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Shri Prem Kumar Rattan,
H.No.78/8, Park Road,
Navi Mandi, Dhuri,
District Sangrur

.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o Addl. Superintending Engineer,
Urban Sub Division, PSPCL, Dhuri,
District Sangrur.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o Deputy Chief Engineer,
Distribution Circle, PSPCL,
Barnala.

...Respondents

AC No.1405/2021

Present: (i) **Shri Prem Kumar Rattan, Appellant.**
(ii) **Shri Manoj Garg, Addl.S.E., D.S. Division, PSPCL, Dhuri/PIO.**

ORDER:

(Heard through Video Conferencing)

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 13.07.2021 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing
2. The case has been heard today through V.C. Shri Prem Kumar Rattan, appellant comes present to attend the hearing through V.C. in D.C. Office, Sangrur.
3. Shri Manoj Garg, Addl.S.E., D.S. Division, PSPCL, Dhuri, District Sangrur comes present to attend the hearing through V.C. He states that the information has been supplied to the appellant vide letter dated 31.12.2020 and he has again been informed vide letter dated 30.07.2021 to contact Sub Divisional Office, City Dhuri in case he feels that information is incomplete. He further states that on the visit of appellant, the appellant was shown the relevant records and necessary information has been supplied to him vide letter dated 24.09.2021 and that an affidavit dated 24.09.2021 has also been filed.
4. On the asking of the Bench, the appellant states that he had visited the office of PIO for inspection of records, but complete information has not been provided to him. Upon this, the Bench directs the PIO to show the information supplied to him once again the appellant during the hearing itself. The appellant, however, after perusing the information expresses dis-satisfaction.

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5. Post deliberations, the Bench observes that complete information has not been supplied to the appellant as yet. As such, the affidavit dated 24.09.2021 is not accepted. The PIO is directed to provide copy of the complete information to the appellant duly attested by the PIO and thereafter, file an affidavit as per directions given on the previous hearing.

6. With the aforesaid directions, the matter is adjourned. **To come up for hearing on 04.01.2022 at 11.30 AM through V.C. in D.C. Office, Sangrur.** Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

**Chandigarh
29.09.2021**

**Sd/-
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Shri Kala Singh
S/o Shri Amar Singh,
R/o Village Lang, PO Lang,
Tehsil & District Patiala.

.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer
O/o Sub Divisional Officer,
Sub Division, PSPCL, Kalyan,
District Patiala.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Executive Engineer,
East Division, PSPCL,
Patiala.

...Respondents

AC No.1463/2021

Present: (i) **Appellant- absent.**
(ii) **None on behalf of the PIO.**

ORDER

(Heard through Video Conferencing)

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 13.07.2021 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.
2. The case has been heard today through V.C. Shri Kala Singh, appellant has not come present to attend the hearing through V.C.in D.C. Office, Patiala.
3. Neither the PIO has come present to attend the hearing nor he has deputed any of his representatives to attend the hearing through V.C.
4. On the previous hearing, the PIO was directed to call the appellant for inspection of records and to provide information identified by the appellant on inspection of records. As such, the appellant is contacted on mobile phone. He, however, shows ignorance about the details of the instant appeal case.
5. In view of the above, the Bench is not in a position to proceed further in the matter. As such, the Bench deems it appropriate to adjourn the matter. The PIO is, however, directed to comply with the directions of the Bench given on the previous hearing including filing of an affidavit after supplying the information to the appellant.

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6. With the aforesaid directions, the matter is adjourned. **To come up for hearing on 04.01.2022 before the Bench in Commission's office at Chandigarh.** Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

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Shri Gokul Dev,
S/o Shri Chander Mani
No.113, Gali No.07,
Aman Avenue,
Majitha Road,Amritsar.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o PSPCL, East Division,
Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority.

O/o Superintending Engineer,
Sub Urban Circle, PSPCL,
Amritsar.

..Respondents

AC No.1431/2021

- Present: (i) Shri Sanjeet Singh, Advocate for appellant and Shri Gokul Dev,
Appellant
(ii) None on behalf of the PIO.

ORDER:

(Heard through Video Conferencing)

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 13.07.2021 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.
2. The case has been heard today through Video Conferencing in the office of D.C. Amritsar.
3. Shri Sanjeet Singh, Advocate comes present to attend the hearing through V.C. along with the appellant Shri Gokul Dev. He states that the information as required by him in connection with income tax related issues, has not been provided to the appellant.
4. Ms. Rupa Rani, S.D.A, PSPCL Amritsar who had come present to attend the previous hearing through V.C. is contacted on mobile phone. She states that information has been provided to the appellant by calling him to office on 28.09.2021 and the appellant has also expressed his satisfaction over the information supplied. She also makes the Bench to talk to the Addl. S.E., East Division, PSPCL, Amritsar. He states that the appellant had met him and the information was supplied to him and he was quite satisfied with the information provided.

5. On the asking of the Bench, the appellant admits to have visited the office of PIO on 27.09.2021 and not on 28.09.2021 as claimed by the PIO, but refutes the statement of the PIO that he has been provided information and that he is satisfied with the information given.

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5. Post deliberations, the PIO states that the information sought is of the period 2010-11, 2011-12, and 2012-13 and whatever information was available in the official records, has been supplied to the appellant. The Bench directs the PIO to now file an affidavit on non-judicial stamp paper duly signed by the PIO and attested by the Notary Public to the effect that the information as available in the official records in AC No.1431 of 2021 has been supplied to the appellant. It be further stated that nothing has been concealed therein and the statement made is true and correct. The original affidavit as also the entire relevant record be brought along and produced before the Bench on the next hearing.

6. With the aforesaid directions, the matter is adjourned. **To come up for hearing on 04.01.2022 at 11.30 AM before the Bench in Commission's office at Chandigarh.** Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

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Shri Gaganpreet Singh, Advocate
Chamber No.8039, 8th Floor,
New Court Complex, Part-II,
Ludhiana.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer
O/o Addl. S.E./Sr.XEN.
PSPCL Division West, Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority
O/o Addl. S.E./Sr.XEN.
PSPCL Division West, Ludhiana.

..Respondent

AC No.2913/2021

Present: (i) Appellant- absent.
(ii) Shri Kamalpreet Singh Sidhu, Addl.S.E., City West Division, PSPCL, Ludhiana/PIO.

ORDER:

(Heard through V.C.)

1. The RTI application is dated 18.03.2010 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. The first appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 17.05.2021 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 25.06.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).
2. The notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 29.09.2021 through V.C. Shri Gaganpreet Singh, appellant has not come present to attend the hearing through V.C.in D.C. Office, Ludhiana.
3. Shri Kamalpreet Singh Sidhu, Addl.S.E., City West Division, PSPCL, Ludhiana/PIO comes present to attend the hearing through V.C. He states that the appellant has sought information relating to electricity connection of Dayanand Medical College & Hospital, Ludhiana. The said institution was asked to give its consent to share information with the appellant and they have refused to share its information, being third party. Accordingly, the appellant has been denied information vide letter dated 17.05.2021.

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4. The Bench does not agree with the contention raised by the PIO as the information sought by the appellant does not relate to any individual but to an institution and as such, the Bench directs the PIO to provide information to the appellant before the next hearing.

5. With the aforesaid directions, the matter is adjourned. **To come up for hearing on 04.01.2022 at 11.30 AM before the Bench in Commission's office at Chandigarh.** Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

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