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Sh. Satnam Singh Dhawan, S/o Sh. Gurdarshan Singh,
House No. 7, GK Vihar, Manakwal, Ludhiana .
M: 9501513137

...Appellant

V/s.

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

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

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1609 of 2019

Present: The Appellant, Sh. Satnam Singh is absent.
Sh. Amardeep Singh, Clerk is present on behalf of PIO/Respondent.

ORDER:

The date of RTI Application is 10.01.2019. The date of First Appeal is 18.02.2019 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 30.04.2019.

In today's hearing, the representative of the Respondent/PIO, Sh. Amardeep Singh states that the requisite information has been supplied to the Appellant. He further submits a copy of letter number 4955 dated 13.02.2019 to the Court vide which the information has been supplied to the Appellant, which is taken on record.

The Appellant, Sh. Satnam Singh is absent in today's hearing so no statement could be recorded.

After going through the case file and discussing with the representative of the Respondent/PIO, the Respondent/PIO is directed to supply complete information to the Appellant, by registered post before the next date of hearing. The PIO/Respondent is also directed to appear in person or through any of his representative along with the postal receipt, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, on the next date of hearing.

An opportunity is given to the Appellant and he is advised to go through the requisite information, once he receives the same from the Respondent/PIO and point out deficiencies in written, if any, to the Respondent/PIO through registered post, with a copy to the Commission, failing which the case will be decided on merits. The Appellant is further advised to appear in person or through any of his representative on the next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to next date of hearing which is fixed for 05.11.2019 at 11.00 A. M.

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Dated: 27.08.2019

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...Appellant

V/s.

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

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

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1610 of 2019

Present: The Appellant, Sh. Satnam Singh is absent.
Sh. Jatinder Singh , Data Entry Operator is present on behalf of PIO/Respondent.

ORDER:

The date of RTI Application is 14.01.2019. The date of First Appeal is 20.02.2019 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 30.04.2019.

In today's hearing, the representative of the Respondent/PIO, Sh. Jatinder Singh states that the requisite information has been supplied to the Appellant through registered post. He further submits a letter number 6178 dated 26.08.2019 along with copy of requisite information to the Court, which is taken on record.

The Appellant, Sh. Satnam Singh is absent in today's hearing so no statement could be recorded.

After going through the case file and discussing with the representative of the Respondent/PIO, the Respondent/PIO is directed to supply complete information to the Appellant, by registered post before the next date of hearing. The PIO/Respondent is also directed to appear in person or through any of his representative along with the postal receipt, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, on the next date of hearing.

An opportunity is given to the Appellant and he is advised to go through the requisite information, once he receives the same from the Respondent/PIO and point out deficiencies in written, if any, to the Respondent/PIO through registered post, with a copy to the Commission, failing which the case will be decided on merits. The Appellant is further advised to appear in person or through any of his representative on the next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to next date of hearing which is fixed for 05.11.2019 at 11.00 A. M.

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Dated: 27.08.2019

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Sh. Shubham Singh, S/o Sh. Balwinder Singh,
VPO Behbal Manj, Tehsil- Mukerian, Distt. Hoshiarpur.
PIN: 144306

...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o Additional Deputy Commissioner (Development),
Gurdaspur.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Deputy Commissioner,
Gurdaspur.

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1632 of 2019

Present: The Appellant, Sh. Shubham Singh is present.
Sh. Vikas Kumar, Clerk is present on behalf of PIO/Respondent.

ORDER:

The date of RTI Application is 04.08.2018. The date of First Appeal is 29.10.2018 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 07.05.2019.

In today's hearing, the representative of the Respondent/PIO, Sh. Vikas Kumar handed over the requisite information to the Appellant, Sh. Shubham Singh during the proceedings of the Court. He further submits a cover letter vide endorsement number 2833 dated 26.08.2019 to the Court. Only the cover letter is taken on record.

The Appellant, Sh. Shubham Singh shows his satisfaction and requests for closing his appeal case by submitting an acknowledgment dated 27.08.2019, which is taken on record.

After discussing with both the parties, it is clear that the information has been supplied to the Appellant and he is satisfied with the same. So, no further cause of action is required in this case.

This case is disposed of and closed.

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Dated: 27.08.2019

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Road, Hoshiarpur. (146001)
M: 94632-61803

...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o I.T.I., Jalandhar Road,
Hoshiarpur.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Industrial Training Institute,
Jalandhar Road, Hoshiarpur.

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1648 of 2019

Present: The Appellant, Sh. Balvir Singh is absent.
Sh. Balbir Singh, Group Instructor along with Sh. Rajvinder, Group Instructor is present on behalf of PIO/Respondent.

ORDER:

The date of RTI Application is 04.02.2019. The date of First Appeal is 04.03.2019 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 01.05.2019.

In today's hearing, the representative of the Respondent/PIO, Sh. Balbir Singh states that they have brought the requisite information for the Appellant in the Court. He further submits a cover letter vide no. 2283 dated 26.08.2019 to the Court. Only the cover letter is taken on record.

The Appellant, Sh. Balvir Singh is absent in today's hearing so no statement could be recorded.

After going through the case file and discussing with the representative of the Respondent/PIO, the Respondent/PIO is directed to supply complete information to the Appellant within a week, by registered post. On this, Sh. Balbir Singh, Group Instructor assures that the requisite information will be supplied to the Appellant as soon as possible.

The PIO/Respondent is further directed to appear in person or through any of his representative along with the postal receipt, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, on the next date of hearing.

An opportunity is given to the Appellant and he is advised to go through the requisite information, once he receives the same from the Respondent/PIO and point out deficiencies in written, if any, to the Respondent/PIO through registered post, with a copy to the Commission, failing which the case will be decided on merits. The Appellant is further advised to appear in person or through any of his representative on the next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to next date of hearing which is fixed for 05.11.2019 at 11.00 A. M.

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Sh. Sarabjit Singh Saini, S/o Late Sh. Harbans Singh,

House No. 292, Nagar Sudhar Trust Colony,

Sleem No. 5, Jail Road, Gurdaspur.

M: 7009249820

...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,

O/o Deputy Commissioner, Gurdaspur.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o Deputy Commissioner, Gurdaspur.

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1645 of 2019

Present: The Appellant, Sh. Sarabjit Singh is absent.

Sh. Sapinder Singh, A.S.I. is present from O/o Police Station Dera Baba Nanak, on behalf of PIO/Respondent.

ORDER:

The date of RTI Application is 06.02.2019. The date of First Appeal is 11.03.2019 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 01.05.2019.

In today's hearing, A.S.I. Sh. Sapinder Singh who is present without any authority letter. He further states that they have been ordered from the higher authorities to deal with this RTI Application and to appear in the Court. On asking about the written orders and on which grounds they have been ordered for dealing this RTI then he was unable to reply or unable to produce any documents of the same.

The Appellant, Sh. Sarabjit Singh is absent but an email dated 20.08.2019 has been received in the Commission vide which the Appellant had stated that no information has been provided to him till date and further requested for an adjournment from today's hearing.

After going through the case file and discussing with A.S.I. Sapinder Singh, Commission takes a very serious view against the Respondent/PIO for this casual approach. In Court hearing's, the Respondent/PIO is directed to send the person who has authorization in written form as well as he /she should be well in verse with the facts of this case, else as per RTI Act an action would be taken against the PIO.

In view of the above, a show cause notice under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act is issued to PIO O/o Deputy Commissioner, Gurdaspur as to why penalty be not imposed upon him for willful delay in supplying the information to the RTI Appellant and as to why the compensation be not awarded to the information-seeker under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

In addition, the PIO is also hereby given an opportunity under Section 20(1) provision thereto, for a personal hearing with the sought for information, before the imposition of such penalty on the next date of hearing.

The PIO/Respondent is directed to supply complete information to the Appellant, by registered post before the next date of hearing. The PIO concerned is also directed to appear in person along with the postal receipt, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, on the next date of hearing. **A copy of the RTI request be sent to the PIO by name for his ready reference.**

An opportunity is given to the Appellant and he is advised to go through the requisite information, once he receives the same from the Respondent/PIO and point out deficiencies in written, if any, to the Respondent/PIO through registered post, with a copy to the Commission, failing which the case will be decided on merits. The Appellant is further advised to appear in person or through any of his representative on the next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to next date of hearing which is fixed for 05.11.2019 at 11.00 A. M.

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(Sanjiv Garg)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Dated: 27.08.2019

Show Cause:

(Regd. Post) Public Information Officer, (By Name)

O/o Deputy Commissioner, Gurdaspur.

ENCL. RTI APPLICATION

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M: 7009249820

...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o Sub Divisional Magistrate, Dera Baba Nanak.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Sub Divisional Magistrate, Dera Baba Nanak.

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1646 of 2019

Present: The Appellant, Sh. Sarabjit Singh is absent.
Ms. Paramjit Kaur, Superintendent Grade - II is present on behalf of PIO/Respondent.

ORDER:

The date of RTI Application is 06.02.2019. The date of First Appeal is 11.03.2019 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 01.05.2019.

In today's hearing, the representative of the Respondent/PIO, Ms. Paramjit Kaur states that they have already supplied the information to the Appellant and she further submits a letter vide endorsement number 657 dated 26.08.2019, a letter number 190 dated 19.08.2019 along with requisite information and also submits a copy of postal receipt of dated 13.06.2019 which is attached on copy of a letter number 63 dated 13.06.2019, which is taken on record.

The Appellant, Sh. Sarabjit Singh is absent but an email dated 20.08.2019 has been received in the Commission vide which the Appellant had stated that no information has been provided to him till date and further requested for an adjournment from today's hearing.

After going through the case file and discussing with Ms. Paramjit Kaur, an opportunity is given to the Appellant and he is advised to go through the requisite information, once he receives the same from the Respondent/PIO and point out deficiencies in written, if any, to the Respondent/PIO through registered post, with a copy to the Commission, failing which the case will be decided on merits. The Appellant is further advised to appear in person or through any of his representative on the next date of hearing.

The PIO/Respondent is further directed to appear in person or through any of his representative along with the postal receipt, through which information was sent to the Appellant, on the next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to next date of hearing which is fixed for 05.11.2019 at 11.00 A. M.

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Dated: 27.08.2019

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Sh. Sanjeev Kumar, S/o Sh. Rattan Lal,
79, Phulkian Enclave, Mini Secretariat, Patiala.
M: 9417627761



...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o Punjab Public Service Commission,
Baradari Gardens, Patiala.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Punjab Public Service Commission,
Baradari Gardens, Patiala.

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1650 of 2019

Present: The Appellant, Sh. Sanjeev Kumar is absent.
Sh. Pankaj Kumar, Senior Assistant is present on behalf of PIO/Respondent.

ORDER:

The date of RTI Application is 22.02.2019. The date of First Appeal is 03.03.2019 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 01.05.2019.

In today's hearing, the representative of the Respondent/PIO, Sh. Pankaj Kumar states that they have already supplied the information to the Appellant vide registered post dated 09.04.2019.

The Appellant, Sh. Sanjeev Kumar is absent, so no statement could be recorded.

After going through the case file and discussing with Sh. Pankaj Kumar, it is observed that the information has been supplied to the Appellant on dated 09.04.2019 but the Appellant has filed the case in the Commission on dated 01.05.2019. It is clear that the Appellant is not satisfied with the supplied information and Sh. Pankaj Kumar does not have enough knowledge about this case. Commission takes a serious view of this casual approach.

In view of the above, a show cause notice under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act is issued to PIO O/o Punjab Public Service Commission, Patiala as to why penalty be not imposed upon him for willful delay in supplying the information to the RTI Appellant and as to why the compensation be not awarded to the information-seeker under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

In addition, the PIO is also hereby given an opportunity under Section 20(1) provision thereto, for a personal hearing with the sought for information, before the imposition of such penalty on the next date of hearing.

The PIO/Respondent is directed to supply complete information to the Appellant, by registered post before the next date of hearing. The PIO concerned is also directed to appear in person along with the postal receipt, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, on the next date of hearing. A copy of the RTI request be sent to the PIO by name for his ready reference.

An opportunity is given to the Appellant and he is advised to go through the requisite information, once he receives the same from the Respondent/PIO and point out deficiencies in written, if any, to the Respondent/PIO through registered post, with a copy to the Commission, failing which the case will be decided on merits. The Appellant is further advised to appear in person or through any of his representative on the next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to next date of hearing which is fixed for 01.10.2019 at 11.00 A. M.

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Sd/-
(Sanjiv Garg)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Dated: 27.08.2019

Show Cause:

(Regd. Post) Public Information Officer, (By Name)
O/o Punjab Public Service Commission,
Baradari Gardens, Patiala. **Encl. RTI Application.**

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Road, Hoshiarpur. (146001)
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...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o I.T.I., Jalandhar Road,
Hoshiarpur.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Industrial Training Institute,
Jalandhar Road, Hoshiarpur.

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1651 of 2019

Present: The Appellant, Sh. Balvir Singh is absent.
Sh. Balbir Singh, Group Instructor along with Sh. Rajvinder, Group Instructor is present on behalf of PIO/Respondent.

ORDER:

The date of RTI Application is 04.02.2019. The date of First Appeal is 04.03.2019 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 01.05.2019.

In today's hearing, the representative of the Respondent/PIO, Sh. Balbir Singh states that they have brought the requisite information for the Appellant in the Court. He further submits a cover letter vide no. 2285 dated 26.08.2019 to the Court. Only the cover letter is taken on record.

The Appellant, Sh. Balvir Singh is absent in today's hearing so no statement could be recorded.

After going through the case file and discussing with the representative of the Respondent/PIO, the Respondent/PIO is directed to supply complete information to the Appellant within a week, by registered post. On this, Sh. Balbir Singh, Group Instructor assures that the requisite information will be supplied to the Appellant as soon as possible.

The PIO/Respondent is further directed to appear in person or through any of his representative along with the postal receipt, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, on the next date of hearing.

An opportunity is given to the Appellant and he is advised to go through the requisite information, once he receives the same from the Respondent/PIO and point out deficiencies in written, if any, to the Respondent/PIO through registered post, with a copy to the Commission, failing which the case will be decided on merits. The Appellant is further advised to appear in person or through any of his representative on the next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to next date of hearing which is fixed for 05.11.2019 at 11.00 A. M.

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Sh. Aditya Sooden, Advocate,
Advocate Chambers, Chamber No. 218-219, District
Judicial Court Complex, Malikpur,
District Pathankot. M: 9888717440

...Appellant

V/s.

(Regd. Post) Public Information Officer,
O/o Deputy Commissioner, Pathankot.

(Regd. Post) Public Information Officer,
O/o Environment Engineer, Punjab Pollution Control Board,
Regional Office, Plot Number 66, Focal Point, Near Little Paragon
Modern School, Alipur Road, Batala.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Deputy Commissioner, Pathankot.

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1655 of 2019

Present: The Appellant, Sh. Aditya Sooden is absent.
None is present on behalf of PIO/Respondent.

ORDER:

The date of RTI Application is 30.11.2018 The date of First Appeal is 11.01.2019 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 07.05.2019.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Aditya Sooden is absent in today's hearing so no statement could be recorded.

The Respondent/PIO is also absent in today's hearing but a letter has been received in the Commission vide diary number 16294 dated 27.08.2019 signed by PIO O/o Deputy Commissioner, Pathankot in which it is written that as per Section 6(3) vide letter no. 620-621 dated 07.12.2018 the RTI Application of the Appellant has already been transferred to Environment Engineer, Punjab Pollution Control Board, Regional Office, Plot Number 66, Focal Point, Near Little Paragon Modern School, Alipur Road, Batala.

After going through the case file, the PIO O/o Environment Engineer, Punjab Pollution Control Board, Regional Office, Plot Number 66, Focal Point, Near Little Paragon Modern School, Alipur Road, Batala is impleaded as a party and the Respondent/PIO (i.e. Environment Engineer, Punjab Pollution Control Board, Regional Office, Plot Number 66, Focal Point, Near Little Paragon Modern School, Alipur Road, Batala) is directed to supply complete information to the Appellant by registered post, before the next date of hearing. Both the PIO's/Respondent's are further directed to appear in person or through any of their representative along with the postal receipt, through which information would be sent to the Appellant and to clear the facts of this case, on the next date of hearing, failing which an action would be taken against both the PIO's. A copy of this order be sent through registered post to both the PIO's by name for their ready reference.

An opportunity is given to the Appellant and he is advised to go through the requisite information, once he receives the same from the Respondent/PIO and point out deficiencies in written, if any, to the Respondent/PIO through registered post, with a copy to the Commission, failing which the case will be decided on merits. The Appellant is further advised to appear in person or through any of his representative on the next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to next date of hearing which is fixed for 05.11.2019 at 11.00 A. M.

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Kundan Bhawan, 126, Model Gram, Ludhiana,
(Punjab)

...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o Municipal Corporation, Zone-A, Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana.

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1665 of 2019

Present: The Appellant, Sh. Rohit Sabharwal is absent.
Sh. Satish Kumar, Head Draftsman is present on behalf of PIO/Respondent.

ORDER:

The date of RTI Application is 09.02.2019 The date of First Appeal is 18.03.2019 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 07.05.2019.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Rohit Sabharwal is absent but an email dated 26.08.2019 has been received in the Commission vide which Ms. Sukhjinder Kaur, Advocate has been authorized as a representative from the Appellant's side. Also there are deficiencies which has been pointed out by the representative of the Appellant in the same email.

The representative of the Respondent/PIO, Sh. Satish Kumar states that the requisite information has already been supplied to the Appellant and further submits a copy of letter dated 28.06.2019 along with a copy of other documents, which are taken on record. On asking about the deficiencies email Sh. Satish Kumar states that this email has not been received by him till date.

After going through the case file and discussing with the representative of the Respondent/PIO, a copy of the email showing the deficiencies has been given to Sh. Satish Kumar during the proceedings of the Court and Respondent/PIO is directed to supply complete information to the Appellant by registered post, before the next date of hearing. The PIO/Respondent is further directed to appear in person or through any of his representative along with the postal receipt, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, on the next date of hearing.

An opportunity is given to the Appellant and he is advised to go through the requisite information, once he receives the same from the Respondent/PIO and point out deficiencies in written, if any, to the Respondent/PIO through registered post, with a copy to the Commission, failing which the case will be decided on merits. The Appellant is further advised to appear in person or through any of his representative on the next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to next date of hearing which is fixed for 05.11.2019 at 11.00 A. M.

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(Punjab)

...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o Executive Officer, Improvement Trust,
Feroze Gandhi Market, Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Regional Deputy Director, Local Government,
Punjab, Mini Secretariat, Ludhiana.

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1666 of 2019

Present: The Appellant, Sh. Rohit Sabharwal is absent.
Sh. Satish Kumar, Head Draftsman is present on behalf of PIO/Respondent.

ORDER:

The date of RTI Application is 22.01.2019 The date of First Appeal is 07.03.2019 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 07.05.2019.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Rohit Sabharwal is absent but an email dated 26.08.2019 has been received in the Commission vide which Ms. Sukhjinder Kaur, Advocate has been authorized as a representative from the Appellant's side. Also in that email it is written that no information has been supplied by the Respondent/PIO till date.

None is present on behalf of Respondent/PIO. Commission takes a very serious view of this casual approach of the Respondent/PIO.

In view of the above, a show cause notice under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act is issued to PIO O/o Executive Officer, Improvement Trust, Ludhiana as to why penalty be not imposed upon him for willful delay in supplying the information to the RTI Appellant and as to why the compensation be not awarded to the information-seeker under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

In addition, the PIO is also hereby given an opportunity under Section 20(1) provision thereto, for a personal hearing with the sought for information, before the imposition of such penalty on the next date of hearing.

The PIO/Respondent is directed to supply complete information to the Appellant, by registered post before the next date of hearing. The PIO concerned is also directed to appear in person along with the postal receipt, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, on the next date of hearing. A copy of the RTI request be sent to the PIO by name for his ready reference.

An opportunity is given to the Appellant and he is advised to go through the requisite information, once he receives the same from the Respondent/PIO and point out deficiencies in written, if any, to the Respondent/PIO through registered post, with a copy to the Commission, failing which the case will be decided on merits. The Appellant is further advised to appear in person or through any of his representative on the next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to next date of hearing which is fixed for 05.11.2019 at 11.00 A. M.

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Dated: 27.08.2019

Sd/-
(Sanjiv Garg)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Show Cause:
(Regd. Post) Public Information Officer, (By Name)

O/o Executive Officer, Improvement Trust,
Feroze Gandhi Market, Ludhiana.

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...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Commissioner/DTP/ATP
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Mata Rani Chowk, Ludhiana(Punjab)

Public Information Officer
O/o The Superintending Engineer
B&R, Municipal Corporation,
Mata Rani Chowk, Ludhiana(Punjab)

First Appellant Authority,
O/o The Commissioner,
Municipal Corporation,
Mata Rani Chowk, Ludhiana(Punjab)

....Respondents

Appeal Case No.1683 of 2018

Present: The Appellant, Sh. Gulshan Kumar is absent.
Sh. Harjit Singh, APIO is present on behalf of PIO/Respondent.

ORDER:

This case was last heard on 03.07.2019.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Gulshan Kumar is absent.

The representative of the Respondent/PIO, Sh. Harjit Singh states that the information has already been supplied to the Appellant and he is satisfied with the same. He further submits a copy of an acknowledgement signed by the Appellant, Sh. Gulshan Kumar attested as 'True Copy' by the APIO, Sh. Harjit Singh, SDM, MC, Ludhiana, in which it is written by the Appellant that he is satisfied with the supplied information.

After going through the documents placed on record and discussing with Sh. Harjit Singh, it is observed that the information has been supplied to the Appellant and no further cause of action is required in this case.

This case is **disposed off and closed**.

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Dated: 27.08.2019

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Distt. Gurdaspur (Punjab)

....Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,

O/o The Sub Divisional Magistrate,
Batala, Distt. Gurdaspur (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority

O/o The Deputy Commissioner,
Gurdaspur (Punjab)

.....Respondents

Appeal Case No.3526 of 2018

Present : None on behalf of the Appellant.
Ms. Rajvinder Kaur, Superintendent, Grade – II is present on behalf of the
Respondent/PIO.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 03.07.2019 and an opportunity was given to the Appellant to go through the supplied information and he was further advised to appear in person or through any of his representative on the next date of hearing.

In today's hearing, the representative of the Respondent/PIO, Ms. Rajvinder Kaur states that the requisite information has already been supplied to the Appellant. She further submits the letter no. 4911 dated 26.08.2019 along with another copy of letter no. 4712 dated 16.08.2019 and a copy of postal receipt through which the information has been sent to the Appellant again, which are taken on record.

The Appellant, Sh. Surinder Kumar is absent but an email dated 26.08.2019 has been received in the Commission vide which the Appellant has written that he is not satisfied with the supplied information and further requested for transferring this case.

After discussing with the representative of the Respondent/PIO and going through the case file, it is observed that the information has already been supplied to the Appellant but the Appellant is not satisfied with the same.

On the request of the Appellant, Appeal Case No. 3526 of 2018 be transferred to Deputy Registrar Branch alongwith the concerned case file, to place it before Hon'ble Chief Information Commissioner for appropriate orders.

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Dated: 27.08.2019

CC:

To

Deputy Registrar, PSIC
Encl. (01 Case file i.e. AC: 3526 of 2018)

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