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Shri Joginder Pal Devgan ( Advocate)

R/O Village Nakoidar, PO Bathae Bhaine,

Tehsil Patti, District Tarn Taran.

M 9780117004. …….Appellant

 Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o BDPO, Block Anaddana at Moonak, District Sangrur.

First Appellant Authority,

O/o BDPO, Block Anaddana at Moonak,

District Sangrur. ...Respondent

**Appeal Case No. 3713 of 2017**

Present:- Shri Joginder Pal Devgan, appellant in person.

 None present on behalf of Smt. Paramjeet Kaur, PIO-cum-BDPO, Annadana at

Moonak, Distt. Sangrur.

O R D E R

 The Commission has received a mail on 29.08.2018 sent by Shri Gurjeet Singh, Panchayat Secretary that he is unable to appear before the Commission on 30.08.2018 due to the announcement of Panchayat Elections in Punjab. The said mail is taken on the file of the Commission.

 On the last date of hearing Shri Gurjeet Singh, Panchayat Secretary was present alongwith the copies of information, but they were not attested, so the copies of information were returned to him with a direction that attested copies of information be provided to the appellant before the next date of hearing. But the appellant stated today that the PIO has not provided him any information.

 So, the PIO is again directed to provide attested copies of complete information to the appellant before the next date of hearing, otherwise a Show Cause Notice will be issued to her that why you have not provided the information to the appellant within stipulated period and so why you may not be penalized under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

Both the parties to come present on the next date of hearing on **20.09.2018 at 11:00 A.M.**

  **(Avtar Singh Kaler)**

**Dated: 30.08.2018. State Information Commissioner, Punjab**

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Shri Gagandeep Singh Threeke,

SCO 26, Shant Park,

Main Sua Roadm Threeke,

Ludhiana-142028. (M: 9780400680). …Appellant

 Vs.

Public Information Officer,

O/o BDPO-1, Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o BDPO-1, Ludhiana. …Respondent

 **Appeal Case No. 1838 of 2018**

Present:- Shri Gagandeep Singh Threeke, appellant is present.

 None present on behalf of the PIO-cum- BDPO-1, Ludhiana.

O R D E R

 I have gone through the Order dated 25.07.2018 and on that date a penalty of Rs.10,000/- was imposed on Shri Jagtar Singh, former Panchayat Secretary, Gram Panchayat, Threeke, Distt. Ludhiana for not providing the information to the appellant within stipulated period. He has not deposited the amount of penalty till today. So, a last opportunity is granted to him for depositing the amount in the Govt. Treasury. Failing which the department concerned will be directed to deduct the amount of penalty from his salary and deposit in the Govt. Treasury.

 Today none has come present on behalf of the PIO. The appellant stated that the PIO has not provided him the information regarding deficiencies pointed out in the information already received till today.

 So, the PIO-cum-BDPO-1, Ludhiana is directed to provide complete information after removing the deficiencies to the appellant within 10 days, otherwise strict action will be taken against her under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

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 **Appeal Case No. 1838 of 2018**

 Both the parties to come present on the next date of hearing on **10.10.2018 at 11:00 A.M.**

 **(Avtar Singh Kaler)**

**Dated: 30.08.2018. State Information Commissioner, Punjab**

Copy to:

(Regd.) Shri Jagtar Singh,

 Panchayat Officer,

 Block Pakhowal,

 Distt. Ludhiana.

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Shri Balbir Singh, S/o Shri Atma Ram,

R/o Mandoli, Tehsil Rajpura,

Distt. Patiala. (M: 6239195960) ….. … Appellant

**Vs**

Public Information Officer,

O/o Divisional Forest Officer,

Mohali. ………Respondent

First Appellate Authority,

O/o Chief Conservator of Forests Department,

Mohali.

 **Appeal Case No. 2199 of 2018**

**Present:-** Shri Balbir Singh, appellant is present.

Smt. Manpreet Kaur, Forest Guard, RTI Branch is present on behalf of the PIO,

 O/o Divisional Forest Officer, Mohali.

**O R D E R**

Shri Balbir Singh, appellant filed RTI application dated 29.01.2018 and he sought some information from the PIO O/o Divisional Forest Officer, Mohali.

 Smt. Manpreet Kaur, Forest Guard, RTI Branch, O/o Divisional Forest Officer, Mohali has provided the complete information to the appellant today before the Commission.

 The appellant stated that he has received the information and he is satisfied with the information provided to him by the respondent. He has submitted a duly signed written submission dated 30.08.2018 that he has received the information and he is satisfied and also requested to dispose of the case.

 As the PIO has provided the information to the appellant and the appellant has submitted a written submission that he has received the information and he is satisfied, so the present appeal case is **disposed of and closed.**

 **(Avtar Singh Kaler)**

**Dated: 30.08.2018 State Information Commissioner, Punjab.**

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Shri Sandeep Bajaj, (M: 9888419553)

Baba Nam Dev Nagar,

Near TV Tower, Plot No. 125,

Fazilka-152123 ….. … Appellant

**Vs**

Public Information Officer,

O/o SDM, Sultanpur Lodhi,

Distt. Kapurthala. ………Respondent

First Appellate Authority,

O/o SDM, Sultanpur Lodhi,

Distt. Kapurthala.

 **Appeal Case No. 2228 of 2018**

**Present:-** Shri Sandeep Bajaj, appellant is present.

 Shri Ranjit Singh, Junior Assistant is present on behalf of the PIO, O/o SDM,

 Sultanpur Lodhi, Distt. Kapurthala.

**O R D E R**

Shri Sandeep Bajaj, appellant filed RTI application dated 03.04.2018 and he sought some information from the PIO O/o SDM, Sultanpur Lodhi, Distt. Kapurthala. Shri Ranjit Singh, Junior Assistant stated that the information has already been sent to the appellant through letter No. 428 dated 11.06.2018. But the appellant stated that he is not satisfied with the information sent to him by the PIO.

 Shri Ranjit Singh, Junior Assistant stated that he has come present alongwith the file of the concerned record. So, the appellant was given some time to go through the concerned file and the respondent was directed that whichever record the appellant claim within the purview of his RTI application must be provided to him.

 After half an hour I have again heard both the parties. The respondent stated that he has provided the desired documents to the appellant and the appellant stated that he has received the complete information and he is satisfied.

 As the respondent has provided the information to the appellant and the appellant is satisfied, so the present appeal case is **disposed of and closed.**

 **(Avtar Singh Kaler)**

**Dated: 30.08.2018 State Information Commissioner, Punjab.**

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Shri Vishwa Mitter, S/o Shri Krishan Dev ,

# 652-UT2, Sec 2,

Talwara Township. (M: 6239862917) ….. … Appellant

**Vs**

Public Information Officer,

O/o Executive Engineer,

Personnel Division, RSD,

Shahpur Kandi Township. ………Respondent

First Appellate Authority,

O/o SE, Admn. & Disposal Circle, RSD,

Shahpur Kandi Township.

 **Appeal Case No. 2229 of 2018**

**Present:-** Shri Vishwa Mitter, appellant is present.

Shri Bhupinder Singh, Superintendent is present on behalf of the PIO, O/o

Executive Engineer, Personnel Division, RSD, Shahpur Kandi Township.

**O R D E R**

I have gone through the RTI application dated 27.03.2018 filed by Shri Vishwa Mitter, appellant. He sought certified copy of his G.P.F. Statement for the years 2016-17 and 2017-18 from the PIO O/o Executive Engineer, Personnel Division, RSD, Shahpur Kandi Township.

Shri Bhupinder Singh, Superintendent has submitted a letter to the Commission written by Financial Advisor & Chief Accounts Officer, RSD-Shahpurkandi Township and stated that the PIO has sent the reply/information to the appellant through letter No. 1495-99 dated 30.04.2018. But the appellant stated that he is not satisfied with the reply/information sent to him by the PIO. The letter submitted by the Respondent/PIO has been taken on the file of the Commission.

 I have heard both the parties. The Appellant is directed to submit in writing the deficiencies found in the information to the PIO and the PIO is directed to provide the complete information after removing the deficiencies to the appellant as was sought by him through his RTI application, before the next date of hearing.

 Both the parties to come present on the next date of hearing on **13.09.2018 at 11:00 A.M.**

 **(Avtar Singh Kaler)**

**Dated: 30.08.2018 State Information Commissioner, Punjab.**

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Shri Balbir Singh, S/o Shri Atma Ram,

R/o Mandoli, Tehsil Rajpura,

Distt. Patiala. (M: 6239195960) ….. … Appellant

**Vs**

Public Information Officer,

O/o Divisional Forest Officer,

Patiala. ………Respondent

First Appellate Authority,

O/o Conservator of Forests,

South Circle,

Patiala.

 **Appeal Case No. 2243 of 2018**

**Present:-** Shri Balbir Singh, appellant is present.

Shri Davinder Singh, Steno-typist is present on behalf of the PIO, O/o Divisional Forest Officer, Patiala.

**O R D E R**

Shri Balbir Singh, appellant filed RTI application dated 29.01.2018 and sought some information from the PIO. O/o Divisional Forest Officer, Patiala. The PIO has issued a letter No. 11635 dated 05.02.2018 to the appellant, Shri Balbir Singh and asked him to deposit an amount of Rs. 81,904/- as fee for the sought for information. But the appellant has not deposited the requisite fee which was asked by the PIO to deposit for providing the information.

 I have asked the appellant regarding the deposit of fee and he admitted that he has not deposited the requisite fee, which was asked by the PIO to deposit.

 So, the present appeal case is disposed of and closed with a direction to the appellant that he should deposit the fee with the office of the PIO within 15 days and the PIO is directed that in case the appellant deposit the requisite fee, then he should provide the information to the appellant within 15 days from the deposit of the fee.

 With this observation the present appeal case is **disposed of and closed.**

 **(Avtar Singh Kaler)**

**Dated: 30.08.2018 State Information Commissioner, Punjab.**

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Shri Dinesh Kumar, S/o Shri Daulat Ram,

R/o Village Rathewal, Tehsil Balachaur,

Distt. SBS Nagar. ….. … Appellant

**Vs**

Public Information Officer,

O/o Agriculture Sciences Centre,

Langroya, Distt. SBS Nagar. ………Respondent

First Appellate Authority,

Cum-SDM, Balachaur,

Distt. SBS Nagar.

 **Appeal Case No. 2250 of 2018**

**Present:-** Shri Dinesh Kumar, appellant is present.

 Shri Kamaljeet Singh, Clerk, O/o SDM, Balachaur is present.

**O R D E R**

Shri Dinesh Kumar, appellant filed RTI application dated 14.03.2018 and sought some information from the PIO office of the SDM, Balachaur. The SDM, Balachaur had transferred the RTI application under Section 6(3) of the RTI Act, 2005, to the PIO, O/o Agriculture Sciences Centre, Langroya, Distt. SBS Nagar on 20.03.2018 vide letter No. 140. When no information was provided by the PIO then the appellant filed First Appeal before the First Appellate Authority and thereafter he filed Second Appeal before the Punjab State Information Commission and notice of hearing was issued to both the parties for today i.e. 30.08.2018.

 Shri Kamaljeet Singh, Clerk, O/o SDM, Balachaur is present today. But none present on behalf of Public Information Officer, O/o Agriculture Sciences Centre, Langroya, Distt. SBS Nagar because the notice of hearing sent to them has been received back in the Commission with the remarks of Post Office that no such centre exists in the Agriculture University.

 So, the PIO O/o SDM, Balachaur is directed that information sought by the appellant be provided to him within 15 days and come present personally on the next date of

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 **Appeal Case No. 2250 of 2018**

hearing alongwith copy of information, otherwise strict action will be taken against him under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

 Both the parties to come present on the next date of hearing on **10.10.2018 at 11:00 A.M.**

 **(Avtar Singh Kaler)**

**Dated: 30.08.2018 State Information Commissioner, Punjab.**

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 O/o SDM, Balachaur.

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Shri Savinder Pal Singh,

H.No. HM 321, Phase 9,

Mohali. ….. … Appellant

**Vs**

Public Information Officer,

O/o Punjab Agro Juices Ltd.,

2-A, Sector 28-A, Madhya Marg,

Chandigarh. ………Respondent

First Appellate Authority,

O/o Punjab Agro Juices Ltd.,

2-A, Sector 28-A, Madhya Marg,

Chandigarh.

 **Appeal Case No. 2254 of 2018**

**Present:-** Shri Savinder Pal Singh, appellant is present.

Shri B.S. Sidhu, PIO-cum-Head Marketing and Technical, Punjab Agro Juices

Ltd. is present.

**O R D E R**

Shri Savinder Pal Singh, appellant filed RTI application dated 15.03.2018 and he sought some information from the PIO O/o Punjab Agro Juices Ltd., Chandigarh.

 Shri B.S. Sidhu, PIO-cum-Head Marketing and Technical stated that he has already provided the information to the appellant through letter No.5978 dated 30.04.2018. But the appellant, Shri Savinder Pal Singh stated that he is not satisfied with the information provided to him by the PIO.

 I have heard both the parties. The Appellant is directed to submit in writing the specific deficiencies found in the information to the PIO and the PIO is directed to provide the complete information after removing the deficiencies, if any, to the appellant as was sought by him through his RTI application, before the next date of hearing and come personally present on the next date of hearing alongwith a copy of information.

 Both the parties to come present on the next date of hearing on **10.10.2018 at 11:00 A.M.**

 **(Avtar Singh Kaler)**

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Shri Sucha Singh, S/o Shri Mangal Singh,

R/o Vill. Gosainpur,

PO, Tehsil & Distt. Pathankot-145001

(M: 9517705948) ….. … Complainant

**Vs**

Public Information Officer,

O/o Divisional Forest Officer,

Pathankot. ………Respondent

 **Complaint Case No. 726 of 2018**

**Present:-** Shri Sucha Singh, complainant/applicant is present.

Shri Satnam Singh Boparai, PIO-cum-Forest Range Officer, Pathankot is

present.

**O R D E R**

Shri Sucha Singh, complainant/applicant filed RTI application dated 18.03.2018 and he sought information that what action has been taken on the application filed by his deceased father, Shri Mangal Singh for cutting of old Safaida trees on Gosainpur-Madhopur Road.

 A letter dated 23.08.2018 has been received through E.Mail from Divisional Forest Officer, Pathankot vide which he has stated that requisite reply/information has already been given to the Complainant. The said letter is taken on the file of the Commission. But the Complainant stated that no information has been provided to him till date. The reply of the Respondent is not satisfactory.

 A period of two and half years has since passed, but no information has been provided to the complainant/applicant. The conduct of the PIO amounts to denial and defiance of the RTI Act, 2005. So a Show Cause Notice is issued to the PIO that why he has not provided the information to the complainant/applicant within stipulated period and so why he may not be penalized.

 The PIO is directed to come personally present on the next date of hearing and file reply to the Show Cause Notice through duly attested affidavit and also file reply to the complaint filed by the complainant/applicant.

 Both the parties to come present on the next date of hearing on **13.09.2018 at 11:00 A.M.**

 **(Avtar Singh Kaler)**

**Dated: 30.08.2018 State Information Commissioner, Punjab.**

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near Nehra Park, Jagdish Colony, Rohtak.124001. ….Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer,**

O/o Secretary, Regional Transport Authority,

Ferozepur.

FAA- o/o State Transport Commissioner,

SCO 117-178, Ist, 2nd 3rd, Floor, Sector 17,

Chandigarh. ...Respondent

**Appeal Case No. 1398 of 2017**

Present::- Smt. Nirmala Devi, appellant is absent.

 Shri Jaswant Singh Dhillon, PIO, O/o Secretary, Regional Transport Authority,

 Ferozepur.

O R D E R

 Smt. Nirmala Devi, appellant is absent, however she has sent a mail which is taken on the file of the Commission.

 On the last date of hearing Shri Ashok Kumar, Clerk was present alongwith the remaining information connecting with the deficiencies which were brought to the notice of the PIO by Shri Sant Ram, husband of the appellant. As the appellant was absent on that date so, the PIO was directed to send the remaining information to the appellant through registered post within 2 days. In compliance to the Order of the Commission. the PIO has sent the remaining information to the appellant.

 A Show Cause Notice was issued to the PIO that why the information has not been provided to the appellant within stipulated period and so why you may not be penalized. Shri Jaswant Singh Dhillon, PIO has submitted a duly attested affidavit dated 29.08.2018 in reply to the Show Cause Notice. It is submitted in the affidavit that he has joined as PIO at Regional Transport Authority, Ferozepur on 09.03.2018. It is also submitted in the affidavit that all the concerned information which was available in his office was provided to the appellant. The said affidavit is taken on the file of the Commission.

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 **Appeal Case No. 1398 of 2017**

 I have gone through the affidavit and also heard the PIO. The RTI application was filed on 05.12.2016 and Shri Jaswant Singh Dhillon has joined as PIO at Regional
Transport Authority, Ferozepur on 09.03.2018, which is much after the filing of the RTI application. Moreover, the PIO has provided the information to the appellant. As the PIO is not personally liable for the delay in providing the information to the appellant, so the Show Cause Notice issued to him is dropped and filed.

 The PIO has resolved the matter involved in the RTI application and provided the information to the appellant, so the present appeal case is **disposed of and closed.**

 **(Avtar Singh Kaler)**

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R/o Village Mandi Kalan, PO Bija,

Tehsil Khanna,

Distt. Ludhiana (M: 9814664484) ….. … Complainant

**Vs**

Public Information Officer,

O/o Managing Director,

Punjab State Water Resources and Development Corporation,

Sector 26, Chandigarh. ………Respondent

 **Complaint Case No. 686 of 2018**

Present:- Shri Pargat Singh, complainant/applicant is present.

 Shri Ajay Sharma, PIO-cum-XEN, Divisional Engineer, O/o Punjab State Water

Resources and Development Corporation, Chandigarh is present.

ORDER

 Shri Pargat Singh, complainant/applicant filed RTI application dated 26.03.2018 and he sought certified copies of Seniority List of Senior Clerk and Junior Assistant for the period 01.01.1986 to 31.12.2000.

 On the last date of hearing i.e. 14.08.2018 the PIO was directed to provide complete information to the complainant/applicant and in case the information is not available in his office, then the PIO should submit a duly attested affidavit that the information is not available in his office and he is unable to provide it to the complainant/applicant.

 Today, Shri Ajay Sharma, PIO-cum-XEN, Divisional Engineer has submitted a duly attested affidavit dated 30.08.2018, which is taken on the file of the Commission. It is submitted in the affidavit that he has already provided the information to the complainant/applicant and no other information is available in his office.

 I have gone through the affidavit. The PIO has provided the information to the complainant/applicant which was available in his office and no other information is available in his office, so he is unable to provide it to the complainant/applicant.

 In the light of the affidavit submitted by the PIO, the present appeal case is **disposed of and closed.**

 **(Avtar Singh Kaler)**

**Dated: 30.08.2018 State Information Commissioner, Punjab.**

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Shri Sawinder Singh, S/o Shri Bal Singh,

PO Shutrana, Tehsil Patran, Distt Patiala. 147105.

M : 9417924772. ………Complainant.

 Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o BDPO, Patran, Distt Patiala. ……. Respondents

**Complaint Case No. 118 of 2018**

Present:- Shri Sawinder Singh, complainant/applicant is absent.

 None present on behalf of the PIO-cum-BDPO, Patran, District Patiala (Shri

Karamjit Singh).

ORDER

 I have gone through the Order dated 14.08.2018 and on that none has come present on behalf of the complainant/applicant and respondent PIO.

 Today also none has come present on behalf of both the parties, neither they have sent any intimation to the Commission regarding their absence.

 A Show-cause Notice was issued to PIO-cum-BDPO, Patran (Shri Karamjit Singh Sra) vide interim order dated 24.04.2018 of the Commission. But till today he has neither come present before the Commission nor he has filed reply to the show cause notice and Commission has viewed it seriously. So, a last opportunity is given to PIO-cum-BDPO, Patran (Shri Karamjit Singh Sra) with a direction that he should personally come present on the next date of hearing and file reply to Show-cause Notice through duly attested affidavit as well as to the complaint filed by Shri Sawinder Singh, Complainant/applicant. Failing which an ex-parte decision will be taken on Show-cause Notice in his absence under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

 Further, a direction is also issued to the complainant/applicant to come personally present on the next date of hearing.

 Both the parties to come present on the next date of hearing on **20.09.2018 at 11:00 A.M.**

 **(Avtar Singh Kaler)**

**Dated: 30.08.2018 State Information Commissioner, Punjab**

**Copy to:-**

 Shri Karamjit Singh Sra,

Public Information-cum-BDPO, Patran,

District Patiala.

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Shri Sawinder Singh, S/o Shri Bal Singh,

PO Shutrana, Tehsil Patran, Distt Patiala. 147105.

M : 9417924772 ………Complainant

 Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o BDPO, Patran, Distt Patiala. ……. Respondents

**Complaint Case No. 138 of 2018**

Present:- Shri Sawinder Singh, complainant/applicant is absent.

 None present on behalf of the PIO-cum-BDPO, Patran, District Patiala (Shri

Karamjit Singh).

ORDER

 I have gone through the Order dated 14.08.2018 and on that none has come present on behalf of the complainant/applicant and respondent PIO.

 Today also none has come present on behalf of both the parties, neither they have sent any intimation to the Commission regarding their absence.

 A Show-cause Notice was issued to PIO-cum-BDPO, Patran (Shri Karamjit Singh Sra) vide interim order dated 24.04.2018 of the Commission. But till today he has neither come present before the Commission nor he has filed reply to the show cause notice and Commission has viewed it seriously. So, a last opportunity is given to PIO-cum-BDPO, Patran (Shri Karamjit Singh Sra) with a direction that he should personally come present on the next date of hearing and file reply to Show-cause Notice through duly attested affidavit as well as to the complaint filed by Shri Sawinder Singh, Complainant/applicant. Failing which an ex-parte decision will be taken on Show-cause Notice in his absence under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

 Further, a direction is also issued to the complainant/applicant to come personally present on the next date of hearing.

 Both the parties to come present on the next date of hearing on **20.09.2018 at 11:00 A.M.**

 **(Avtar Singh Kaler)**

**Dated: 30.08.2018 State Information Commissioner, Punjab**

**Copy to:-**

 Shri Karamjit Singh Sra,

Public Information-cum-BDPO, Patran,

District Patiala.

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Shri Sawinder Singh S/o Sh.Bal Singh

VPO Shutrana, Tehsil Patran, Distt.Patiala. ………Complainant

 Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o BDPO Patran, District Patiala. ……. Respondent

  **Complaint No.291 of 2018**

Present:- Shri Sawinder Singh, complainant/applicant is absent.

 None present on behalf of the PIO-cum-BDPO, Patran, District Patiala (Shri

Karamjit Singh).

ORDER

 I have gone through the Order dated 14.08.2018 and on that none has come present on behalf of the complainant/applicant and respondent PIO.

 Today also none has come present on behalf of both the parties, neither they have sent any intimation to the Commission regarding their absence.

 A Show-cause Notice was issued to PIO-cum-BDPO, Patran (Shri Karamjit Singh Sra) vide interim order dated 07.06.2018 of the Commission. But till today he has neither come present before the Commission nor he has filed reply to the show cause notice and Commission has viewed it seriously. So, a last opportunity is given to PIO-cum-BDPO, Patran (Shri Karamjit Singh Sra) with a direction that he should personally come present on the next date of hearing and file reply to Show-cause Notice through duly attested affidavit as well as to the complaint filed by Shri Sawinder Singh, Complainant/applicant. Failing which an ex-parte decision will be taken on Show-cause Notice in his absence under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

 Further, a direction is also issued to the complainant/applicant to come personally present on the next date of hearing.

 Both the parties to come present on the next date of hearing on **20.09.2018 at 11:00 A.M.**

 **(Avtar Singh Kaler)**

**Dated: 30.08.2018 State Information Commissioner, Punjab**

**Copy to:-**

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Public Information-cum-BDPO, Patran,

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**Present:-** Shri Tehal Singh, appellant is present.

None present on behalf of Shri Sukhwinder Singh Tiwana, PIO-cum-BDPO, Nabha.

**O R D E R**

I have gone through the Order dated 14.08.2018 and on that date the PIO was directed to provide the information regarding points No. 2 and 3 of the RTI application to the appellant within 7 days.

 The appellant stated that he has not received any information regarding point Nos. 2 and 3 of the RTI application. No one has come present on behalf of the PIO.

 So, the PIO is once again directed to provide the information regarding point Nos. 2 and 3 of the RTI application to the appellant within 5 days, otherwise strict action will be taken against him under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

 Both the parties to come present on the next date of hearing on **10.10.2018 at 11:00 A.M.**

 **(Avtar Singh Kaler)**

**Dated: 30.08.2018 State Information Commissioner, Punjab**