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Sh Navdeep Gupta,  
Kothi No.455,  
Gilco Valley, Kharar,  
Distt Mohali,140301

.....Appellant

**Vs**

**Public Information Officer,**  
O/o DGP, Punjab Police Headquarters,  
Sector-9,Chandigarh

**First Appellate Authority-cum-DIG**  
Admin Wing, Punjab Police Headquarters,  
Sector-9, Chandigarh

.....Respondent

**AC No 3261 of 2018**

Present: (i) None for the Appellant.  
(ii) For the Respondent: Smt Paramjit Kaur, Jr Asstt. And Smt Sarbjeet Kaur, Jr Asstt.

**ORDER**

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 20.12.2018.

- 2. The Appellant is not present today.
- 3. The Respondent files their reply as under:-  
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ਦੇਸ਼ੀ ਨੂੰ ਪਿ ਪ੍ਰਾਗਮੀ ਦੀ ਸਦਰੀਪ ਕੁਪਤਾ ਟਾਸੀ ਮੋਗੜੀ ਕੁ  
 ਆਪਣੀ ਵਰਦਾਨਾ ਸਿਤੀ 23 06 2018 ਨਾਲੇ ਕੁ ਪਦਿਕ ਕਾਨਕਨੇ ਕੁ  
 ਵੇਰਕਲੀਯ ਮੀਨਕ ਤੇ ਕੀਤੀ ਗਈ ਕਾਗਦਾਈ ਕਥੇ ਕੁਰਕਾ ਦੀ ਮੰਗ  
 ਕੀਤੀ ਸੀ, ਪਿਕਨ ਵਾਰੇ ਪ੍ਰਾਗਮੀ ਕੁ ਪਤਿਕਾਂ ਤੇ ਕੁਲਿਕ ਕੀਕਾ ਕੁਕਾਠੀ  
 ਮਾਂ ਪ੍ਰਾਗਮੀ ਕੀ ਆਪੀੜ ਦੀ ਕੋਰ ਕੀਕਾ ਕੁਕੋਰੀ ਕੀ, ਵੇਰਕਲੀਯ  
 ਮੀਨਕ ਵਾਰੇ ਕੁਰਕਾ ਵੇਰਕੁ ਕੇ ਸਿਕਕਤੁ ਵਿਕ ਸੁਪਕੋਕਪ ਕੀਤੀ ਕੀ,

**AC No 3261 of 2018**

4. I have gone through the reply and is satisfied.
5. In view of the foregoing, no further cause of action is left. Therefore, the Appeal Case filed by the Appellant is **disposed off and closed**. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

**Chandigarh**  
**Dated: 29.01.2019**

**Sd/-**  
**(Preety Chawla)**  
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Sh Inderjit Marwaha,

S/o Lt.Sh.B.L.Marwaha,

H.No 39/2, Friends Colony,

Opp DAV college, Jalandhar

..... Complainant

**Vs**

**Public Information Officer,**

O/o Joint Director,

Department of Food, Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs,Pb

Anaj Bhawan, Sector 39-C,

Chandigarh

**First Appellate Authority,**

O/o Director,

Department of Food, Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs,Pb

Anaj Bhawan, Sector 39-C,

Chandigarh

.....Respondent

**AC . No. 3584 of 2018**

Present: (i) None for the Appellant.

(ii) For the Respondent: Sh Parampal Singh, Inspector

### **ORDER**

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 02.01.2019.

2. The Appellant is not present today.

3. The Respondent states that the complete information has been sent to the Appellant. He has also given in writing that no information is pending in this regard.

4. The perusal of the file shows that the Appellant is not present today. He was not present on the previous two date of hearings. He has not even bothered to inform the Commission about his absence. The Respondent states that complete information has been furnished to the Appellant. Therefore, it is presumed that the Appellant is satisfied with the information provided. Hence, the Appeal case filed by the Appellant is **disposed off and closed**. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

**Chandigarh**

**Dated: 29.01.2019**

**Sd/-**

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Sh. Narinder Kumar Bitta  
S/o Shri Rai Sahib  
House No.2438A, Street No. 2  
Sri guru Nanak Nagar, Near 16 Acre  
Barnala

Appellant

Versus

**1.Public Information Officer,**  
O/o EO, Barnala  
**First Appellate Authority,**  
O/o Regional Deputy Director  
Local Govt.Patiala

.Respondent

## Appeal Case No. 2500 of 2018

Present: (i) None for the Appellant.  
(ii) For the Respondent: Sh Parvinder Singh, PIO

### ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 03.01.2019.

2. Today the Appellant is not present.
3. The Respondent states that the complete information has been sent to the Appellant.
4. The perusal of the file shows that a show-cause notice was issued to PIO-O/o EO, Barnala on 14.11.2018, but the Respondent has failed to file his reply for the same. Therefore, one last opportunity is given to the Respondent to file his reply in response the show-cause notice issued to them. The Appellant is not present today. Neither he was present on the last date of hearing. He has not even bothered to inform the Commission about his absence. *Therefore, it is made clear that in case the Appellant is not present on the next date of hearing, appropriate orders in his absence shall be passed.*
5. To come up on **28.02.2019 at 11.00 AM**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

**Chandigarh**  
**Dated: 29.01.2019**

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Sh Bhagwant Singh,  
S/o Lt Sh Charan Singh,  
R/o Vill Wahage Wala,  
PO Khae Feme Ki,  
Tehsil & Distt Ferozepur-1520023

..... Complainant

Vs

**Public Information Officer,**  
O/o SSP, Ferozepur  
**First Appellate Authority-cum-**  
IGP, Ferozepur Range,  
Ferozepur Cantt.

.....Respondent

### AC . No. 3590 of 2018

Present: (i) Sh. Bhagwant Singh the appellant  
(ii) For the respondent: Sh. Ashwani Kumar, ASI

### ORDER

- This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 02.01.2019.
- Today the respondent Sh. Ashwani Kumar states that the information has already been sent to the appellant through registered post on 25.01.2019.
  - The appellant states that he has not received any information so far.
  - Respondent further states that he has brought another copy of information today in the Commission, which is handed over to the appellant.
  - The appellant is advised to point out the deficiencies in the information provided by the Respondent. Respondent is directed to ensure that the deficiencies in the information are made good before the next date of hearing.
  - To come up on **28.02.2019 at 11.00 AM**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Chandigarh  
Dated: 29.01.2019

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Sh. Sukhchain Singh  
Secretary Nagar Welfare Society,  
Sanan Mhalla Ward No.11  
Fatehgarh Churian, Tehsil Batala,  
Distt. Gurdaspur

.... Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer,**  
O/o Director Food and Civil Supplies and consumer Affairs Department  
Punjab Sector 39, Chandigarh  
**First Appellate Authority**  
O/o Director Food and Civil Supplies and consumer Affairs Department  
Punjab Sector 39, Chandigarh

..Respondent

## AC No.3545 of 2018

Present: (i) None is present on behalf of the appellant  
(ii) for the respondent : Sh.Satinderjit Singh, Inspector, Smt. Rajneet Kaur,  
Inspector

### ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 02.01.2019 vide which the appellant was absent.

2. Today again the appellant is not present. The perusal of the file shows that the appellant is absent for fourth consecutive hearing. Respondent states that the information has already been sent to the appellant. Since, the appellant is absent for fourth consecutive time and there is no submission by him, therefore it is presumed that he is satisfied with the information.

3. Today, the respondent files reply in response to the show cause notice issued. I have gone through the reply of the Respondent and agree with the reply of the Respondent resultantly, the proceedings under Section 20 of the RTI are dropped.

4. In view of the foregoing, no cause of action is left, the appeal filed by the appellant is therefore **disposed of and closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Chandigarh  
Dated: 29.01.2019

Sd/-  
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Sh. Jarnail Singh  
S/o Shri Gurnam Singh  
R/o Village Bahiman Deewana,  
Distt. Bathinda

.... Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer,**  
O/o Assistant Registrar Cooperative Societies  
Bathinda  
**First Appellate Authority**  
O/o Deputy Registrar Cooperative Societies  
Bathinda  
**Public Information Officer**  
o/o Vigilance Bureau  
SCO 60-61, Sector 17  
Chandigarh

..Respondent

## **AC No. 3412 of 2018**

Present: (i) Sh. Jarnail Singh the appellant  
(ii) For the respondent: Sh. Gurpreet Singh, Junior Assistant

### **ORDER**

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 02.01.2019 vide which PIO, o/o Vigilance Bureau was impleaded.

2. Today the appellant states that no information has been given to him so far.

3. After hearing both the parties, it is observed that no information has been given to the appellant so far. It is observed that the appellant filed RTI on 03.04.2018, but no information has been given to him so far. This is indeed a serious matter

4. This has resulted in much avoidable inconvenience and hardship to the Appellant. He is, therefore, entitled to be compensated under Section 19(8)(b) of RTI Act 2005 for the loss and detriment suffered by him. In the circumstances, I am of the view that ends of justice would be met if a sum of **Rs.2500/- (Rupees Twenty Five Only)** is awarded to the Appellant as compensation. I order accordingly.

5. This amount shall be payable by the office of Respondent no.1 from the State exchequer within fifteen days from the receipt of this order under intimation to the Commission.

6. **Sh. Darshan Lal Duggal, Deputy Registrar-cum-PIO is directed to come present.**

7. To come up on **25.02.2019 at 11.00 AM**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

**Chandigarh  
Dated: 29.01.2019**

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Sh. Sat Pal Sahotra,  
# 309, (Behind SBI), Village Sarangpur  
Chandigarh

Appellant.

Versus

**Public Information Officer,**  
o/o Assistant Registrar  
cooperative Societies, Mohali  
**First Appellate Authority**  
o/o Assistant Registrar  
cooperative Societies, Mohali

...Respondent

## Appeal Case No. 1977 of 2018

Present: (i) Sh. Sat Pal Sahotra the appellant  
(ii) For the respondent : Sh.Jasvinder Singh, ARCS

### ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 07.01.2019 vide which an amount of Rs. 2500/- as compensation was awarded to the appellant and a show cause notice was issued to the respondent- PIO.

2. Today Sh. Jasvinder Singh, ARCS appeared and has filed reply to show cause notice issued to the PIO. The appellant states that the respondent has not paid amount of compensation till now.

3. Respondent is directed to pay amount of Rs. 2500/- as compensation to the appellant before or on the next date of hearing. The show cause is still pending.

4. To come up on **28.02.2019 at 11.00 AM**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Chandigarh  
Dated: 29.01.2019

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Sh Kuldip Singh Walia,  
S/O Late Sh Harjit Singh IRS(Retd),  
R/o Flat No.1506, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor,  
Housefed Complex,Banur

..... Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer,**  
O/o Deputy Registrar,  
Cooperative societies, Mohali Secretariat  
Room No. 450, District complex, Mohali (Punjab)  
**First Appellate Authority,**  
O/o Deputy Registrar,  
Cooperative societies, Mohali Secretariat  
Room No. 450, District complex, Mohali (Punjab)

.....Respondent

**Appeal Case No. 2016 of 2018**

Present: (i) None is present on behalf of the appellant  
(ii) for the respondent : Sh.Jaswinder Singh, ARCS-cum-APIO

**ORDER**

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 03.01.2019 vide which the appellant was absent. During the last hearing, the respondent was directed to file an affidavit.

2. The appellant is absent today.

3. Respondent files an affidavit mentioning therein that " *that the appellant had submitted a complaint before the office of Registrar Cooperative Societies, Punjab Chandigarh and to the office of undersigned on 20.06.2017 which was received in the office of undersigned on 27.06.2017, the copy of same is attached.(2) that after receiving the same immediately the enquiry into the allegation leveled by the appellant was started and notice of the same was issued to the concerned parties on 10.07.2017. Thereafter same remained pending till and the final report was submitted by the office of undersigned to the Registrar cooperative Societies, Punjab Chandigarh vide letter no.Steno/DRM/1835 dated 22.5.2018 and the copy of same was already supplied to appellant before this Hon'ble Court to the appellant on 24.5.2018 and the same report was again sent to Shri Kuldeep Singh Walia by the office of Deputy Registrar, Cooperative Societies, SAS Nagar vide letter no. Supd/DRM/120 dated 15.1.2019.*"

**Appeal Case No. 2016 of 2018**

4. I have gone through the affidavit and have agreed with the same.
5. In view of the foregoing, no cause of action is left, the appeal filed by the appellant is therefore **disposed of and closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

**Chandigarh**  
**Dated: 29.01.2019**

**Sd/-**  
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Sh. Palwinder Singh, S/o Shri Jasbir Singh  
R/o VPO Gangomahal, Tehsil Ajnala  
Distt.Amritsar

..... complainant  
Vs

**Public Information Officer,**  
o/o District Social Security Officer  
Near Madaan Hospital, Majitha Road  
Amritsar

**Regd.Post      Public Information Officer**  
o/o CDPO, Ajnala

.....Respondent

## CC . No. 1017 of 2018

Present:      (i) None is present on behalf of the complainant  
                  (ii) for the respondent : Sh. Surjit Singh, Junior Assistant

### ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the pervious order dated 20.12.2018 vide which PIO,o/o CDPO, Ajnala was impleaded as respondent no. 2.

2.      The complainant is absent today. Respondent no. 1 states that some information as exists in their record has already been sent to the complainant. He further states that he has brought remaining information today in the Commission.

3.      Respondent no. 1 is directed to send the information to the complainant through registered post. During the last hearing, Respondent no. 2 was impleaded. He was directed to send the information to the complainant. Today neither the respondent no. 2 nor his representative is present, which shows that the respondent has no regard for the RTI regime. This is indeed a serious matter.

4.      In view of the above, **PIO,o/o CDPO, Ajnala is directed** to show cause in writing or through affidavit under Section 20(1) of the RTI Act, as to why penalty be not imposed upon him for willful delay/ denial of the information to the RTI applicant

**CC . No. 1017 of 2018**

In addition to his submission, the PIO is also hereby given an opportunity under Section 20(1) proviso, thereto, for a personal hearing before the imposition of such penalty on the next date of hearing. He may note that in case he does not file his submission and does not avail himself of the opportunity of personal hearing on the next date fixed, it will be presumed that he has nothing to say and the Commission shall proceed to take further proceedings against him ex-parte.

5. To come up on **28.02.2019 at 11.00 AM**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

**Chandigarh**  
**Dated: 29.01.2019**

**Sd/-**  
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Sh Jasbir Singh,  
Village Bolapur, Jhabewal,  
Post office Ramgarh,  
Distt: Ludhiana

.....Appellant

**Vs**

**Public Information Officer,**  
O/o SDM-cum-Licensing & Registering,  
Authority, Patti,  
Distt Tarn Taran

**First Appellate Authority**  
DC, Tarn Taran

.....Respondent

## AC No. 1576 of 2018

Present: (i) Sh. Jasbir Singh the appellant  
(ii) None is present on behalf of the respondent

### **ORDER**

The appellant Sh. Jasbir Singh states that he has received the information. He further states that he has also received amount of compensation.

2. Since, the order of the commission has been complied with, no cause of action is left, the appeal filed by the appellant is therefore **disposed of and closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

**Chandigarh**  
**Dated: 29.01.2019**

**Sd/-**  
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Sh. Gurnam Singh, S/o Shri Bachtar Singh  
R/o House No. 10, Mohalla Mahitia Wala,  
Banaur, Distt.Mohali

..... Appellant

**Vs**

**Public Information Officer,**  
o/o Naib Tehsildar, Sub Tehsildar Mullanpur Dakha  
Distt. Ludhiana  
**First Appellate Authority**  
o/o SDM, Ludhiana

.....Respondent

**AC.No. 3211 of 2018**

Present: None for the parties

**ORDER**

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 20.12.2018

2. The appellant is absent today. He has sent a letter stating that due to judicial court, he is unable to attend the hearing.
3. Respondent is absent today.
4. Last opportunity is given to the respondent to appear before the Commission, failing which action under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act will be initiated.
5. To come up on **28.02.2019 at 11.00 AM**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

**Chandigarh**  
**Dated: 29.01.2019**

**Sd/-**  
**(Preety Chawla)**  
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Sh.Jiwan Garg, House No. B-1/473-A  
Opp.Old Bombay Palace, Jakhal Road  
Suman, Sangrur

..... Appellant

Vs

**Public Information Officer,**  
o/o Chief Electoral Officer Punjab  
SCO 29-30, Sector 17E, Chandigarh

**First Appellate Authority**  
o/o Chief Electoral Officer Punjab  
SCO 29-30, Sector 17E, Chandigarh

.....Respondent

## **AC . No. 3222 of 2018**

Present: (i) Sh. Jiwan Garg the appellant alongwith Sh.Nirmal  
(ii) For the respondent : Sh. Sukhdev Lal, PIO, Smt.Sunita, Suptdt, Sh.  
Gopal Krishan, Jr. Assistant, Sh.Inderbir Singh, Election Kanugo,  
Sh.Baljinder Singh, Election Clerk and Smt.Sukhwinder Kaur, Clerk

### **ORDER**

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 20.12.2018.

2. The appellant states he has received information pertaining to point nos. 8, 9 & 10.
3. Respondent states that he has also brought the information today in the Commission, which is handed over to the appellant.
4. The appellant took time to inspect all the record which was brought by the respondent and after inspecting all the record he was not satisfied. All the points have been discussed in the Commission in the presence of the appellant and the respondent. After going through the RTI of the appellant, it is observed that in some points, the appellant has raised queries for which no information can be supplied, as the information which only exists in the record can be supplied, and the queries are not to be replied. The appellant may take note that the information which is available on internet cannot be provided.



**AC . No. 3222 of 2018**

5. Respondent is directed to provide point-wise specific reply before the next date of hearing. He is also directed to provide the information, as exists, in the record to the appellant before the next date of hearing. However, if this information is not available on record, the PIO shall file an affidavit on oath stating the same.

6. To come up on **05.03.2019 at 11.00 AM**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

**Chandigarh**  
**Dated: 29.01.2019**

**Sd/-**  
**(Preety Chawla)**  
**State Information Commissioner**