
Ludhiana(Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,  
O/o The State Transport Commissioner,  
Sector-17, Chandigarh

... Respondents

### **Appeal Case No. 761 of 2019**

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.  
Sh. Ravinder Singh, Clerk, on behalf of the respondent.

#### **ORDER**

This case was last heard on 23.10.2019 and the respondent-PIO concerned was directed to facilitate the appellant to inspect the relevant official record on 25.11.2019 at 11:00 A. M. and supply the required information, which would be identified as pending information by the appellant after inspection, to him as per official record.

Sh. Ravinder Singh, Clerk, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, submits a reply vide letter no. 5640 dated 16.08.2019, signed by Secretary, Regional Transport Authority, Ludhiana, showing that the requisite information has been supplied to the appellant. On that reply, the appellant, Sh. Satnam Singh Dhawan has put his signatures as an acknowledgement of having received the requisite information. It is taken on record.

The appellant, Sh. Satnam Singh Dhawan, through a letter dated 27.01.2020, has intimated the Commission that he has received the information regarding licenses and satisfied with the same and asked for filing of this case. It is taken on record.

Since the information stands supplied, the case is **disposed of and closed.**

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

**Date : 27<sup>th</sup> January, 2020**

**(Sanjiv Garg)**  
**State Information Commissioner**  
**Punjab**

Sarlochan Singh  
S/o Sh. Mehar Singh,  
C/o Sh. Hitender Kansal, Advocate,  
Chamber No. 117,  
Punjab & Haryana High Court,  
Chandigarh

...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,  
O/o The Collector,  
Deputy Commissioner Office,  
District Administrative Complex, Gurdaspur. (Pb.)

First Appellate Authority,  
O/o The Collector,  
Deputy Commissioner Office,  
District Administrative Complex, Gurdaspur. (Pb.)

... Respondents

**Appeal Case No. 1582 of 2019**

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.  
Sh. Sukhwinder Singh, Sadar Kanungo, on behalf of the respondent.

**ORDER**

This case was last heard on 23.10.2019 and the respondent PIO-cum-District Revenue Officer, Gurdaspur through a reply vide letter no. 887 dated 15.10.2019, has intimated the Commission that a reply was given to the appellant, intimating him that as per official record, no land or property is in the name of Mehar Singh as demanded by him through RTI request. Sh. Arvind Galov, Advocate (representative of the appellant), sought an adjournment in this case. An opportunity was given to the appellant to visit the office of the respondent on 25.10.2019 at 11:00 A.M. with the document, which shows that some land or some of property is in the name of Mehar Singh, as demanded by him through RTI request.

The respondent PIO through a reply vide letter no. 1136 dated 12.12.2019 signed by District Revenue Officer-cum-PIO, Gurdaspur, which has been received in the Commission vide Diary No. 24478 dated 20.12.2019, has intimated the Commission that vide order dated 23.10.2019 of the Commission, the appellant was advised to visit the office of the respondent on 25.10.2019 and the appellant has sought another date to visit the office through a letter dated 24.10.2019, accordingly, 20.11.2019 was fixed and the appellant had visited the office on 20.11.2019 to inspect the relevant official record. A letter dated 20.11.2019 signed by the appellant is also attached, showing that record of period of 1981-82 has been inspected. It, alongwith annexure, is taken on record.

Sh. Sukhwinder Singh, Sadar Kanungo, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, states that the appellant had visited the office on 20.11.2019 to inspect the relevant official record and no land or property is showing in the name of Mehar Singh (as demanded through RTI request).

The appellant, Sh. Sarlochan Singh, is absent from today's hearing without any intimation to the Commission. He has also not approached the Commission with any contrary claim.

In view of the above, it clearly shows that no document (from the official record) is identified by the appellant to be supplied, hence, the case is announced as **disposed of and closed.**

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

**Date : 27<sup>th</sup> January, 2020**

**(Sanjiv Garg)  
State Information Commissioner  
Punjab**

Jasbir Singh,  
Village Bholapur Jhabewal  
P. O. - Ramgarh, Chandigarh Road,  
Distt. Ludhiana -123455(Punjab)

...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,  
O/o The Secretary,  
Regional Transport Authority,  
Amritsar(Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,  
O/o The State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,  
Sector 17, Chandigarh

... Respondents

### **Appeal Case No. 1783 of 2019**

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.  
None on behalf of the respondent.

#### **ORDER**

This case was last heard on 03.12.2019 and last and final opportunity was given to the appellant to point out deficiencies in the information supplied to him by the respondent PIO. An opportunity was given to the respondent PIO concerned to represent this case in person or through his representative.

The respondent PIO through a reply vide letter no. 70 dated 15.01.2020 signed by Public Information Officer office of Secretary, Regional Transport Authority, Amritsar, which has been received in the Commission vide Diary No. 1223 dated 20.01.2020, has intimated the Commission that the appellant, Sh. Jasbir Singh has not pointed out any deficiency in the information supplied and also requested for exemption from personal hearing in this case. It is taken on record.

The appellant, Sh. Jasbir Singh through a letter dated 11.01.2020, which has been received in the Commission vide Diary No. 816 dated 14.01.2020, has requested for an adjournment in this case. Through that letter, he has intimated the Commission that on the hearing, held on 17.09.2019, Sh. Harwinder Singh, Junior Assistant had submitted the information vide letter number 4858 dated 13.09.2019 to the Court and directions were given to the respondent PIO to supply the information through registered post but no information has been supplied to him by the respondent PIO till date and as he has not received any information, he has not filed any written-submission regarding deficiencies. It is taken on record.



Another opportunity is given to the respondent-PIO concerned to supply the certified copies of the required information to the appellant, as per queries raised by him through his RTI request, through registered post before the next date of hearing and submit a copy of the postal receipt, (through which information would be sent to the Appellant) on the next date of hearing.

An opportunity is also given to the appellant to confirm whether he has received the information (which would be supplied by respondent PIO) or not. He is also advised to point out deficiencies, if any, in the information supplied to him, in writing, to the respondent PIO well in time so that the same could be removed by the respondent concerned by the next date of hearing. He is also advised to represent his case in person or through his representative on the next date of hearing.

The respondent Public Information Officer office of Secretary, Regional Transport Authority, Amritsar is also directed to remain present in person or represent this case through his representative on the next date of hearing positively.

The case is **adjourned to 23<sup>rd</sup> March, 2020 (Monday) at 11:00 A. M.**

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

**Date : 27<sup>th</sup> January, 2020**

**(Sanjiv Garg)  
State Information Commissioner  
Punjab**

Jasbir Singh,  
Village Bholapur Jhabewal  
P. O. - Ramgarh, Chandigarh Road,  
Distt. Ludhiana -123455(Punjab)

...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,  
O/o The Secretary,  
Regional Transport Authority,  
Ludhiana(Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,  
O/o The State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,  
Sector 17, Chandigarh

... Respondents

### **Appeal Case No. 1784 of 2019**

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.  
Sh. Amareep Singh, Clerk, on behalf of the respondent.

#### **ORDER**

This case was last heard on 03.12.2019 and the respondent PIO through a reply vide letter no. 8748 dated 26.09.2019 has intimated the Commission that the requisite information was given to the appellant vide letter no. 6326 dated 01.03.2019 and again vide letter no. 657 dated 16.04.2019 through registered post. Final opportunity was given to the appellant to point out deficiencies, if any, in the information supplied to him.

The appellant, Sh. Jasbir Singh, is absent from today's hearing without any intimation to the Commission.

Sh. Amardeep Singh, Clerk, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, submits a reply vide letter no. 10592 dated 18.12.2019 in reply to the show-cause issued vide order dated 17.09.2019, signed by PIO-cum-Assistant Transport Officer, Regional Transport Authority, Ludhiana, showing that the requisite information has been supplied to the appellant vide letter no. 6326 dated 01.03.2019 and again vide letter no. 657 dated 16.04.2019. On that reply, the appellant, Sh. Jasbir Singh has put his signatures on 14.12.2019 as an acknowledgement of having received the requisite information. It is taken on record.

As the respondent PIO has supplied to complete information to the appellant to his satisfaction and the appellant has acknowledged that he has received the required information, hence, show cause issued to the concerned respondent PIO vide orders dated 17.09.2019 is **dropped**.

In view of all the above, the case is **disposed of and closed**.

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Date : 27<sup>th</sup> January, 2020

(Sanjiv Garg)  
State Information Commissioner  
Punjab

Sanjeev Thakur,  
V. P. O. - Madhopur Cantt.,  
Teh. & Distt. - Pathankot (Punjab)

...Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,  
O/o The General Manager,  
Punjab Roadways, Pathankot(Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,  
O/o The Executive Director (Admin),  
PUNBUS, Jiwandeep Building,  
Sector 17, Chandigarh.

... Respondents

### **Appeal Case No. 1788 of 2019**

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.  
Sh. Manbir Singh, Stenographer, on behalf of the respondent.

#### **ORDER**

This case was last heard on 17.09.2019 and the respondent PIO through a reply vide letter no. 2196 dated 24.09.2019 has intimated the Commission that the requisite information was given to the appellant vide letter no. 113 dated 18.03.2019 through registered post. Another opportunity was given to the appellant to point out deficiencies, if any, in the information supplied to him.

Sh. Manbir Singh, Stenographer, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, states that complete information has already been supplied to the appellant, Sh. Sanjeev Thakur vide letter no. 113 dated 18.03.2019 through registered post.

The appellant, Sh. Sanjeev Thakur, through a letter dated 04.01.2020, which has been received in the Commission vide Diary No. 665 dated 13.01.2020, has intimated the Commission that the information supplied to him is not as per queries raised by him through RTI request as he has demanded 'Adda Parchi Book' through RTI request. It is taken on record.

After examining the RTI request placed in the case-file, it emerges that the appellant has demanded information regarding time-table in Pathankot Bus Stand, copy of toll receipt of buses going to J & K with daily timing Punjab Roadways for period 01.01.2017 to 10.01.2019 and list of shops allotted at bus stand and the period of allotment.

After examining the reply vide letter no. 2196 dated 24.09.2019 sent by the respondent PIO and copy of supplied information (placed in the case-file), it emerges that the respondent PIO had supplied the requisite information to the appellant as per queries raised by him through RTI request.

Since the information stands supplied, the case is **disposed of and closed**.

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

**Date : 27<sup>th</sup> January, 2020**

**(Sanjiv Garg)**  
**State Information Commissioner**  
**Punjab**