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Shri Jagwinder Singh,
S/o Shri Sardol Singh,
R/o Mohalla Aman Nagar,
Ferozepur Road, Zira City,
Distt. Ferozepur.

..... Complainant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Shiromani Gurudwara Prabandhak Committee,
Amritsar.

.....Respondent

Complaint Case No. 957 of 2019

Present:- Shri Jagwinder Singh, complainant/applicant is absent.
Shri Simarjit Singh, PIO O/o SGPC, Amritsar is present.

ORDER

Jagwinder Singh, complainant/applicant filed RTI application dated 12.03.2019 and sought some information from the PIO, O/o Shiromani Gurudwara Prabandhak Committee, Amritsar.

The complainant-applicant is absent today, whereas Shri Simarjit Singh, PIO has come present and he has submitted a copy of letter no.60139 dated 27.02.2020, which is taken in the file of the Commission. I have gone through the said letter and it is submitted that most of the information sought by the complainant/applicant is available on the website of Shiromani Gurudwara Prabandhak Committee, Amritsar i.e. www.sgpc.net and some information which is to be provided to the complainant/applicant has not been received from the concerned branches of Shiromani Gurudwara Prabandhak Committee.

So, the Secretary, Shiromani Gurudwara Prabandhak Committee, Amritsar is directed that the relevant record be provided to the PIO, so that he would be able to provide it to the complainant/applicant. In case of non compliance action will be taken.

The PIO is directed that he should file reply to the complaint filed by the complainant/applicant on the next date of hearing and provide the information to the complainant/applicant before the next date of hearing.

Both the parties to come present on the next date of hearing on **30.03.2020 at 11:00 A.M.**

Dated: 27.02.2020

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State Information Commissioner, Punjab.

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Shri Harmit Singh Sidhu, (M: 98786-91567),
S/o Shri Sher Singh,
C/o Baba Kala Finance Company,
Near Truck Union, Phul Road,
Rampura Phul, Bathinda.

..... Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Secretary, SGPC,
Sri Amritsar Sahib.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Chief Secretary, SGPC,
Sri Amritsar Sahib.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 3503 of 2019

Present:- Shri Harmit Singh Sidhu, appellant is absent.
Shri Simarjit Singh, PIO, O/o SGPC, Amritsar is present.

O R D E R

Shri Harmit Singh Sidhu, appellant filed RTI application dated 24.04.2019 and sought some information from the PIO, O/o Secretary, SGPC, Sri Amritsar Sahib.

Shri Harmit Singh Sidhu, appellant is absent today, however he has sent an e-mail that incomplete information has been provided to him by the PIO.

On the other hand Shri Simarjit Singh, PIO has come present and he stated that the information which was available with the office of the PIO has been provided to the appellant. He has submitted a letter dated 27.02.2020 and submitted that the information which was available in the records regarding 'Nanhi Chhaan' has been provided to the appellant.

I have gone through the RTI application dated 24.04.2019 and also discussed about the sought for information with the PIO. The PIO has resolved the matter involved in the RTI application and provided the sought for information to the appellant. So, the present appeal case is **disposed of and closed**.

Dated: 27.02.2020

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..... Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Secretary, SGPC,
Sri Amritsar Sahib.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Chief Secretary, SGPC,
Sri Amritsar Sahib.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 3505 of 2019

Present:- Shri Harmit Singh Sidhu, appellant is absent.
Shri Simarjit Singh, PIO, O/o SGPC, Amritsar is present.

O R D E R

Shri Harmit Singh Sidhu, appellant filed RTI application dated 23.04.2019 and sought some information from the PIO, O/o Secretary, SGPC, Sri Amritsar Sahib.

Shri Harmit Singh Sidhu, appellant is absent today, however he has sent an e-mail that he has received the information which was sent to him by the PIO, but the information is incomplete and he brought the deficiencies to the notice of the PIO.

On the other hand Shri Simarjit Singh, PIO has come present and he has submitted a copy of letter no.60136 dated 22.02.2020, which is taken in the file of the Commission. I have gone through the said letter and it is submitted that 54 pages of information has been provided to the appellant. The PIO stated that the appellant has brought some deficiencies in the information provided to him and the remaining information regarding the deficiencies would be provided to the appellant within 15 days.

So, the PIO is directed that attested copies of remaining information regarding the deficiencies be sent to the appellant through registered post within 15 days.

Both the parties should personally come present on the next date of hearing on **30.03.2020 at 11:00 A.M.**

Dated: 27.02.2020

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Rampura Phul, Bathinda.

..... Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Secretary, SGPC,
Sri Amritsar Sahib.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Chief Secretary, SGPC,
Sri Amritsar Sahib.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 3506 of 2019

Present:- Shri Harmit Singh Sidhu, appellant is absent.
Shri Simarjit Singh, PIO, O/o SGPC, Amritsar is present.

O R D E R

Shri Harmit Singh Sidhu, appellant filed RTI application dated 23.04.2019 and sought some information from the PIO, O/o Secretary, SGPC, Sri Amritsar Sahib.

Shri Harmit Singh Sidhu, appellant is absent today, however he has sent an e-mail that he has received the information which was sent to him by the PIO, but the information is incomplete and he brought the deficiencies to the notice of the PIO.

On the other hand Shri Simarjit Singh, PIO has come present and he requested for some time to provide the information to the appellant.

So, the PIO, O/o SGPC, Amritsar is directed that attested copies of information be sent to the appellant, specifically para-wise, through registered post within 15 days and come present on the next date of hearing along with copy of information and copy of postal receipt.

Both the parties should personally come present on the next date of hearing on **30.03.2020 at 11:00 A.M.**

Dated: 27.02.2020

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Shri Gurdip Singh, (M: 98150-27043),
S/o Shri Chanan Singh,
215, Ajit Nagar, Sultanwind Road,
Amritsar.

..... Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o President,
Shiromani Gurudwara Prabandhak Committee,
Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Chief Secertary,
Shiromani Gurudwara Prabandhak Committee,
Amritsar.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 3697 of 2019

Present:- Shri Gurdip Singh, appellant is absent.
Shri Simarjit Singh, PIO, O/o SGPC, Amritsar is present.

O R D E R

Shri Gurdip Singh, appellant filed RTI application dated 07.06.2019 and sought some information from the PIO, O/o President, SGPC, Amritsar.

Shri Gurdip Singh, appellant is absent today, however he has sent an e-mail, which is taken in the file of the Commission.

Shri Simarjit Singh, PIO has come present and stated that some information has been sent to the appellant and requested for some time to provide the remaining information.

So, the PIO is directed that attested copies of complete information as was sought by the appellant through his RTI application dated 07.06.2019, be sent to the appellant within 10 days through registered post.

Both the parties should personally come present on the next date of hearing on **30.03.2020 at 11:00 A.M.**

Dated: 27.02.2020

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Shri Gurdip Singh, (M: 98150-27043),
S/o Shri Chanan Singh,
215, Ajit Nagar, Sultanwind Road,
Amritsar.

..... Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Manager,
Sachkhand Sri Harmandir Sahib,
Sri Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Secretary,
Shiromani Gurudwara Prabandhak Committee,
Amritsar.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 4432 of 2019

Present:- Shri Gurdip Singh, appellant is absent.
Shri Simarjit Singh, PIO, O/o SGPC, Amritsar is present.

O R D E R

Shri Gurdip Singh, appellant filed RTI application dated 06.08.2019 and sought some information from the PIO, O/o Manager, Sachkhand Sri Harmandir Sahib, Sri Amritsar.

Shri Gurdip Singh, appellant is absent today, however he has sent an e-mail, which is taken in the file of the Commission.

Shri Simarjit Singh, PIO has come present and submitted a copy of letter no.60134 dated 22.02.2020, which is taken in the file of the Commission. I have gone through the said letter and it is submitted that 12 pages of information has been sent to the appellant by the PIO.

The appellant is directed that in case he feels some deficiencies in the information which was sent to him by the PIO, then he should bring the deficiencies in writing to the notice of the PIO within 7 days and the PIO is directed that in case the appellant brings the deficiencies to his notice, then the information regarding the deficiencies be sent to the appellant through registered post within 5 days from the receipt of list of deficiencies.

Both the parties to come present for further hearing on the next date on **30.03.2020 at 11:00 A.M.**

Dated: 27.02.2020

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Shri Jaswant Singh, S/o Shri Jarnail Singh, (M: 95923-90297),
R/o Near Auto Factory,
Village Hasanpur Prohita,
Tehsil & Distt. Patiala.
Presently residing Near Govt. High School,
Village Baran, Sirhind Road, Patiala.

..... Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Shiromani Gurudwara Prabandhak Committee,
Sri Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Shiromani Gurudwara Prabandhak Committee,
Amritsar.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 4448 of 2019

Present:- Shri Jaswant Singh, appellant is present.
Shri Simarjit Singh, PIO, O/o SGPC, Amritsar is present.

O R D E R

Shri Jaswant Singh, appellant filed RTI application dated 01.07.2019 and sought information regarding his appointment letter as Head Granthi at Gurudwara Shri Dukh Niwaran Sahib, Patiala and he also sought attested copies of papers of the cars which were offered/gifted to him by the sikh sangat.

Shri Simarjit Singh, PIO has come present today and he has submitted a copy of letter no.60138 dated 27.02.2020, which is taken in the file of the Commission. I have gone through the said letter and it is submitted that the information sought by the appellant had already been provided to him through letter no.60057 dated 24.06.2019.

During the course of hearing the appellant has shown some papers which had already been provided to the appellant in another RTI case. The appellant had copy of letter no.60020 dated 29.05.2019, a copy of letter no.896 dated 08.08.2017, a copy of appointment order dated 31.08.1996, a copy of letter no. 60084 dated 09.08.2017 and a copy of Office Note dated 12.07.2017. Photocopies of all the documents are taken in the file of the Commission.

I have gone through letter no.896 dated 08.08.2017, receipt no.34011 and it is submitted in the letter that no car was allocated to Shri Jaswant Singh by Shiromani Gurudwara Prabandhak Committee and no registration of any car is in the name of applicant Shri Jaswant Singh in the records of Shiromani Gurudwara Prabandhak Committee is available and copy of appointment order was sent to the appellant through this letter.

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So, it transpires from all the documents that the information had already been provided to the appellant. The copy of appointment order had already been provided to the appellant and is today in the custody of the appellant, which he has shown to the Commission and no car had ever been allocated to him by the SGPC and no papers/registration of any car is in the name of the appellant in the records of SGPC.

So, the information which was sought by the appellant through the present appeal case had already been provided to him by the PIO in another case and the information is with the appellant. Hence the present appeal case is **disposed of and closed**.

Dated: 27.02.2020

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Shri Manjinder Singh (9872015069),
2469, Sunny Enclave,
Sector 125, Kharar,
Distt. Mohali.

.....Appellant.

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o, Secretary, Regional Transport Authority,
Ferozepur..

First Appellate Authority:
O/o State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,
SCO 177-78, Sector 17-C,
Chandigarh.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 3225 of 2019

Present:- Shri Manjinder Singh, appellant is absent.
Shri Tarlochan Singh Sahota, PIO-cum-Secretary, RTA, Ferozepur is present.

O R D E R

Shri Manjinder Singh, appellant filed RTI application dated 23.05.2019 and sought some information from the office of the PIO.

I have gone through the case file. The information had already been provided to the appellant and the appellant was satisfied with the information provided to him.

Shri Tarlochan Singh Sahota, PIO-cum-Secretary, RTA, Ferozepur has come present today and he has submitted a copy of letter no.1861 dated 26.02.2020 along with the reply to the Show Cause Notice which was issued to him vide Order dated 14.01.2020.

I have gone through the reply to the Show Cause Notice and also heard the PIO on the Show Cause Notice. Shri Tarlochan Singh Sahota, PIO submitted before the Commission that in future he will remain vigilant towards his duties and provide the information to the information seekers within the stipulated period and he further requested that as the information has been provided to the appellant and the appellant is satisfied with the information, so please disposed of the present appeal case and also requested to drop the Show Cause Notice.

So, keeping in view the above mentioned facts, the Show Cause Notice issued to Shri Tarlochan Singh Sahota, PIO is hereby dropped and filed with the observation that in future the PIO should remain vigilant towards his duties and provide the information to the information seekers within the stipulated period.

As the information had already been provided to the appellant by the PIO, so the present appeal case is **disposed of and closed**.

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State Information Commissioner, Punjab

Dated: 27.02.2020

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Shri Gurinder Singh, (M: 98140-52117),
S/o Shri Naranjan Singh,
R/o Village Dehra Sahib,
Tehsil & Distt. Tarn Taran.

.....Complainant.

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o BDPO, Naushehra Pannua,
Distt. Tarn Taran.

.....Respondent

Complaint Case No. 225 of 2019

Present:- Shri Gurinder Singh, complainant/applicant is absent.
Shri Gurkirpal Singh, Panchayat Secretary, is present on behalf of Shri Tejinder Kumar, PIO-cum-BDPO, Naushehra Pannua, Distt. Tarn Taran.

O R D E R

Shri Gurinder Singh, complainant/applicant filed RTI application dated 07.12.2018 and sought some information from the PIO, O/o BDPO, Naushehra Pannua, Distt. Tarn Taran.

Shri Gurkirpal Singh, Panchayat Secretary, is present on behalf of the PIO and he stated that the sought for information was provided to the complainant/applicant on 15.09.2019 and the complainant/applicant had signed the receipt after receiving the information. He has submitted a copy of letter dated 15.09.2019, which is taken in the file of the Commission.

I have gone through the letter dated 15.09.2019 and complainant/applicant has signed on the said letter after receiving the information.

As the sought for information has been provided to the complainant/applicant by the PIO, so the present complaint case is **disposed of and closed**.

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Shri Bhupinder Punj, (M: 99152-35055),
R/o 186, Village Luhara,
Distt. Ludhiana.

.....Appellant.

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/ o Secretary,
Regional Transport Authority,
Hoshiarpur.

First Appellate Authority:
O/o State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,
SCO 172-73, Sector 17-C,
Chandigarh.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 3823 of 2019

Present:- Shri Bhupinder Punj, appellant is present.
Shri Amrik Singh, PIO-cum-ATO, O/o Secretary, RTA, Hoshiarpur is present.

O R D E R

The present appeal case was earlier heard by the Hon'ble Punjab State Information Commissioner, Ld. Shri Nidharak Singh Brar. The case was transferred to the present Bench for hearing vide Orders issued by the Hon'ble Chief Information Commissioner, Punjab. The notice of hearing was issued to both the parties for today.

Shri Bhupinder Punj, appellant filed RTI application dated 25.06.2019 and sought some information from the PIO, O/o Secretary, RTA, Hoshiarpur.

Shri Amrik Singh, PIO has provided the attested copies of sought for information to the appellant today before the Bench. The PIO stated that the same information was sought by the appellant through another appeal case no. 3932 of 2019 and the information was provided to the appellant and the appeal case was disposed of on 10.12.2019 and the appellant had submitted a duly signed written submission that he has received he sought for information and requested to disposed of the appeal case.

Through the present appeal case the appellant is again seeking the same information which had already been provided to him, so the present appeal case is **disposed of and closed.**

Dated: 27.02.2020

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Shri Bhupinder Punj, (M: 99152-35055),
R/o 186, Village Luhara,
Distt. Ludhiana.

.....Appellant.

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/ o Secretary,
Regional Transport Authority,
Patiala.

First Appellate Authority:
O/o State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,
SCO 172-73, Sector 17-C,
Chandigarh.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 3824 of 2019

Present:- Shri Bhupinder Punj, appellant is present.
Shri Hardayal Singh, Sr. Asstt. is present on behalf of Shri Sham Lal, PIO-cum-
ATO, O/o Secretary, RTA, Patiala.

O R D E R

The present appeal case was earlier heard by the Hon'ble Punjab State Information Commissioner, Ld. Shri Nidharak Singh Brar and vide Order dated 08.01.2020, the access to information has been denied as the information was not in the format in which the appellant was seeking through his RTI application.

As the RTI application was filed on 25.06.2019 and the reply was sent to the appellant on 11.12.2019 by the PIO, so a compensation of Rs.5,000/- was awarded in favour of the appellant by the Ld. State Information Commissioner vide Order dated 08.01.2020.

Both the parties are present today. The appellant stated that the PIO has paid him the amount of compensation of Rs.5,000/- by the way of demand draft from the funds of public authority.

As the information was denied vide Order dated 08.01.2020 and the case was kept pending for the compliance of the compensation to be paid and the compensation has been paid to the appellant, so the present appeal case is **disposed of and closed**.

Dated: 27.02.2020

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R/o 186, Village Luhara,
Distt. Ludhiana.

.....Appellant.

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/ o Secretary,
Regional Transport Authority,
Mohali.

First Appellate Authority:
O/o State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,
SCO 172-73, Sector 17-C,
Chandigarh.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 3825 of 2019

Present:- Shri Bhupinder Punj, appellant is present.
None present on behalf of the PIO, O/o Secretary, RTA, Mohali.

O R D E R

The present appeal case was earlier heard by the Hon'ble Punjab State Information Commissioner, Ld. Shri Nidharak Singh Brar and vide Order dated 08.01.2020, a direction was issued to the PIO to provide the sought for information to the appellant.

The appellant is present today and he stated that he has filed RTI application on 25.06.2019 and till today no information has been provided to him by the PIO.

On 08.01.2020, Shri Dharminder Singh, Steno was present on behalf of the PIO, but today none has come present on behalf of the PIO.

So, a last and final opportunity is granted to the PIO that the attested copies of sought for information be sent to the appellant through registered post within 10 days and come present on the next date of hearing along with copy of information and copy of postal receipt. In case of non compliance of the Order of the Commission, a Show Cause Notice will be issued to the PIO on the next date of hearing.

Both the parties to come present for further hearing of the appeal case on the next date on **24.03.2020 at 11:00 A.M.**

Dated: 27.02.2020

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State Information Commissioner, Punjab

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Distt. Ludhiana.

.....Appellant.

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/ o Secretary,
Regional Transport Authority,
Sangrur.

First Appellate Authority:
O/o State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,
SCO 172-73, Sector 17-C,
Chandigarh.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 3826 of 2019

Present:- Shri Bhupinder Punj, appellant is present.
None present on behalf of the PIO, O/o Secretary, RTA, Sangrur.

O R D E R

The present appeal case was earlier heard by the Hon'ble Punjab State Information Commissioner, Ld. Shri Nidharak Singh Brar and vide Order dated 08.01.2020, a direction was issued to the PIO to provide the sought for information to the appellant.

The appellant is present today and he stated that he has filed RTI application on 25.06.2019 and till today no information has been provided to him by the PIO.

None has come present on behalf of the PIO.

So, a last and final opportunity is granted to the PIO, O/o Secretary, RTA, Sangrur that the attested copies of sought for information be sent to the appellant through registered post within 10 days and come present on the next date of hearing along with copy of information and copy of postal receipt. In case of non compliance of the Order of the Commission, a Show Cause Notice will be issued to the PIO on the next date of hearing.

Both the parties to come present for further hearing of the appeal case on the next date on **24.03.2020 at 11:00 A.M.**

Dated: 27.02.2020

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Distt. Ludhiana.

.....Appellant.

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/ o Secretary,
Regional Transport Authority,
Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority:
O/o State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,
SCO 172-73, Sector 17-C,
Chandigarh.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 3775 of 2019

Present:- Shri Bhupinder Punj, appellant is present.
None present on behalf of the PIO, O/o Secretary, RTA, Amritsar.

O R D E R

The present appeal case was earlier heard by the Hon'ble Punjab State Information Commissioner, Ld. Shri Nidharak Singh Brar and vide Order dated 06.01.2020, a direction was issued to the PIO to provide the sought for information to the appellant.

The appellant is present today and he stated that he has filed RTI application on 25.06.2019 and till today no information has been provided to him by the PIO.

None has come present on behalf of the PIO, but the Commission has received an e-mail sent by the PIO, O/o Secretary, RTA, Amritsar, which is a copy of letter no.0076 dated 15.01.2020. I have gone through the said mail and it is submitted by the PIO that the sought for information has been provided to the appellant by hand in the form of pen drive.

But the appellant stated that no information has been provided to him by the PIO in the present case.

So, the PIO, O/o Secretary, RTA, Amritsar is directed that the attested copies of sought for information be sent to the appellant through registered post within a week and come present on the next date of hearing along with copy of information and copy of postal receipt. In case of non compliance of the Order of the Commission, action will be taken against the PIO under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

Both the parties to come present for further hearing of the appeal case on the next date on **24.03.2020 at 11:00 A.M.**

Dated: 27.02.2020

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State Information Commissioner, Punjab**

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.....Appellant.

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O/ o Secretary,
Regional Transport Authority,
Patiala.

First Appellate Authority:
O/o State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,
SCO 172-73, Sector 17-C,
Chandigarh.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 3776 of 2019

Present:- Shri Bhupinder Punj, appellant is present.
Shri Hardayal Singh, Sr. Asstt. is present on behalf of Shri Sham Lal, PIO-cum-
ATO, O/o Secretary, RTA, Patiala.

O R D E R

The present appeal case was earlier heard by the Hon'ble Punjab State Information Commissioner, Ld. Shri Nidharak Singh Brar and vide Order dated 06.01.2020, a direction was issued to the PIO to provide the sought for information to the appellant.

The appellant is present today and he stated that he has filed RTI application on 25.06.2019 and till today no information has been provided to him by the PIO, whereas a period of eight months has been passed.

The conduct of the PIO amounts to denial of information and defiance of the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005. So, a Show Cause Notice is issued to Shri Sham Lal, PIO-cum-ATO, O/o Secretary, RTA, Patiala that why you have not provided the sought for information to the appellant within the stipulated period and so why you may not be penalized U/s 20(1) of the RTI Act, 2005.

The PIO is directed that he should personally come present on the next date of hearing and file reply to the Show Cause Notice and an opportunity of personal hearing will be afforded to him. The PIO is further directed to send the attested copies of sought for information to the appellant through registered post within 10 days.

Both the parties to come present for further hearing of the appeal case on the next date on **24.03.2020 at 11:00 A.M.**

Dated: 27.02.2020

**(Avtar Singh Kaler)
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.....Appellant.

Vs

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O/ o Secretary,
Regional Transport Authority,
Jalandhar.

First Appellate Authority:
O/o State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,
SCO 172-73, Sector 17-C,
Chandigarh.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 3777 of 2019

Present:- Shri Bhupinder Punj, appellant is present.
Shri Jatinder Singh, Data Entry Operator is present on behalf of Ms. Ambika,
PIO-cum-Section Officer, O/o Secretary, RTA, Jalandhar.

ORDER

The present appeal case was earlier heard by the Hon'ble Punjab State Information Commissioner, Ld. Shri Nidharak Singh Brar and vide Order dated 06.01.2020, a direction was issued to the PIO to provide the sought for information to the appellant.

The appellant is present today. Shri Jatinder Singh has come present on behalf of the PIO and he submitted a copy of letter no.2663 dated 26.02.2020 through which he has been authorized by the PIO to appear before the Commission. The respondent has also submitted a copy of letter no.2664 dated 26.02.2020 through which copies of information has been provided to the appellant today before the Bench.

The appellant has gone through the copies of information and he stated that he is satisfied with the information provided to him except para no.8 of the RTI application. The appellant stated that no information has been provided to him regarding para no.8 of the RTI application.

I have gone through para no.8 of the RTI application and the appellant is seeking information regarding enhanced weight of trucks and during the course of hearing the appellant stated that he is seeking information regarding enhancement of loads carried by the trucks. But through para no.8 of his RTI application he has not sought this information, so the present appeal case is **disposed of and closed**.

(Avtar Singh Kaler)

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Faridkot.

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Chandigarh.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 3778 of 2019

Present:- Shri Bhupinder Punj, appellant is present.
None present on behalf of the PIO, O/o Secretary, RTA, Faridkot.

O R D E R

The present appeal case was earlier heard by the Hon'ble Punjab State Information Commissioner, Ld. Shri Nidharak Singh Brar and vide Order dated 06.01.2020, a direction was issued to the PIO to provide the sought for information to the appellant.

The appellant is present today and he stated that he has filed RTI application on 25.06.2019 and till today no information has been provided to him by the PIO.

None has come present on behalf of the PIO.

So, a last and final opportunity is granted to the PIO, O/o Secretary, RTA, Faridkot that the attested copies of sought for information be sent to the appellant through registered post within a week and the PIO should personally come present on the next date of hearing along with copy of information and copy of postal receipt. In case of non compliance of the Order of the Commission, action will be taken against the PIO under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

Both the parties to come present for further hearing of the appeal case on the next date on **24.03.2020 at 11:00 A.M.**

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O/ o Secretary,
Regional Transport Authority,
Pathankot.

First Appellate Authority:
O/o State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,
SCO 172-73, Sector 17-C,
Chandigarh.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 3779 of 2019

Present:- Shri Bhupinder Punj, appellant is present.
None present on behalf of the PIO, O/o Secretary, RTA, Pathankot.

O R D E R

The present appeal case was earlier heard by the Hon'ble Punjab State Information Commissioner, Ld. Shri Nidharak Singh Brar and vide Order dated 06.01.2020, a direction was issued to the PIO to provide the sought for information to the appellant.

The appellant is present today and he stated that he has filed RTI application on 25.06.2019 and till today no information has been provided to him by the PIO.

None has come present on behalf of the PIO.

So, a last and final opportunity is granted to the PIO, O/o Secretary, RTA, Pathankot that the attested copies of sought for information be sent to the appellant through registered post within a week and the PIO should personally come present on the next date of hearing along with copy of information and copy of postal receipt. In case of non compliance of the Order of the Commission, action will be taken against the PIO under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

Both the parties to come present for further hearing of the appeal case on the next date on **24.03.2020 at 11:00 A.M.**

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Bathinda.

First Appellate Authority:
O/o State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,
SCO 172-73, Sector 17-C,
Chandigarh.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 3780 of 2019

Present:- Shri Bhupinder Punj, appellant is present.
Shri Bhupinder Singh, APIO-cum-ATO is present on behalf of Shri Manish Kumar, PIO-cum-Section Officer, O/o Secretary, RTA, Bathinda.

O R D E R

The present appeal case was earlier heard by the Hon'ble Punjab State Information Commissioner, Ld. Shri Nidharak Singh Brar and vide Order dated 06.01.2020, a direction was issued to the PIO to provide the sought for information to the appellant.

The appellant is present today and he stated that he has filed RTI application on 25.06.2019 and till today no information has been provided to him by the PIO.

The APIO has come present on behalf of the PIO and he submitted a copy of letter no.4878 dated 24.02.2020, which is taken in the file of the Commission. I have gone through the said letter and discussed the matter with both the parties. After the discussion, I am of the view that the information is to be provided to the appellant.

So, the PIO, O/o Secretary, RTA, Bathinda is directed that attested copies of sought for information, specifically para-wise, be sent to the appellant through registered post within a week and the PIO should come present on the next date of hearing along with copy of information and copy of postal receipt.

Both the parties to come present for further hearing of the appeal case on the next date on **24.03.2020 at 11:00 A.M.**

Dated: 27.02.2020

**(Avtar Singh Kaler)
State Information Commissioner, Punjab**