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| Smt Harjit Kaur, W/o Sh Pawan Kumar, | | |
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| R/o 123, Street No.3, Gurbachan Colony | , | |
| Lalheri Road, Khanna, Distt. Ludhiana | | Appellant |
| | Vs | |
| Public Information Officer, | | |
| O/o Commandant, 13 th Battalion, PAP, | | |
| New Secretariat, Sector-1, Chandigarh | | |
| First Appellate Authority | | |
| O/o ADGP/Armed BNS, Jalandhar | | Respondent |
| | AC No. 3003 of 202 | • |

AC No. 3003 of 2021 (In the Commission office)

Present: (i) Sh Shakti Paul Sharma, Advocate for the Appellant.

(ii) For the respondent: Sh J.S Khaira, Commandant(PIO), Sh H.S. Kahlon, DSP

and ASI Sanjiv Abrol, ASI

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 06.12.2021 vide which the case was adjourned to be heard on 16.02.2022. However, on 16.02.2022 the abovementioned case could not be heard and was adjourned to be heard on 28.02.2022.

- 2. The Advocate Sh. Shakti Paul for the Appellant has filed their rejoinder/reply today. Copy of the same is taken on record.
- 3. As directed in the previous hearing, PIO-Sh J. S Khaira, Commandant is appearing personally today.
- 4. After hearing both the parties and perusing the case file, a copy of the reply/rejoinder as submitted by the Advocate for the Appellant, is handed over to the Respondent-PIO. Further Respondent-PIO wants to file their counter reply to the same.

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5. On the request of the respondent, the appeal case is adjourned to **30.03.2022 at 12: 00 PM in the Commission office**. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Dated :28.02.2022

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| | Vs |
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| Kartar Nagar, Amloh Road, Khanna-141401 | |
| Ward No 18, Street No-2, | |
| Sh Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia, (M-94645004 | 405) |

.....Appellant

Public Information Officer, O/o EO, MC, Mandi Gobindgarh

First Appellate Authority

O/o Regional Deputy Director, Urban local Govt, Ludhiana

.....Respondent

AC No. 2733 of 2021

Present: (i) Sh Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia (IN THE COMMISSION OFFICE)

(ii) For the respondent : Sh Gurjant Singh, J.E (946415694) (THROUGH

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ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 18.10.2021 vide which the case was adjourned to be heard on 16.02.2022. However, on 16.02.2022 the abovementioned case could not be heard and was adjourned to be heard on 28.02.2022.

- 2. The Respondent that the information has been provided to the Appellant.
- 3. The Appellant states that he had already pointed-out deficiencies, in the information provided to the Respondent, but the information after the removal of deficiencies has not been provided to him till date.
- 4. The perusal of the file shows that the Respondent has not provided the complete information to the Appellant, after the removal of deficiencies. Hence, the Respondent is directed to bring complete information in the Commission office before the next date of hearing. Further, on the previous date of hearing, the Respondent was also directed to file their affidavit. They have failed to file the same. Hence, the Respondent is again directed to file an affidavit stating that the information that has been supplied is true, complete, and no other information relating to this RTI Application is available in the record.

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Further, it is also observed that the respondents are being represented by very low level officials who are not in a position to satisfy the commission and the appellant. From the next date of hearing, no person below the PIO will be allowed to appear. Appearance of low level officials will amount to disrespect to the RTI Act, 2005.

5. To come up on **08.06.2022 at 12: 00 PM** in the Commission office for further proceedings. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

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| Sh Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia, (M-9464500405) | |
|--|------------|
| Ward No 18, Street No-2, | |
| Kartar Nagar, Amloh Road, Khanna-141401 | Appellant |
| Vs | |
| Public Information Officer, | |
| O/o EO, MC, Mandi Gobindgarh | |
| First Appellate Authority | |
| O/o Regional Deputy Director, | |
| Urban local Govt, Ludhiana | Respondent |

AC No. 2730 of 2021

Present: (i) Sh Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia (IN THE COMMISSION OFFICE)

(ii) For the respondent: Sh Gurjant Singh, J.E (9464156944)

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 18.10.2021 vide which the case was adjourned to be heard on 16.02.2022. However, on 16.02.2022 the abovementioned case could not be heard and was adjourned to be heard on 28.02.2022.

- 2. The Respondent states that the information has been sent to the Commission office.
- 3. The perusal of the file shows that the Respondent has sent the information to the Commission office. Copy of the same is handed over to the Appellant today with directions, to point out deficiencies in the information provided, if any, to the Respondent, with a copy to the Commission before the next date of hearing.

Further, on the previous date of hearing, the Respondent-PIO was directed to file their affidavit. The Respondent has filed their affidavit today. I have gone through the same and do not agree with it. Hence, the Respondent-PIO is again directed to file their proper affidavit again on the next date of hearing stating that the information that has been supplied is true, complete, and no other information relating to this RTI Application is available in the record.

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Further, it is also observed that the respondents are being represented by low level officials who are not in a position to satisfy the commission and the appellant. From the next date of hearing, no person below the PIO will be allowed to appear. Appearance of low level officials will amount to disrespect to the RTI Act 2005.

4. To come up on **08.06.2022 at 12:00 PM** in the Commission office for further proceedings. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

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Sh Davinder Singh Dhillon, S/o Sh Ajit Singh Dhillon, R/o HJ 65, Housing Board Colony, Bhai Randhir Singh Nagar, Ludhaina

......Appellant

Public Information Officer, O/o Addl. DGP, NRI, PB Phase-7, Mohali

First Appellate Authority O/o Addl. DGP, NRI, PB Phase-7, Mohali

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AC No. 5226 of 2021

Present:

- (i) None for the Appellant.
- (ii) For the respondent: Head constable, Sh. Sukhdeep Singh (9855680456)

ORDER

- 1. The RTI application is dated 12.08.2021 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 18.11.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).
- 2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 16.02.2022 in the Commission office. However, on 16.02.2022 the abovementioned case could not be heard and hence, was postponed to be heard on 28.02.2022, i.e, today.
- 3. The Appellant is not present today
- 4. The Respondent states that the information sought by the Appellant cannot be provided to him as the same is under enquiry. They have also filed their reply as under:-

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Dated: 28.02.2022



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- 5. The perusal of the file ascertains that the Appellant is not present today. However, the notice of hearing sent to the Appellant has been received back vide Commission diary no. 28514 dated 20.12.2021 and 1218 dated 21.01.2022 with comments from the postal authorities as "addressy out of India". The Respondent has filed their reply today mentioning that the information sought by the Appellant is under enquiry.
- 6. However, taking a lenient view, one opportunity is given to the appellant to appear before the Commission and state his case.
- 7. To come up on **08.06.2022 at 12.00 PM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

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Sh Rajesh Kumar, (M-9815148139) S/o Sh Kewal Kumar, Flat No 11A, Sri Deva Ji Residency, Kishanpura, Dhakoli, Zirakpur, Distt SAS Nagar

.....Appellant

Public Information Officer, O/o EO, MC, Kharar

First Appellate Authority O/o ADC Mohali

......Responden

AC No. 4508 of 2021

..Vs

Present: (i) Sh Rajesh Kumar, Appellant alongwith Dr Rajinder K Singh in the

Commission

(ii) For the respondent: Sh Jaswinder Singh, Draftsmen (8295271122) in the

Commission

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 05.07.2021 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 05.10.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

- 2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 16.02.2022 in the Commission office. However, on 16.02.2022 the abovementioned case could not be heard and hence, was postponed to be heard on 28.02.2022, i.e, today.
- 3. Today, the Appellant states that the information has not been provided to him till date. He further states that the respondent Sh. Jaswinder Singh is appearing in the Commission without authority letter.
- 4. The Respondent states that the information demanded by the Appellant is not specific.
- 5. The perusal of the file ascertains that respondent has sent his reply mentioning therein that the information demanded by the appellant is not specific. He has also mentioned in his reply that the information demanded by the appellant is third party information.

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It is observed that the respondents are being represented by low level officials who are not in a position to satisfy the Commission and the appellant. From the next date of hearing, no person below the PIO or APIO will be allowed to appear before the Commission.

- 6. Further, the respondent is directed to file point-wise proper reply indicating the position of each issue as to whether the information has been supplied and if not, the reason thereof. If record is not available, let the PIO file an affidavit to that effect.
- 7. To come up on **01.06.2022 at 12: 00 PM** in the Commission office for further proceedings. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

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Sh Surinder Gaur, Advocate, S/o Sh Ishwar Singh, #1579, Pushpac Complex, Sector 49 B, Chandigarh

..Vs

.....Appellant

Public Information Officer, O/o SSP Mohali

First Appellate Authority O/o SSP, Mohali

.....Respondent

AC No. 5296 of 2021

Present: None for the parties.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 07.01.2021 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 24.11.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

- 2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 16.02.2022 in the Commission office. However, on 16.02.2022 the abovementioned case could not be heard and hence, was postponed to be heard on 28.02.2022, i.e, today.
- 3. The Appellant is not present today. However, an e-mail has been received from the Appellant as under:-

"It is humble request in yourself that may adjourned above said case as today undersigned not able to attend the Hon'ble Court as my wife met in accident and received multiple grievous injuries and admitted in hospital, so may kindly adjourn the above said case for next week"

Further, he has also submitted that he has not received the complete information.

4. No one has appeared on behalf of the Respondent today. However, an e-mail has been received from the Respondent stating as under:-

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AC No. 5296 of 2021

ਤਰਕ ਫ਼ਸ਼ਾ ਸਿਤ। 28.02.2022 ਸਮਾਂ 12.00 ਵਗਾਂ ਵਿਸ਼ਾ ਅੰਕਿਸ਼ ਮਾਸਲੇ ਸਬੰਧੀ ਬੇਨਤੀ ਹੈ ਕਿ ਉਕੰਤ ਅਪੀਲ ਕੇਸ ਵਿੱਚ ਅਧੀਲ ਕਰਤਾ ਵਲੋਂ ਆਰ*ਣੀ ਆਈ* ਐਂਕਟ ਦੇ ਤਹਿਤ ਜਿਸ ਸੂਚਨਾ ਦੀ ਸੰਗ ਕੀਤੀ ਗਈ ਸੀ।ਉਸ ਸਬੰਧੀ ਜਵਾਬ ਮੁੱਖ ਅਫਸਰ ਥਾਣਾ ਨਵਾਂ ਗਰਾਉ ਜਿਲ੍ਹਾ ਐਸ.ਏ.ਐਸ.ਨਚਰ ਪਾਸ ਹਾਸਲ ਕਰਕੇ ਪਾਰਥੀ ਨੂੰ ਕੁੱਨ 46 ਵਰਕੇ ਸੂਚਨਾ ਮੁਹੋਈਆ ਕਰਵਾ ਦਿੱਤੀ ਗਈ ਹੈ ਜੀ।ਰਸੀਵੂ ਕੀਤੀ ਗਈ ਸੂਚਨਾ ਦੀ ਕਾਪੀ ਇਸ ਪੱਤਰ ਨਾਲ ਨੱਖੀ ਕਰਕੇ ਆਪ ਸੀ ਦੀ ਸਵਾ ਵਿੱਚ ਭੇਜੀ ਜਾ ਰਹੀ ਹੈ ਜੀ।

- 5. The perusal of the file ascertains that both the parties are not present today. The Respondent has filed their reply mentioning that the information has been provided to the Appellant. The Appellant has requested for another date. Hence, an opportunity is given to both the parties to appear before the Commission and state their case.
- 6. To come up on **22.04.2022 at 12: 00 PM** in the Commission office. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

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Smt Gurpreet Kaur, W/o Sh Rajinder Parshad, House No 3483, Mohalla Harlalpura, Sirhind Mandi, Distt. Fatehgarh Sahib

.....Appellant

Public Information Officer,

O/o EO, Nagar Council, Sirhind, Distt Fatehgarh Sahib

First Appellate Authority

O/o Deputy Director, Urban Local Bodies, Ludhiana

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AC No. 4491of 2021

(Through CISCO-Webex)

Present: (i) None for the Appellant

(ii) For the Respondent:- Sh. Balwinder Singh, Inspector (70090-65514)

..Vs

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 26.09.2020 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 01.10.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

- 2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 16.02.2022 in the Commission office. However, on 16.02.2022 the abovementioned case could not be heard and hence, was postponed to be heard on 28.02.2022, i.e, today.
- 3. The Appellant is not present today.
- 4. The Respondent states that the complete information has been provided to the Appellant.
- 5. After perusing the case file, it is ascertained that the Appellant is not present today. The Respondent states that the information has been provided to the Appellant. Hence, an opportunity is given to the Appellant to appear before the Commission and state her case.

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Further, the Respondent is also directed to file their point-wise specific reply before the next date of hearing. The respondent is also directed to file an affidavit that the information that has been supplied is true, complete and no other information relating to this RTI application is available in the record. The affidavit should be on a stamp paper duly signed by the PIO

6. To come up on **22.04.2022 at 12: 00 PM** in the Commission office for further proceedings. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

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Sh Jagshir Singh, (M-8195800345) S/o Late Sh Glan Singh, #9/20, Mandi Mullanpur, Ludhiana

.....Appellant

Public Information Officer,

O/o DGP, Pb, Punjab Police Headquarter, Sector-9, Chandigarh

First Appellate Authority

O/o DGP, Pb, Punjab Police Headquarter, Sector-9, Chandigarh

2. Public Information Officer,

O/o Bureau of Investigation, Punjab Punjab Police Headquarter, Sector -9, Chandigarh

.....Respondent

AC No. 5247 of 2021

..Vs

(Through CISCO-Webex)

Present: (i) Sh Jagshir Singh, Appellant

(ii) For the Respondent: - Ms Nirlep Kaur, Sr Asstt. o/o DGP, Punjab

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 11.08.2021 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 22.11.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

- 2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 16.02.2022 in the Commission office. However, on 16.02.2022 the abovementioned case could not be heard and hence, was postponed to be heard on 28.02.2022, i.e, today.
- 3. The Appellant states that the information has not been provided to him till date.
- 4. The Respondent states that the information sought by the Appellant is not related to them. The same is lying with Public Information Officer O/o Bureau of Investigation, Pb. She further states that they have also transferred their RTI application to the Public Information Officer o/o Bureau of Investigation, Pb under Section 6(3) of the Act. They

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have also filed their reply regarding the same vide Commission diary no. 1865 dated 28.01.2022.

- 5. After perusing the case file, it is ascertained that the information sought by the Appellant is lying with Public Information Officer O/o Bureau of Investigation, Pb. Hence, I order that Public Information Officer O/o Bureau of Investigation, Pb be impleaded as Respondent no.2. Further, they are directed to be present on the next date of hearing along with the complete information.
- 6. To come up on **30.05.2022 at 12: 00 PM** in the Commission office for further proceedings. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

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Sh Ajay Nand/ Ajay Kumar Nanda, #C-118, East Mohan Nagar, Chamrang Road, Amritsar (9814646309)

..Vs

.....Appellant

Public Information Officer,

O/o Principal Secretary, Home Affairs & Justice Department, Punjab Main Civil Sectt. Sector 1, Chandigarh

First Appellate Authority
O/o Chief Secretary, Punjab
Civil Sectt Punjab

Civil Sectt, Punjab, Sector 1, Chandigarh

.....Respondent

AC No. 5284 of 2021

Present: (i) Sh Ajay Nand, the Appellant (Through CISCO-Webex)

(ii) None for the Respondent

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 25.08.2021 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 23.11.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

- 2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 16.02.2022 in the Commission office. However, on 16.02.2022 the abovementioned case could not be heard and hence, was postponed to be heard on 28.02.2022, i.e, today.
- 3. Sh Ajay Nand stated that no response whatsoever has been received from the respondents till date. No one has put in appearance on behalf of the respondents nor has any communication been received from them. In the interest of justice, Respondent PIO is afforded one more opportunity to provide the appellant point-wise complete specific information, duly attested, free of cost, by registered post, in accordance with his RTI application and present a photocopy of the relevant postal receipt along with a copy of the information provided, before the Commission on the next date fixed, for its perusal and

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records. Respondents to note that in case no one comes present on their behalf on the next date fixed, punitive provisions of the RTI Act, 2005 may be invoked against the erring officer(s).

5. To come up on **06.06.2022 at 12:00 PM** in the Commission office for further proceedings. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

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| Sh D.R Singla, (M-7087079234), | | |
|-----------------------------------|----|------------|
| #4961, Sector 38 West, Chandigarh | | Appellant |
| | Vs | |
| Public Information Officer, | | |
| 0/o Tehsildar, Mohali | | |
| First Appellate Authority | | |
| O/o SDM, Mohali | | Respondent |

AC No. 5288 of 2021

Present: (i) Sh D.R Singla, Appellant (in the Commission office)
(ii) For the Respondent: Sh Sukhpal Singh, Patwari (83609-76084) (through CISCO-Webex)

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 15.07.2021 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 24.11.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

- 2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 16.02.2022 in the Commission office. However, on 16.02.2022 the abovementioned case could not be heard and hence, was postponed to be heard on 28.02.2022, i.e, today.
- 3. The Appellant states that no information has not been provided to him.
- 4. The Respondent states that the information has already been sent to the Appellant.
- 5. After hearing both the parties and perusing the case file, the Respondent is directed to provide again a copy of the information to the Appellant before the next date of hearing. The respondent is also directed to file an affidavit that the information that has been supplied is true, complete and no other information relating to this RTI application is available in the record. The affidavit should be on a stamp paper duly signed by the PIO

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6. To come up on **25.04.2022 at 12: 00 PM** in the Commission office for further proceedings. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

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Sh. Jaspal Singh, S/o Sh. Ramesh Arora R/o 319/3, Gurdeep Nagar, Jagraon Distt. Ludhiana (9815017246)

.....Appellant

Public Information Officer,

O/o Director General of Punjab, Sector 9, Chandigarh

First Appellate Authority,

O/o Additional Chief Secretary Home Affairs and Justice, Punjab Chandigarh

.....Respondent

AC No. 5259 of 2021

..Vs

Present: (i) None is

(i) None is present on behalf of the appellant

(ii) For the respondent : Sh. Charanjit Singh, Moga (9780001275) through

Webex

<u>ORDER</u>

The RTI application is dated 28.04.2021 which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 22.11.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

- 2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 16.02.2022. However, on 16.02.2022 the abovementioned case could not be heard on account of Public Holiday and hence, was postponed to be heard on 28.02.2022, i.e., today.
- 3. The appellant is absent today. He has sent a letter stating that he is unable to attend today's hearing.
- 4. The respondent states that the point-wise reply along with information has been sent to the commission office as well as to the appellant.

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- 5. After hearing both the parties and going through the case file, it is observed that the respondent has sent point-wise reply along with the information to the Commission as well as to the appellant. The appellant is absent today. This is the first date of hearing hence one opportunity is given to the appellant to appear before the Commission and state his case. It is made clear that in case the appellant does not appear on the next date of hearing, appropriate order in his absence shall be passed.
- 6. To come up on **22.04.2022 at 12.00 PM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Copies of the order be sent to the parties. Sd/-

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Sh.K.N.S. Sodhi, # 1634, Sector 70, Mohali

.....Appellant

REGISTERED POST :

Public Information Officer, O/o MC, Mohali

First Appellate Authority O/o MC, Mohali

.....Respondent

AC No. 3028 of 2021

..Vs

Present: (i) Sh. K.N.S.Sodhi the appellant through webex

(ii) For the respondent: None is present on behalf of the respondent

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 05.01.2022, vide which a show cause notice was issued to the PIO, o/o MC, Mohali.

- 2. The appellant Sh. K.N.S.Sodhi states that no information has been given to him so far.
- 3. The respondent is absent today.
- 4. The perusal of the file shows that the respondent is absent for third consecutive hearing today. During the last hearing, a show cause notice was issued to the respondent PIO. The respondent has even not sent any reply to the order showing cause issued to him. However, taking a lenient view, one last opportunity is given to the respondent PIO to appear before the Commission alongwith show cause reply. He is also directed to send complete information to the appellant before the next date of hearing.
- 5. To come up on **21.03.2022 at 12.00 PM** for further proceedings in the Commission office. Copy of the order be sent to the parties. Sd/-

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| Sh. Kewal Krishan Mittal, | |
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| House No. 32, Gujriwan Vihar Dhakoli, | |
| Zirakpur, Distt.Mohali – 160104 (9417775910) | |
| | Appellant |
| Vs | |
| Public Information Officer, O/o MC, Zirakpur, Distt. Mohali | |
| First Appellate Authority, O/o Regional Deputy Director, Patiala | |
| | Respondent |
| AC No. 5225 of 2021 | |

Present: (i) Sh.

- (i) Sh. Kewal Krishan Mittal the appellant through Webex
- (ii) For the respondent : Sh. Gulshan Mehta, Advocate and Sh. Jagjit Singh,

E.O.-2 (9988772756) through webex

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 15.03.2021 which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 18.11.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

- 2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 16.02.2022. However, on 16.02.2022 the abovementioned case could not be heard on account of Public Holiday and hence, was postponed to be heard on 28.02.2022, i.e, today.
- 3. The appellant states that no information has been given to him so far.
- 4. The respondent states that the information demanded by the appellant is not specific. He has also sent his reply , which is taken on record. The respondent further states that the appellant can inspect the record on any working day.

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5. After hearing both the parties it is observed that the respondent has sent his reply mentioning therein that the information demanded by the appellant is very voluminous and vague. He has also mentioned Judgment of the Supreme Court of India no. 6454 of 2011, CBSE vs Aditya Bandopadhyay & Ors. Today, both the parties mutually agreed that the applicant shall visit the office of respondent on 07.03.2022 at 11.00 AM , inspect the relevant records, identify the documents copies whereof are required by him; and the respondent shall provided copies thereof, according to his RTI application, within a fortnight, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the RTI Act, 2005. *The appellant may take note that the third party information cannot be provided to him.*

Further the respondent is directed to file point wise reply to the RTI of the appellant on or before the next date of hearing.

6. To come up on **22.04.2022 at 12.00 PM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

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Sh. Tejinder Singh (Advocate) Civil Court, Tehsil Complex,Backside Sanjh Kender Phiallaur- 144410 (9041004313)

.....Appellant

Public Information Officer, O/o Sub Registrar, Kharar Distt. Mohali

First Appellate Authority, O/o SDM, Kharar, Distt. Mohali

.....Respondent

AC No. 5293 of 2021

..Vs

Present: (i) Sh. Tejinder Singh the appellant through CISCO

(ii) For the respondent: None is present on behalf of the respondent

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 04.05.2021 which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 24.11.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

- 2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 16.02.2022. However, on 16.02.2022 the abovementioned case could not be heard on account of Public Holiday and hence, was postponed to be heard on 28.02.2022, i.e, today.
- 3. The appellant states that he has pointed out deficiencies to the respondent but after that he has not received any information.
- 4. The respondent is absent today.
- 5. The perusal of the file shows that the respondent has sent point wise reply to the Commission. But the appellant Sh. Tejinder Singh is not satisfied with the same. Since, the respondent is absent today and this is the first date of hearing, hence taking a lenient view one more opportunity is given to the respondent to appear before the Commission and state his case, failing which action under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act will be initiated.

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AC No. 5293 of 2021

6. To come up on **22.04.2022 at 12.00 PM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

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Sh.R.P.Mittal , # 20 Sukhmani Enclave, PO Tower Town Colony, Jalandhar -144014 (9815483298)

.....Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,

O/o Additional Chief Secretary to Govt. of Punjab Department of Governance Reforms, Chandigarh

First Appellate Authority,

O/o Additional Chief Secretary to Govt. of Punjab Department of Governance Reforms, Chandigarh

.....Respondent

AC.No. 2163 of 2021

Present:

- (i) None is present on behalf of the appellant
- (ii) For the respondent : Sh. Gurvinder Pal Singh, Legal Assistant in the Commission

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous orders dated 18.10.2021 and 22.09.2021. During the hearing dated 22.09.2021, the appellant stated that no information has been given to him so far. The respondent stated that the matter is *sub-judice* in the Hon'ble Punjab and Haryana High Court, hence the information could not be provided. Further, the appellant demanded the copy of notification/judgment be provided to him, wherein it is stated that the matter which is *sub-judice* cannot be provided. During the hearing dated 18.10.2021, due to poor network connectivity, both the parties was not heard.

2. Today the appellant is not present. The respondent has sought some time.

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3. Since, the appellant is not present and the respondent has sought some time, hence the appeal case is adjourned to **22.04.2022 at 12.00 PM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

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Sh.R.P.Mittal , # 20 Sukhmani Enclave, PO Tower Town Colony, Jalandhar -144014 (9815483298)

.....Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,

O/o Additional Chief Secretary to Govt. of Punjab Department of Governance Reforms, Chandigarh

First Appellate Authority,

O/o Additional Chief Secretary to Govt. of Punjab Department of Governance Reforms, Chandigarh

.....Respondent

AC.No. 2909 of 2021

Present:

- (i) None is present on behalf of the appellant
- (ii) For the respondent : Sh. Amanpreet Singh, Sr. Assistant –cum-APIO in the Commission (9872846222)

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 18.10.2021 vide which due to poor network, both the parties was not heard.

- 2. Today the appellant is not present. The respondent states that the information, as exists, in the record has been sent to the appellant.
- 3. Since, the appellant is not present hence one more opportunity is given to him to appear before the Commission and state his case.
- 4. To come up on **25.04.2022 at 12.00 PM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Copy of the order be sent to the parties. Sd/-