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Sh Lajpat Rai, S/o Sh Harbans Lal,
R/o Roamana Street, Tehsil Jaito,
Distt Faridkot.

... Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o SDM,
Jaito, Distt Faridkot.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o SDM,
Jaito, Distt Faridkot.

...Respondent

Appeal Case No. 2832 of 2021

PRESENT: Sh.Lajpat Rai as the Complainant
None for the Respondent

ORDER:

The appellant through RTI application dated 29.09.2020 has sought information regarding copies of applications dated 11.09.2020, 19.06.2020, 06.08.2020, 9.07.2020, 11.09.2020, 19.09.2020 relating to case 107/151 of accused Gurdeep Singh – a copy of the letter sent from DC office – application diary No.2968 dated 31.01.2020 enquiry reports and against Ajay Singh clerk dated 11.06.2020 full file and other information as enumerated in the RTI application from the office of SDM Jaito. The appellant was not provided with the information after which the appellant filed a first appeal before the First Appellate Authority on 23.10.2020 which took no decision on the appeal.

The case has come up for hearing today through video conferencing at DAC Faridkot. As per the appellant, the PIO has not supplied the information.

The respondent is absent nor is represented. There has been an enormous delay of more than one year in attending to the RTI application. The Commission has taken a serious view of this and hereby directs the PIO to look at the RTI application and provide whatever information is available in the record to the appellant otherwise the Commission will be constrained to take action against the PIO under section 20 of the RTI Act.

The case is adjourned. To come up for further hearing on **05.04.2022 at 11.00 AM** through video conference facility available in the office of Deputy Commissioner, Faridkot

Chandigarh
Dated: 30.11.2021

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O/o EO, MC,
Jaito, Distt Faridkot.

...Respondent

Complaint Case No. 767 of 2021

PRESENT: Sh.Lajpat Rai as the Complainant
None for the Respondent

ORDER:

The complainant through RTI application dated 06.05.2021 has sought information on 05 points regarding copies of complete files of different persons relating to applications received under Pradhan Mantri Awaas Yojna – copies of files No.B-4/312 Majinderpal B/4-56 Paras Mani B-4/105 Sangita Sharma and other information as enumerated in the RTI application from the office of EO-MC Jaito. The complainant was not provided the information after which the complainant filed a complaint in the Commission on 16.06.2021.

The case has come up for hearing today through video conferencing at DAC Faridkot. As per the complainant, the PIO has not supplied the information.

The respondent is absent nor is represented.

Having gone through the record, the Commission observes that the copy of the RTI application with the commission is not legible. The appellant is directed to send a typed legible copy of the RTI application to the Commission with a copy to the PIO.

The PIO is directed to look at the RTI application and provide whatever information is available in the record and appear before the Commission on the next date of hearing along with an explanation for not attending to the RTI application within the time prescribed under the RTI Act. otherwise, the Commission will be constrained to take action against the PIO under section 20 of the RTI Act.

The case is adjourned. To come up for further hearing on **05.04.2022 at 11.00 AM** through video conference facility available in the office of Deputy Commissioner, Faridkot

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... Complainant

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Jaito, Distt Faridkot.

...Respondent

Complaint Case No. 768 of 2021

PRESENT: Sh.Lajpat Rai as the Complainant
None for the Respondent

ORDER:

The complainant through RTI application dated 06.05.2021 has sought information on 10 points regarding copies of complaints filed by the complainant in the office of SDM, Deputy Commissioner, Faridkot, Deputy Director Ferozepur, Principal Secretary from 01.01.2016 till date against Davinder Kumar, Ramesh Kumar, Ajay Singh, Davinder Kumar along with action taken report and other information as enumerated in the RTI application from the office of EO-MC Jaito. The complainant was not provided the information after which the complainant filed a complaint in the Commission on 16.06.2021.

The case has come up for hearing today through video conferencing at DAC Faridkot. As per the complainant, the PIO has not supplied the information.

The respondent is absent nor is represented.

Having gone through the record, the Commission observes that the RTI application is not legible. The appellant is directed to send a typed legible copy of the RTI application to the Commission with a copy to the PIO.

The PIO is directed to look at the RTI application and provide whatever information is available in the record and appear before the Commission on the next date of hearing along with an explanation for not attending to the RTI application within the time prescribed under the RTI Act. otherwise, the Commission will be constrained to take action against the PIO under section 20 of the RTI Act.

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... Complainant

Versus

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O/o EO, MC,
Jaito, Distt Faridkot.

...Respondent

Complaint Case No. 769 of 2021

PRESENT: Sh.Lajpat Rai as the Complainant
None for the Respondent

ORDER:

The complainant through RTI application dated 05.05.2021 has sought information on 05 points action taken on the complaint against Chunki Bala clerk –copies of letters received from SIC-Hem Inder Singh dated 26.08.2020, 23.07.2020 and from Appellate Authority Ferozepur dated 19.12.2019, 07.11.2019, 19.12.2029 alongwith entry register and reply sent and other information as enumerated in the RTI application from the office of EO-MC Jaito. The complainant was not provided the information after which the complainant filed a complaint in the Commission on 16.06.2021.

The case has come up for hearing today through video conferencing at DAC Faridkot. As per the complainant, the PIO has not supplied the information.

The respondent is absent nor is represented.

Having gone through the record, the Commission observes that the RTI application is not legible. The appellant is directed to send a typed legible copy of the RTI application to the Commission with a copy to the PIO.

The PIO is directed to look at the RTI application and provide whatever information is available in the record and appear before the Commission on the next date of hearing along with explanation for not attending to the RTI application within the time prescribed under the RTI Act. otherwise, the Commission will be constrained to take action against the PIO under section 20 of the RTI Act.

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Jaito, Distt Faridkot.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Regional Deputy Director,
Local Govt, Ferozepur.

...Respondent

Appeal Case No. 2769 of 2021

PRESENT: Sh.Lajpat Rai as the Complainant
None for the Respondent

ORDER:

The appellant through RTI application dated 07.04.2021 has sought information on 06 points regarding the maps deposited and passed from 18.03.2021 to 12.04.2021 in a pen drive and list of works running present time along with notice 195, 195(a) issued to public 1095 to 1140 from Nov.2014, 1340 to 1380 dt.09.05.2019 to onwards and proceeding done up to date – a copy of ACR from 2014 to 2019 of Ramesh Kumar, Prem Chand and other information as enumerated in the RTI application from the office of EO-MC Jaito. The appellant was not provided with the information after which the appellant filed a first appeal before the First Appellate Authority on 30.04.2021 which took no decision on the appeal.

The case has come up for hearing today through video conferencing at DAC Faridkot. As per the appellant, the PIO has not supplied the information.

The respondent is absent nor is represented. There has been an enormous delay of more than seven months in attending to the RTI application. The Commission has taken a serious view of this and hereby directs the PIO to look at the RTI application and provide whatever information is available in the record to the appellant otherwise the Commission will be constrained to take action against the PIO under section 20 of the RTI Act.

The case is adjourned. To come up for further hearing on 05.04.2022 at 11.00 AM

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Jaito, Distt Faridkot.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Regional Deputy Director,
Local Govt, Ferozepur.

...Respondent

Appeal Case No. 2768 of 2021

PRESENT: Sh.Lajpat Rai as the Complainant
None for the Respondent

ORDER:

The appellant through RTI application dated 07.04.2021 has sought information on 05 points regarding copies of general cash book, urban cash book, Swach Bharat cash book of all receipts/dispatch registers of RTI/general other branch registries, movement register, attendance register of all employees including contract basis employees – diary register from 19.03.2021 to 12.04.2021/order-letters received from State Information Commission and dDLG Ferozepur/Bathinda – pan drive collecting the property tax details and other information as enumerated in the RTI application from the office of EO-MC Jaito. The appellant was not provided with the information after which the appellant filed a first appeal before the First Appellate Authority on 30.04.2021 which took no decision on the appeal.

The case has come up for hearing today through video conferencing at DAC Faridkot. As per the appellant, the PIO has not supplied the information.

The respondent is absent nor is represented. There has been an enormous delay of more than seven months in attending to the RTI application. The Commission has taken a serious view of this and hereby directs the PIO to look at the RTI application and provide whatever information is available in the record to the appellant otherwise the Commission will be constrained to take action against the PIO under section 20 of the RTI Act.

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Sh Satish Kumar,
Ward No-10, Near Nehru Park,
Jaito, Distt Faridkot.

... Complainant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o District Food and Supply Controller,
Faridkot.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Director,
Food and Supply, Sector-39-C,
Chandigarh.

...Respondent

Appeal Case No. 2682 of 2021

PRESENT: Sh.Satish Kumar as the Appellant
Sh.Amandeep Singh, AFSO for the Respondent

ORDER:

The appellant through RTI application dated 16.03.2021 has sought information regarding copies of gate passes issued by Godown inspectors to drivers while distributing wheat under PMGKY yojna from July 2020 to Nov.2020 – gate passes issued branch-wise relating to Brar Open Plinth, Yadwinder Open Plinth Govt Open Plint and other information as enumerated in the RTI application from the office of District Food and Supply Controller, Faridkot. The appellant was not provided with the information after which the appellant filed a first appeal before the First Appellate Authority on 20.04.2021 which took no decision on the appeal.

The case has come up for hearing today through video conferencing at DAC Faridkot. The appellant claims that the PIO has not supplied the information.

The respondent has brought along the information. The respondent is directed to provide the information to the appellant.

The appellant is directed to point out the discrepancies if any to the PIO with a copy to the Commission and the PIO is directed to remove the same.

However, after having gone through the facts of the case, there is prima facie evidence of an enormous delay of more than eight months in attending to the RTI application as the RTI application was filed on 16.03.2021 but the respondent has only brought the information after the issue of notice of the Commission.

The Commission has taken a serious view of this and hereby directs the PIO to **show cause why penalty be not imposed on him under section 20 of the RTI Act 2005 for not supplying the information within the statutorily prescribed period of time. He/she should file an affidavit in this regard.** If there are other persons responsible for the delay in providing the information, the PIO is directed to inform such person(s) of the show cause and direct them to appear before the Commission along with the written replies.

The case is adjourned. To come up for further hearing on **05.04.2022 at 11.00 AM** through video conference facility available in the office of Deputy Commissioner, Faridkot

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Dated: 30.11.2021

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Sh Satish Kumar,
Ward No-10, Near Nehru Park,
Jaito, Distt Faridkot.

... Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o District Food and Supply Controller,
Faridkot.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Director,
Food and Supply, Sector-39-C,
Chandigarh.

...Respondent

Appeal Case No. 2675 of 2021

PRESENT: Sh.Satish Kumar as the Appellant
Sh.Amandeep Singh, AFSO for the Respondent

ORDER:

The appellant through RTI application dated 16.03.2021 has sought information regarding details of stock like wheat-crates-tarpals & sheets lying in H.M.Agro sheller Kotkura Road, Jaitu – approval for hiring godown in Jaitu from 01.08.2020 to 15.03.2021 – details of stock articles and other information as enumerated in the RTI application from the office of District Food and Supply Controller, Faridkot. The appellant was not provided with the information after which the appellant filed a first appeal before the First Appellate Authority on 20.04.2021 which took no decision on the appeal.

The case has come up for hearing today through video conferencing at DAC Faridkot. The appellant claims that the PIO has not supplied the information.

The respondent has brought the information. The respondent is directed to provide the information to the appellant.

The appellant is directed to point out the discrepancies if any to the PIO with a copy to the Commission and the PIO is directed to remove the same.

However, there has been an enormous delay of more than eight months in attending to the RTI application since the RTI application was filed on 16.03.2021 but the respondent has brought the information only after the issuance of notice by the Commission. The Commission has taken a serious view of this and hereby directs the PIO to **show cause why penalty be not imposed on him under section 20 of the RTI Act 2005 for not supplying the information within the statutorily prescribed period of time. He/she should file an affidavit in this regard.** If there are other persons responsible for the delay in providing the information, the PIO is directed to inform such person(s) of the show cause and direct them to appear before the Commission along with the written replies.

The case is adjourned. To come up for further hearing on **05.04.2022 at 11.00 AM** through video conference facility available in the office of Deputy Commissioner, Faridkot

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