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Shri Harwinder Singh, (89687 61563) S/o Shri Lachhman Singh, R/o Village Talwandi, P.O. Pratap Singh Wala, Ludhiana - 141008

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer.

O/o Maximum Security Jail, Nabha, District Patiala.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Maximum Security Jail, Nabha, District Patiala.

...Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 72 OF 2022 (Cisco Webex Procedings)

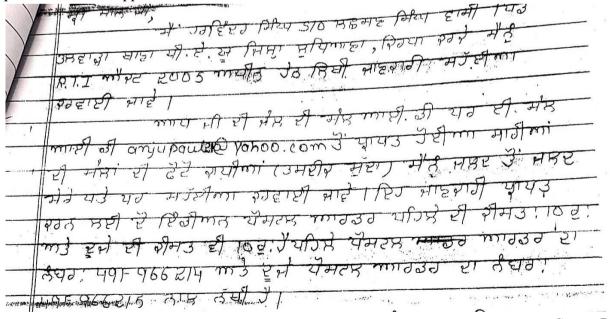
PRESENT: None on behalf of the Appellant.

Constable Devinder Singh (99885 30031) on behalf of the PIO.

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 03.11.2021 vide which the Appellant has sought information from the PIO O/o Maximum Security Jail, Nabha, District Patiala on the following

points in his RTI application as under: -



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- 2. On not receiving information from the PIO even after filing First Appeal with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 26.11.2021, the Appellant filed Second Appeal in the Commission on 20.12.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act) and as such Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 02.05.2022.
- 3. During the hearing dated 02.05.2022, both the parties were absent and case was adjourned for 27.07.2022.
- 4. The case has been heard today. The Respondent states that complete information has already been supplied to the appellant and he has acknowledged the same in writing.
- 5. Despite adequate notice for the hearing, the Appellant is absent for today's hearing without any intimation to the Commission. It seems that he is not interested in pursuing the case further and it is presumed that he is satisfied with the information provided by the PIO.
- 6. In view of the above, no further action is required in the matter. Hence, the instant Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed.** Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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Shri Jagdeep Singh, (98556 26011) S/o Shri Atma Singh, R/o Village Matoli, P.O. & Tehsil Malerkotla, District Sangrur.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer.

O/o Assistant Registrar, Cooperative Societies, Malerkotla (Sangrur).

First Appellate Authority

O/o Deputy Registrar,

Cooperative Societies, Malerkotla, District Sangrur.

...Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 172 OF 2022 (Cisco Webex Proceedings)

PRESENT: Shri Jagdeep Singh, Appellant.

Ms. Sandeep Kaur, PIO – cum – Assistant Registrar (94786 80169)

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 28.09.2021 vide which the Appellant has sought information from the PIO O/o Assistant Registrar, Cooperative Societies, Malerkotla, District Sangrur on the following points in his RTI application as under: -

First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 01.11.2021, the Appellant filed Second Appeal in the Commission on 30.12.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act) and as such Notice of hearing was issued to the parties.

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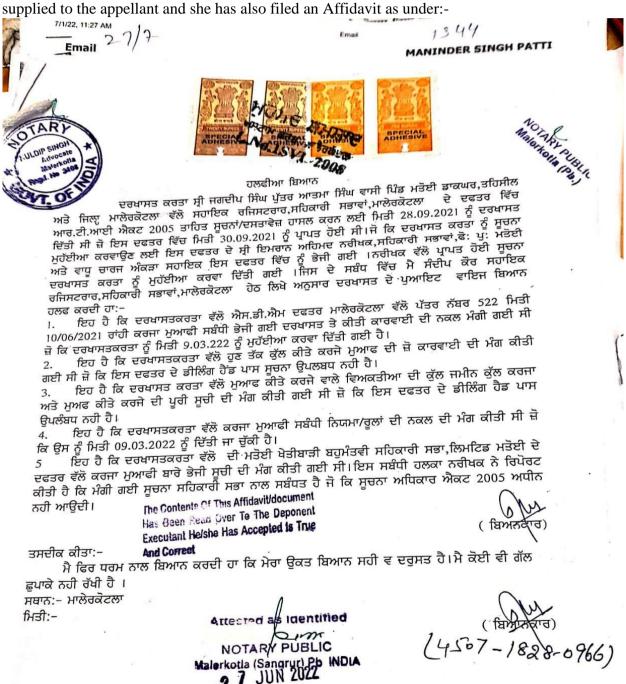
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3. The case has been heard today. The Appellant states that incomplete information has been provided to him whereas the PIO states that requisite information has already been



The original Affidavit is being sent along with the order to the appellant and copy of the same is retained in the case file.

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- 4. The Bench, on perusal of the Affidavit, is convinced that adequate information/reply has been supplied to the appellant.
- 5. In view of the above, no further intervention is required in the matter. Hence, the instant Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed.** Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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Enclosure: As above.

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Shri Amarjit Singh Dhamotia, (98887 10031) R/o # 1331-5, Vishawkarma Bhawan, Down Canal Road, Shimlapuri, Ludhiana - 141003

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer.

O/o Financial Commissioner, Cooperation, Punjab Civil Secretariat – II, Sector – 9, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Financial Commissioner, Cooperation, Punjab Civil Secretariat – II, Sector – 9, Chandigarh.

...Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 187 OF 2022 (Cisco Webex Proceedings)

PRESENT: None on behalf of the Appellant.

Ms. Priyanka, Sr. Assistant – cum – APIO for the Respondents (84370 44746)

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 21.08.2021 vide which the Appellant has sought information from the PIO O/o Financial Commissioner, Cooperation, Punjab Civil Secretariat – II, Sector – 9, Chandigarh in his RTI application.

- 2. On not receiving information from the PIO and even after filing First Appeal with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 01.03.2021, the Appellant filed Second Appeal in the Commission on 18.03.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act) and as such Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 02.05.2022
- 3. During the hearing dated 02.05.2022, the relevant part of the order passed by the Bench is reproduced below: -

"The Appellant states that no information has been provided to him whereas the Respondent states that the appellant was asked to deposit the documentation fee of Rs. 12/- for 6 pages relating to point no. 1 and 2 of the demanded information but he did not turn up. She further states that point no. 3 of the RTI application of the appellant is under consideration therefore cannot be provided to him.

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In view of the above, the Appellant is advised to visit respondent's office and get the information after depositing the requisite fee and the appellant gives his consent to visit afternoon on 10.05.2022 for the same.

The PIO is directed to facilitate him and provide the requisite information on the spot, with a copy to the Commission, failing which penal consequences shall follow.

The case is adjourned to 27.07.2022.

- 4. The case has been heard today. The Respondent states that as per orders of Hon'ble Bench, on last date of hearing, the appellant was asked to visit the office on 26.04.2022 for inspection of records but he did not turn up and today the appellant is absent without any intimation to the Commission.
- 5. After perusal of the case file, it is revealed that the appellant filed RTI application vide letter dated 21.08.2021 and the PIO asked for documentation fee vide letter dated 10.09.2021 within stipulated period.
- 6. In view of the above, the appellant is at liberty to inspect the record within 20 days and deposit the documentation fee and get the information after receipt of this order. The PIO is also directed to comply with the orders.
- 7. With the aforesaid directions, the instant Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed.**Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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Shri Prem Kumar Rattan, (85095 80002) R/o H. No. 78/8, Park Road, Navi Mandi, Dhuri, District Sangrur.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer.

O/o District Treasury Officer, Patiala.

First Appellate Authority

O/o District Treasury Officer, Patiala.

...Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 233 OF 2022 (Cisco Webex Proceedings)

PRESENT: None on behalf of the Appellant.

Shri Balwinder Singh, PIO – cum – District Treasury Officer (98779 43998)

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 21.08.2021 vide which the Appellant has sought information from the PIO O/o Financial Commissioner, Cooperation, Punjab Civil Secretariat – II, Sector – 9, Chandigarh in his RTI application.

- 2. On not receiving information from the PIO and even after filing First Appeal with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 01.03.2021, the Appellant filed Second Appeal in the Commission on 18.03.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act) and as such Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 02.05.2022.
- 3. During the hearing dated 02.05.2022, the relevant part of the order passed by the Bench is reproduced below: -

"The Respondent states requisite information/reply has already been sent to the appellant vide letter no. 8976, dated 14.09.2021 and detailed reply in this regard submitted in the Commission vide diary no. 6122, dated 25.03.2022.

The Appellant is absent. However he has sent in the Commission vide diary no. 7809, dated 18.04.2022 mentioning therein that he has received reply but not information.

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In view of the above, the PIO is directed to provide the available information to the appellant, with a copy to the Commission, if there is no information available in the record than file a proper point wise Affidavit in this regard within week, failing which penal consequences shall follow.

The Appellant is advised to follow up his case in the Commission, failing which decision shall be taken on merits.

The case is adjourned to 27.07.2022.

- 4. The case has been heard today. The Respondent states that as per orders of Hon'ble Bench on last date of hearing, the remaining information has been supplied to the appellant vide letter no. 5664, dated 20.05.2022 and copy of the same is taken on record.
- 5. Despite adequate notice for the hearing, the Appellant is absent for the second consecutive hearing without any intimation to the Commission. It is presumed that he is satisfied with the information provided by the PIO, as such he does not seem to be pursuing the case further.
- 6. After perusal of the case file and reply sent by the PIO, the Bench is convinced that adequate information stands supplied to the appellant.
- 7. In view of the above, the Bench does not feel need for further intervention in the matter. Hence, the instant Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed.** Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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Shri Sunil Kumar Aggarwal (98140 72102) R/o Shivalik House, Outside Pahari Gate, Batala – 143505 (Gurdaspur)

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer.

O/o Senior Superintendent of Police, Batala, District Gurdaspur.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Punjab Police Headquarter, Sector – 9, Chandigarh.

...Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 261 OF 2022 (Cisco Webex Proceedings)

PRESENT: None for the Parties.

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 04.08.2021 vide which the Appellant has sought information from the PIO O/o Senior Superintendent of Police, Batala, District Gurdaspur on the 12 points in his RTI application.

- 2. On not receiving information from the PIO and even after filing First Appeal with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 01.10.2021, the Appellant filed Second Appeal in the Commission on 31.12.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act) and as such Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 02.05.2022
- 3. During the hearing dated 02.05.2022, the relevant part of the order passed by the Bench is reproduced below: -

"The Appellant states that no information has been provided to him whereas the Respondent orally states that demanded information pertaining to third party information and cannot be provided to the appellant.

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After discuss the RTI application of the appellant, the PIO is directed to provide the available information to the appellant, with a copy to the Commission, if there is no information available in the record, then file a proper point wise Affidavit in this regard within week, failing which penal consequences shall follow.

The Appellant is also advised to furnish deficiencies, if he received the same, before the next date of hearing

The case is adjourned to 27.07.2022."

- 4. The case has been heard today. The PIO is absent. However he has sent a letter in the Commission received vide diary no. 12331, dated 09.06.2022 mentioning therein that as per orders of Hon'ble Bench on last date of hearing, the requisite information has been supplied to the appellant and he has acknowledged the same in writing. The copy of the same is taken on record.
- 5. The Appellant is also absent. However, he has telephonically confirmed that he has received the information and given his consent to close the case.
- 6. In view of the above, no further action is required in this matter and the instant Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed.** Copies of the order be sent to the parties

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Shri Mukesh Kumar Sharma, (84918 31439) S/o Shri Subhash Chander, R/o Village Gandran Lahri, Tehsil & District Pathankot.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer.

O/o Additional Deputy Commissioner (General) –cum – Additional Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Pathankot.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Deputy Commissioner, Pathankot.

...Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 298 OF 2022 (Cisco Webex Proceedings)

PRESENT: Shri Mukesh Kumar Sharma, Appellant.

Shri Pankaj Kumar, S.D.O. for the Respondents (78883 26931)

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 04.10.2021 vide which the Appellant has sought information from the PIO O/o Additional Deputy Commissioner (General) – cum – Additional Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Pathankot on the 7 points in his RTI application.

- 2. On not receiving information from the PIO and even after filing First Appeal with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 15.11.2021, the Appellant filed Second Appeal in the Commission on 06.01.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act) and as such Notice of hearing was issued to the parties.
- 3. The case has been heard today. The Respondent states that information sought by the appellant relating to point no. 1,2,3 and 6 has already been supplied to the appellant vide letter dated 25.04.2022 and remaining information relating to point no. 4,5 and 7 has been supplied vide letter dated 27.04.2022. The copy of the same is taken on record.

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- 4. The Respondent further states requisite information has already been supplied to the appellant and no other information sought by the appellant is available in the official records whereas the Appellant states that incomplete information has been provided to him.
- 5. In view of the above, the PIO is directed to file an Affidavit in regard to the information supplied to the appellant. The PIO is further directed to send original Affidavit to the appellant by registered post with a copy to the Commission.
- With the aforesaid directions, the instant Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed.** Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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Shri Sanjeev Goyal, (98141 97689) S/o Sh. Ashok Kumar (RTI Activist), R/o # 148, Model Town, Phase – 1, Bathinda.

....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer.

O/o XEN/Executive Engineer, Provincial Division, PWD (B & R), Bathinda.

First Appellate Authority

O/o XEN/Executive Engineer, Provincial Division, PWD (B & R), Bathinda.

...Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 345 OF 2022 (Cisco Webex Proceedings)

PRESENT: Shri Sanjeev Goyal, Appellant.

Er. Inderjit Singh, XEN – cum – PIO (98764 00313)

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 29.09.2021 vide which the Appellant has sought information from the PIO O/o XEN/Executive Engineer, Provincial Division, PWD (B & R), Bathinda in his RTI application.

- 2. On not receiving information from the PIO and even after filing First Appeal with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 03.11.2021, the Appellant filed Second Appeal in the Commission on 10.01.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act) and as such Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 01.06.2022
- 3. During the hearing dated 01.06.2022, the relevant part of the order passed by the Bench is reproduced below: -
- 2. The PIO orally states that requisite information has already been supplied to the appellant whereas the appellant states that he has furnished deficiencies in writing to the Bench.

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3. After deliberations on RTI application of the appellant, the appellant is directed to send the deficiencies to the PIO with directions to remove the same.

4. The PIO is further directed to supply the available information pertaining to his RTI application. In case no information is available in the official record, then PIO is directed to file an Affidavit stating point wise position with regard to each point and produce the same, before the Bench, on the next date of hearing, failing which penal consequences shall follow.

The case is adjourned to 27.07.2022.

4. The case has been heard today. The Appellant states that he has again pointed out the deficiencies and sent to the PIO whereas the PIO states that the remaining information has already been supplied to the appellant vide letter dated 11.07.2022 and the PIO further states that the information sought by the appellant has already been supplied and no other information sought by the appellant is available in the official record.

- 5. The Appellant states that if no other information is available in the records, then PIO be directed to file an affidavit.
- 6. In view of the above, the PIO is directed to file an Affidavit in regard to the information supplied to the appellant. The PIO is further directed to send original Affidavit to the appellant by registered post with a copy to the Commission.
- 7. With the aforesaid directions, the instant Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed.**Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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Advocate Amandeep Singh, (98722 00108) Punjab & Haryana High Court, Chandigarh. Off – cum – R/o House No. 1402 A, Sector – 61, Chandigarh.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer.

O/o Commissioner of Police, Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Commissioner of Police, Ludhiana.

...Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 361 OF 2022 (Cisco Webex Proceedings)

Advocate Amandeep Singh, Appellant.

ASI Ramesh Kumar on behalf of the PIO (78378 03000)

ORDER:

PRESENT:

The RTI application is dated 02.08.2021 vide which the Appellant has sought information from the PIO O/o Commissioner of Police, Ludhiana in his RTI application.

- 2. On not receiving information from the PIO, even after filing First Appeal with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 15.09.2021, the Appellant filed Second Appeal in the Commission on 11.01.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act) and as such Notice of hearing was issued to the parties.
- 3. The case has been heard today. The Appellant reiterates his earlier version that no information has been provided to him while SI Surject Singh is his client and information sought is his personal information.
- 4. The Respondent states that the appellant sought personal information of retired Sub Inspector Shri Surjeet Singh, No. 946/LDH, which is the third party information and cannot be provided to him under section 8 (1) (j) and 11 of the RTI Act, 2005 and the same has already been conveyed to the appellant vide letter dated 31.05.2022.

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- 5. Accordingly, this case is hereby remanded back to the First Appellate Authority who is directed to decide the RTI application afresh as per provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.
- 6. The First Appellate Authority i.e. O/o Commissioner of Police, Ludhiana is further directed to call the Appellant Advocate Amandeep Singh along with Shri Surjeet Singh, Retd. S.I. within 15 days of receipt of this order and provide the information pertaining to his RTI application dated 02.08.2021. A compliance report of the same be sent to the Commission.
- 7. With the aforesaid directions, the instant Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed.**Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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<u>Copy is forwarded to the following for information and further necessary action along</u> with RTI application dated 02.08.2021.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Commissioner of Police, Ludhiana City (Punjab), Mini Secretariat, Ferozepur Road, Ludhiana-141001

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Shri Sham Singh, (95014 22369) S/o Shri Dhanna Singh, R/o # Jail Road, Ajit Nagar, Gali No. 2, Faridkot.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o Managing Director, HOUSEFED, Punjab Sector – 34 – A, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Managing Director, HOUSEFED, Punjab Sector – 34 – A, Chandigarh.

...Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 390 OF 2021 (Cisco Webex Proceedings)

PRESENT: Shri Sham Singh, Appellant.

Shri Jasmail Singh Grewal, Sr. Accountant – cum – PIO (88728 01752)

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 29.07.2019 vide which the Appellant has sought information from the PIO O/o Managing Director, HOUSEFED, Punjab, Sector -34 - A, Chandigarh in his RTI application.

- 2. On not receiving information from the PIO and even after filing First Appeal with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 18.12.2019, the Appellant filed Second Appeal in the Commission on 11.01.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act) and as such Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 01.06.2022
- 3. During the hearing dated 01.06.2022, the relevant part of the order passed by the Bench is reproduced below: -
- 2. The Appellant telephonically states that no information has been provided to him where the PIO is absent. However he has sent his reply received in the Commission vide diary no. 3589 dated 21.02.2022, relevant extract is reproduced below:-

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APPEAL CASE NO. 390 OF 2022

Subject: Notice under RTI 2005-Appeal case No. 390/2022

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The copy of the same is retained in case file.

3. In view of the above, the PIO is directed to appear personally and present his case (through CISCO Webex), on the next date of hearing, failing which penal consequences shall follow.

The case is adjourned to 27.07.2022.

- 4. The case has been heard today. The Appellant again states that the demanded information has not been provided to him whereas the Respondent states that a stay order dated 03.06.2015 passed in the civil writ petition No. 13580 of 2015 is still continuing in the Hon'ble Punjab and Haryana High Court, which has not been vacated by the Hon'ble Court yet. Therefore, requisite information cannot be provided to the appellant.
- 5. In view of the above, the appellant is at liberty to file a fresh RTI application on the same contents after the aforesaid writ petition is decided by the Hon'ble Court.
- 6. With the aforesaid directions, the instant Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed.**Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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Advocate Damanjeet Singh, (98557 08754) Chamber No. 416, New Court, Jalandhar.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o Director General of Jails, Punjab, Sector – 17 – A, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Director General of Jails, Punjab, Sector – 17 – A, Chandigarh.

...Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 421 OF 2022

(Cisco Webex Proceedings)

PRESENT: None on behalf of the Appellant.

Kanwar Veer Partap Singh, APIO (97074 00013) for the Respondents

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 10.03.2021 vide which the Appellant has sought information from the PIO O/o Director General of Jails, Punjab, Sector – 17-A, Chandigarh in his RTI application.

- 2. On not receiving information from the PIO and even after filing First Appeal with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 18.08.2021, the Appellant filed Second Appeal in the Commission on 13.01 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act) and as such Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 01.06.2022
- 3. During the hearing dated 01.06.2022, the relevant part of the order passed by the Bench is reproduced below: -
- 2. The Appellant states that incomplete information has been received from the respondents.
- 3. PIO is absent for today's hearing, inspite of the Notice/Orders of the Commission. This shows his disregard to the Commission. The absence of the PIO is viewed seriously and it has also affected hearing and disposal of the case.

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- 4. The Appellant is advised to point out the deficiencies in writing to the PIO under intimation to the Commission. The PIO is directed to remove the same after received from the appellant.
- 5. The PIO is further directed to provide the remaining information pertaining to RTI application. In case no information is available in the official record, then PIO is directed to file an Affidavit in this regard and produce the same before the Bench, on the next date of hearing, failing which penal consequences shall follow.

The case is adjourned to 27.07.2022.

- 4. The case has been heard today. The Respondent states that as per orders of Hon'ble Bench on last date of hearing, the appellant was advised to point out deficiencies in the information provided but till date, he has not pointed out any deficiencies.
- 5. After perusal of the case file, it is revealed that a letter has been written to the appellant for pointing out the deficiencies, if any, in the information provided vide letter dated 27.06.2022 but till date, no reply has been given by the appellant.
- 6. The appellant is absent for today's hearing. However, the appellant is at liberty to point out deficiencies, if any, in the information provided within 20 days after receipt of this order. The PIO is also directed to supply rectified information to the appellant after removing deficiencies so pointed out.
- 7. With the aforesaid directions, the instant Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed.**Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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(Maninder Singh Patti) State Information Commissioner, Punjab

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...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o Senior Superintendent of Police, Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Commissioner of Police, Ludhiana.

...Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 468 OF 2022 (Cisco Webex Proceedings)

PRESENT: None on behalf of the Appellant.

ASI Ramesh Kumar on behalf of the Respondents (78378 03000)

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 06.10.2021 vide which the Appellant has sought information from the PIO O/o Senior Superintendent of Police, Ludhiana in his RTI application.

- 2. On not receiving information from the PIO and even after filing First Appeal with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 18.11.2021, the Appellant filed Second Appeal in the Commission on 19.01.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act) and as such Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 01.06.2022.
- 3. During the hearing dated 01.06.2022, the relevant part of the order passed by the Bench is reproduced below: -

"The Respondent states that information received as NIL from the Police Station Sadar about Davinder Singh @ Dev Rana and same has been sent to the appellant on 28.05.2022 whereas the Appellant is absent and nothing has been heard from her regarding the receipt of information.

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3. In view of the above, the appellant is directed to furnish deficiencies in writing to the PIO with a copy to the undersigned Bench. The PIO is directed to remove the same after received from her, before the next date of hearing, failing which penal consequences shall follow.

4. The Appellant is advised to follow up her case in the Commission, failing which decision shall be taken on merits.

The case is adjourned to 27.07.2022.

- 4. The case has been heard today. The Respondent states that the requisite information/reply has already been supplied to the appellant and after that no observations has been received from her.
- 5. Despite adequate notice for the hearing, the Appellant is absent for the second consecutive hearing without any intimation to the Commission. It is presumed that she is satisfied with the information/reply provided by the PIO and as such, she does not seem to be interested in pursuing the case further.
- 6. After perusal of the case file and reply sent by the PIO, the Bench is convinced that adequate information/reply stands supplied to the appellant.
- 7. In view of the above, the Bench does not feel need for further intervention in the matter. Hence, the instant Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed.** Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer.

O/o Senior Superintendent of Police, E.O. Wing, Vigilance Bureau, Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority

O/o ADGP – cum – Director, E.O. Wing, Vigilance Bureau, Punjab, Vigilance Bhawan, Sector – 68, S.A.S Nagar (Mohali).

...Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 5479 OF 2021

(Cisco Webex Proceedings)

PRESENT: None on behalf of the Appellant.

Inspector Yogesh (97797 16585) on behalf of the PIO and Ms. Amandeep Kaur,

Inspector (80549 40526) on behalf of the FAA

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 04.08.2021 vide which the Appellant has sought information from the PIO O/o Senior Superintendent of Police, E.O. Wing, Vigilance Bureau, Ludhiana in his RTI application.

- 2. On not receiving information from the PIO even after filing First Appeal with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 05.10.2021, the Appellant filed Second Appeal in the Commission on 02.12.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act) and as such, Notice of hearing was issued to the parties.
- 3. The case has been heard today. The Respondent states that matter relating to information sought by the appellant is still under consideration, therefore, cannot be provided to the appellant and the same has been conveyed to the appellant in writing also. Copy of the same is taken on record.

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- 4. Despite adequate notice for the hearing, the Appellant is absent for today's hearing without any intimation to the Commission.
- 5. As the enquiry has not been completed till date, the information has rightly been withheld. However, directions are issued to the PIO that as and when the enquiry is completed, report of the same given to the Appellant within 15 days from the date of the completion of the enquiry positively, under intimation to the Commission.
- 6. With the aforesaid directions, the instant Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed.**However, the Appellant is at liberty to approach the Commission if the PIO does not comply with the order passed by the Commission today.

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