



Jaspal Singh
S/o Sh. Avtar Singh,
H. No. 1205, Gali No. 08,
Hussainpura(East),
Amritsar - 143001 (Punjab)

....Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Secretary
to Government of Punjab,
Deptt. of Local Government,
Municipal Bhawan, Sector 35 - A,
Plot No. 03, Chandigarh

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Chief Secretary
to Government of Punjab,
Punjab Civil Secretariat,
Chandigarh

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 3359 of 2021

Present : Sh. Jaspal Singh, the appellant in person.
Sh. Mannveer Singh, Senior Assistant (LG – 1 Branch), on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

Heard through facility of Software/application 'CISCO Webex Meetings'.

The RTI request is dated 22.02.2021. First appeal is dated 22.03.2021. Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 23.07.2021.

On the last date of hearing, held on 16.11.2021,

- i) The respondent PIO concerned was directed either to supply the certified copies of the complete information to the appellant or file a reply in an affidavit.
- ii) An opportunity was given to the appellant to point out deficiencies, if any, in the information supplied to him, in writing, to the respondent PIO.

Sh. Mannveer Singh, Senior Assistant (LG – 1 Branch), who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, states that a reply, in an affidavit, has already been given to the appellant vide letter no. 158 dated 21.01.2022, intimating him that the information demanded through RTI request (i. e. Copy of F.I.R.) is not available in the official record. He also intimates the Commission that a copy of affidavit has also been sent to the Commission through an e-mail. It, alongwith a copy of affidavit, is taken on record.

The appellant, Sh. Jaspal Singh, who appeared in person in today's hearing, states that he has received the above-said reply but it not attested by the Notary.

After going over the queries raised by the appellant through his RTI request and the contents of the reply given by the respondent PIO concerned (signed by Superintendent--cum-PIO (LG – 1 Branch) and finding it satisfactory, no cause of action is left in this case, hence, the case is announced as **disposed of and closed.**

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Date : 31st January, 2022

(Sanjiv Garg)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

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Amarjit Singh Dhamotia,
H. No. 60-35-P-376-1,
Street – 08, Maha Singh Nagar,
P. O. - Dhandari Kalan, Ludhiana (Punjab)

....Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Principal Secretary
to Government of Punjab,
Deptt. of Local Government,
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Plot No. 03, Chandigarh

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 3491 of 2021

Present : Sh. Amarjit Singh Dhamotia , the appellant in person.
Sh. Rajeev Kumar, Building Inspector(Town Planning Wing), for the respondent.

ORDER

Heard through facility of Software/application 'CISCO Webex Meetings'.
The RTI request is dated 08.01.2021. First appeal is dated 08.02.2021. Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 03.08.2021.
The hearing in the instant appeal-case, which was fixed to be heard for 17.11.2021, which could not held due to technical fault in connection of network and the case was adjourned for today i. e. 31.01.2022.

Sh. Rajeev Kumar, Building Inspector(Town Planning Wing), who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, states that a similar RTI request dated 08.01.2021 has been filed by the appellant, Sh. Amarjit Singh Dhamotia in another case i. e. A. C. 2140 of 2021 (which is also fixed to be heard today) and the contents of the information sought for by the appellant in that case and the present RTI application (i.e. above-mentioned A.C. 3491 of 2021), are same as he has demanded action taken report on a complaint dated 05.01.2021 in both cases.

The appellant, Sh. Amarjit Singh Dhamotia, who appeared in today's hearing, states that no information has been given to him by the respondent PIO till date. He also intimates that contents of the RTI request filed in A. C. 2140 of 2021 and present RTI application differ from each other.

After going through RTI applications of both the cases (i. e. 3491 of 2021 and A. C. 2140 of 2021) and other documents placed in the case-file, it is found that contents of the RTI request filed in A. C. 2140 of 2021 and the present RTI application in A. C. 3491 of 2021, are the same i. e. action taken report on a complaint dated 05.01.2021.

In view of the above, A. C. 2140 of 2021 be taken up and above-mentioned A. C. 3491 of 2021 is not required to be taken.

As no cognizance is required to be taken in this case, hence the present case is announced as disposed of and closed.

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Date : 31st January, 2022

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