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Versus



Sh. Iqbal Singh, (7015132542)

S/o Sh. Ujagar Singh,

Village Bangi Nihal Singh, Distt Bathinda.

.....Appellant/Complainant

.....Respondent

**Public Information Officer** 

O/o Assistant Registrar, Cooperative Societies, Talwandi Saboo, Bathinda.

> Complaint Case No.127 of 2021 (Cisco Webex Proceedings)

RTI application filed on : 10-07-2020

PIO replied on : -

Present: None

#### ORDER:

- 1. The Appellant/Complainant filed above mentioned appeal/complaint cases in the Commission dated 22.01.2021. Accordingly, the cases are fixed for today.
- 2. **Written Submission by Respondent:** An email dated 26.04.2021 is received by the bench of undersigned vide which the complainant's representative Sh. Nirmal Singh has acknowledged that the sought information has been provided to him and is satisfied with the same. This email is taken on record.
- **3.** As the information stands supplied therefore, no cause of action is required in this case. Hence, the instant complaint case is **disposed & closed**.

Chandigarh Dated: 27.04.2021 Sd/-(Maninder Singh Patti) State Information Commissioner, Pb.

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.....Appellant/Complainant

.....Respondent

Sh. Nitin Kumar Garg, (7814322100)

C/o Police Public Dairy, 15 A,

Shastari Nagar, Model Town, Ludhiana.

Versus

**Public Information Officer** 

O/o Block Development and Panchayat Officer,

Patran, Distt Patiala.

**First Appellate Authority** 

O/o District Development and Panchayat Officer,

Patiala.

Appeal Case No.549 of 2021

(Cisco Webex Proceedings)

RTI application filed on : 10-11-2020

PIO replied on : -

First appeal filed on : 14-10-2020 First Appellate Authority order : 18-11-2020

Present: Appellant: Sh. Nitin Kumar Garg

Respondent: Sh. Sharanpreet Singh (SDE), 9417750447

#### ORDER:

- 1. The Appellant/Complainant filed above mentioned appeal/complaint cases in the Commission dated 15.01.2021. Accordingly, the cases are fixed for today.
- 2. Both the parties are present. Appellant, Sh. Nitin Kumar Garg stated that partial information has been supplied so far. However, Respondent Sh. Sharanpreet Singh pleaded that sought information has already been provided to the appellant and no any other information pertaining to this is available in the office record.
- 3. After hearing both the parties and going through the records placed in the case file, the Commission directs the PIO to furnish an affidavit providing therein the factual situation and affirming the position that the information sought by the appellant could not be furnished due to non-availability of records along with the reasons for its non-availability.

The Appeal stands **disposed** with the above direction.

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Sh. Vijay Kumar Zaildar (Retd.), (9814568617)	
Village Lamini,	
P.O, Tehsil & Distt Pathankot-145001.	Appellant/Complainant
Versus	
Public Information Officer	Respondent
O/o Deputy Commissioner,	·
Gurdaspur.	

Complaint Case No.120 of 2021 (Cisco Webex Proceedings)

RTI application filed on : 01-04-2020

PIO replied on : -

Present: Appellant: Absent

Respondent: Sh. Anil Kumar (Supt.) 9465562163

#### ORDER:

- 1. The Appellant/Complainant filed above mentioned appeal/complaint cases in the Commission dated 19.01.2021. Accordingly, the cases are fixed for today.
- Appellant, Sh. Vijay Kumar Zaildar is absent but an acknowledgment email from him dated 27.04.2021 has been received by the bench of undersigned, wherein the appellant has mentioned that sought information has been supplied to him. This email is taken on record.
- 3. Commission is in receipt of the copy of information (via email dated 26.04.2021) so supplied to the appellant, by the respondent authority.
- **4.** As the information stands supplied therefore, no cause of action is required in this case. Hence, the instant complaint case is **disposed & closed.**

Chandigarh Dated: 27.04.2021 Sd/-(Maninder Singh Patti) State Information Commissioner, Pb.

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Sh. Karamjit Singh, (9915627404)	
S/o Sh. Pritam Singh,	
R/o Thuliwal, Distt Barnala.	Appellant/Complainan
Versus	
Public Information Officer	Responden
O/o Deputy Commissioner,	·
Gurdaspur.	

Complaint Case No.125 of 2021 (Cisco Webex Proceedings)

RTI application filed on : 29-11-2020 PIO replied on : 01-01-2021

Present: Appellant: Sh. Karamjit Singh

Respondent: Sh. Sanju Singh (Sr. Asst.), 7009371416

### **ORDER:**

1. The Appellant/Complainant filed above mentioned appeal/complaint cases in the Commission dated 21.01.2021. Accordingly, the cases are fixed for today

### **Information Sought**

ਬੇਨਤੀ ਹੈ ਕਿ ਮੈਂ ਮਾਰਚ 2020 ਵਿੱਚ ਹੋਈ ਸਹਿਕਾਰੀ ਸਭਾ ਠੁੱਲੀਵਾਲ ਦੀ ਚੋਣ ਲਈ ਮੈਂਬਰ ਵੱਜੋਂ ਕਾਗਜ ਭਰੇ ਸਨ।ਪਰੰਤੂ ਮੌਕੇ ਤੇ ਚੋਣ ਅਧਿਕਾਰੀ ਨੇ ਮੇਰੇ ਕਾਗਜ ਇਸ ਕਰਕੇ ਰੱਦ ਕਰ ਦਿੱਤੇ ਕਿ ਮੈਂ ਸੇਵਾ ਮੁਕਤ ਅਧਿਆਪਕ ਦੀ ਪੈਨਸ਼ਨ ਅਤੇ ਨੰਬਰਦਾਰੀ ਦਾ ਮਾਣ ਭੱਤਾ ਲੈਂਦਾ ਹਾਂ।ਪਰ ਸਸਾਇਟੀ ਦੀ ਚੋਣ ਦੇ ਉਪ ਨਿਯਮ 6 ਵਿੱਚ ਇਹ ਅਯੋਗਤਾ ਕਿਤੇ ਵੀ ਦਰਜ ਨਹੀਂ ਹੈ।ਮੇਰੇ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਮੰਗੀ ਗਈ ਸੂਚਨਾ ਦੇ ਨਿਯਮ 35 ਖ ਅਤੇ ਗ ਜੋ ਦਿੱਤੀ ਗਈ ਹੈ ਉਹ ਪ੍ਰਬੰਧਕੀ ਕਮੇਟੀ ਦੇ ਚੁਣੇ ਗਏ ਮੈਂਬਰ ਵਾਸਤੇ ਹੈ ਕਿ ਉਹ ਸਭਾ ਦੇ ਲਾਭ ਵਾਲੇ ਅਹੁਦੇ ਤੇ ਨਾ ਹੋਵੇ ਅਤੇ ਨਾ ਹੀ ਕਿਸੇ ਸੰਸਥਾ ਦਾ ਤਨਖਾਹਦਾਰ ਮੁਲਾਜਮ ਹੋਵੇ।ਜਦ ਕਿ ਮੈਂਨੂੰ ਤਾਂ ਪ੍ਰਬੰਧਕੀ ਕਮੇਟੀ ਦਾ ਮੈਂਬਰ ਬਣਨ ਤੋਂ ਰੋਕਣ ਲਈ ਜਾਣ ਬੁੱਝ ਕੇ ਸਸਾਇਟੀ ਦੇ ਕਰਮਚਾਰੀਆ ਦੇ ਪ੍ਰਭਾਵ ਅਧੀਨ ਨਿਯਮ 35 ਖ ਅਤੇ ਗ ਦੀ ਗਲਤ ਵਰਤੋਂ ਕਰਕੇ ਮੇਰੇ ਕਾਗਜ ਰੱਦ ਕਰ ਦਿੱਤੇ।ਜਦ ਕਿ ਮੈਂ ਪ੍ਰਬੰਧਕੀ ਕਮੇਟੀ ਦੇ ਮੈਂਬਰ ਬਣਨ ਦੀਆਂ ਸਾਰੀਆਂ ਸਰਤਾਂ ਪੂਰੀਆ ਕਰਦਾ ਸੀ।

ਸੋਂ ਕਿਰਪਾ ਕਰਕੇ ਮੈਨੂੰ ਇਨਸਾਫ ਦਿੱਤਾ ਜਾਵੇ ਅਤੇ ਗਲਤ ਇਤਰਾਜ ਲਾਉਣ ਵਾਲੇ ਅਧਿਕਾਰੀ ਵਿਰੁੱਧ ਬਣਦੀ ਮਹਿਕਮਾਨਾ ਕਾਰਵਾਈ ਕੀਤੀ ਜਾਵੇ ਨਹੀਂ ਤਾਂ ਮੈਂ ਮਜਬੂਰੀ ਵੱਸ ਮਾਣਯੋਗ ਯੋਗ ਅਦਾਲਤ ਦਾ ਦਰਵਾਜਾ ਖੜਕਾਉਣ ਲਈ ਮੰਜਬੂਰ ਹੋਵਾਂਗਾ।ਜਿਸ ਦੀ ਸਾਰੀ ਜੁੰਮੇਵਾਰੀ ਮਹਿਕਮੇ ਦੀ ਹੋਵੇਗੀ।

- 2. Grounds for the Complaint: Reply furnished by the PIO was unsatisfactory.
- 3. Both the parties are present. Respondent, Sh. Sanju Singh had brought the reply/information pertaining to the information sought by the complainant and handed over in the Commission. He further added that no any other information pertaining to this RTI application is available in his office record. On this, Appellant, Sh. Karamjit Singh stated the respondent is misleading the court and he is not satisfied with the reply.

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4. On perusal of the RTI application dated 29/11/2020, the Commission noted that the

information sought by the Appellant pertained largely to the reasons behind certain

administrative actions and decisions.

5. It follows from the aforesaid that only those reasons (for certain administrative actions or

decisions), which are available on record, come within the purview of the RTI Act. In view

of the reasons enumerated above, the information sought by the Appellant in the RTI

application dated 29/11/2010 is not 'information' under Section 2(f) of the RTI Act.

Further, Section 2(f) of the RTI Act, which defines "information" provides as follows:

"2. Definitions.- In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires,- ...

(f) "information" means any material in any form, including records, documents, memos, e-

mails, opinions, advices, press releases, circulars, orders, logbooks, contracts, reports, papers, samples, models, data material held in any electronic form and information relating to any

private body which can be accessed by a public authority under any other law for the time

being in force;"

4. However, the PIO is directed to furnish a modified reply to the Appellant with a copy to the

Commission, within 10 days of receipt of the order, in the form of affidavit, providing

therein the factual situation and affirming the position that the information sought by

the appellant could not be furnished due to non-availability of records along with the

reasons for its non-availability.

Accordingly, the complaint case is dismissed/closed.

Chandigarh Dated: 27.04.2021

Sd/-(Maninder Singh Patti) State Information Commissioner, Pb.

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