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COMPLAINT CASE NO. 30 OF 2019

Sh. Rakesh Sharma
S/o Sh. Bhupinder Sharma,
House No. 182/12, Main Bazar,
Katra Parza, Inside Hathi Gate, Amritsar.

...Complainant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Principal Secretary,
Local Government, Punjab,
Municipal Bhawan, Sector-35, Chandigarh.

Public Information Officer,
O/o Commissioner,
Municipal Corporation, Amritsar.

...Respondents

PRESENT: Sh. Rakesh Sharma, Complainant.
None is present on behalf of the Respondents.

ORDER:

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated:
04.07.2019.

2. The Complainant appears and states that no information has been provided to him by the Respondent – PIO till date.

3. Neither the PIO nor his representative is present for today's hearing and he was also absent on the last hearings dated: 06.03.2019, 10.04.2019 and 04.06.2019. The PIO has not bothered to inform the Commission about his absence.

4. The perusal of the case reveals that respondent has not provided the complete information to the Complainant after the lapse of 8 months period.

5. In view of the above, a **SHOW CAUSE NOTICE under Section 20(1)** of the **RTI Act, 2005** is issued to the PIO O/o Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Amritsar to why penalty should not be imposed upon him for wilful delay/denial in supplying the information to the RTI applicant.

6. The Respondent – PIO is directed to file an affidavit in response to the Show Cause Notice and should appear personally, on the next date fixed, otherwise it will be presumed that he has nothing to say and the Commission shall initiate ex-parte proceeding.

7. The case is adjourned to **19.09.2019 at 11:30 AM**. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Chandigarh
31.07.2019

Sd/-
(Hem Inder Singh)
State Information Commissioner

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APPEAL CASE NO. 1258 OF 2019

Shri Rakesh Sharma (9888401973)
S/o Shri Bhupinder Sharma
#182/12, Man Bazar, Kattrra Parja,
Inside Hathi Gate, AMRITSAR.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Principal Secretary,
Local Govt. Punjab,
Municipal Bhawan, Sector 34-A, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Principal Secretary,
Local Govt. Punjab,
Municipal Bhawan, Sector 34-A, Chandigarh.

...Respondents

PRESENT: Sh. Rakesh Sharma, Appellant.
None is present on behalf of the Respondents.

ORDER:

The appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application dated: 05.01.2019. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority on dated: 05.02.2019 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on dated: 04.04.2019.

2. The Appellant states that no information has been provided to him by the Respondent – PIO.

3. Neither the PIO nor his representative is present for today's hearing. The PIO has not bothered to inform the Commission about his absence.

4. In view of the above, the Respondent – PIO is directed to file a reply in response to the Notice of the Commission and should appear personally, on the next date of hearing, failing which strict action will be initiated against him as per RTI Act, 2005.

5. The case is adjourned to **19.09.2019 at 11:30 AM**. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Chandigarh
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COMPLAINT CASE NO. 356 of 2019

Shri Baljinder Singh (9417120740)
S/o Shri Harbhan Singh,
Ward No.4, Village Tiuna Pujariyan,
Tehsil Talwandi Saboo, Distt. Bathinda.

...Complainant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Sub Divisional Officer,
Public Health,
Talwandi Saboo, Distt. Bathinda.

...Respondents

PRESENT: None is present on behalf of the Complainant.
Sh Shambhu Nath, S.D.O –cum- APIO & Sh. Sompal, Jr. Er. is present
on behalf of Respondents.

ORDER:

The Complainant sought information as enumerated in his RTI application dated: 07.01.2019. He filed complaint in the Commission dated: 08.04.2019 under section 18 of the Right to Information Act, 2005.

2. The Complainant is absent for today's hearing in the Commission, however he has intimated to the Commission by telephone that he has received the complete information and wants to close the case.

3. Sh. Shambhu Nath, S.D.O., appears on behalf of the Respondent – PIO and states that the requisite information has already been supplied to the Complainant through registered post dated: 27.06.2019 and he is satisfied with the same.

4. In view of the above, it is being observed that the Respondent has supplied the requisite information to the Complainant and he has acknowledged the same. Therefore, no further action is required. Hence this Complaint Case is **closed and disposed off**. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Chandigarh
31.07.2019

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APPEAL CASE NO. 772 of 2019

Shri Sushil Kumar
S/o Sh. Nand Lal,
Plot No. 13, Bus Stand Road,
Malerkotla-148023 Distt. Sangrur.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Principal Secretary to Govt. Punjab,
Department of Local Govt.
Sathanak Sarkar Bhawan,
Sector-35, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Principal Secretary to Govt. Punjab,
Department of Local Govt.
Sathanak Sarkar Bhawan,
Sector-35, Chandigarh.

...Respondents

PRESENT: None is present on behalf of the Appellant.
Sh. Ramaninder Singh, Sr. Assistant is present on behalf of the PIO.

ORDER:

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated: 24.04.2019.

2. The appellant is absent for today's hearing in the Commission, however he has intimated to the Commission by telephone that he has received the incomplete information.

3. Sh. Ramaninder Singh, Sr. Assistant appears on behalf of the Respondents and states that the requisite information has already been provided to the Appellant during his visit to Respondent's Office on 24.04.2019 and he has received the same.

4. In view of the above, the Appellant is advised to point out the deficiencies in writing to the Respondent – PIO within a week, under intimation to the Commission and the Respondent – PIO is directed to remove the same, after receiving the discrepancies from the appellant, before the next date of hearing, failing which action would be initiated against him as per provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

5. Last opportunity is given to the Appellant to follow up his case in the Commission, failing which decision shall be taken on merit.

6. The case is adjourned to **18.09.2019 at 11:30 AM**. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Chandigarh
31.07.2019

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APPEAL CASE NO. 806 OF 2019

Advocate Krishan Chand Garg,
S/o Shri Raj Kumar Garg,
Chamber No. 95, District Courts,
Mansa.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Senior Superintendent of Police,
Bathinda.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Director General of Police,
Vigilance Bureau, Sector 68, SAS Nagar.

..... Respondents

PRESENT: None is present on behalf of the Appellant.
ASI Rajesh Kumar is present on behalf of the Respondents.

ORDER: This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated:
24.04.2019.

2. The Appellant is absent for today's hearing in the Commission and he was also absent on the last date of hearing 24.04.2019.

3. ASI Rajesh Kumar appears on behalf of the Respondents and states that the requisite information has already been provided to the Appellant.

4. In view of the above, the Appellant is advised to point out the deficiencies in writing to the Respondent – PIO within a week, under intimation to the Commission and the Respondent – PIO is directed to remove the same, after receiving the discrepancies from the Appellant, before the next date of hearing, failing which action would be initiated against him as per provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

5. Last opportunity is given to the Appellant to follow up his case in the Commission, failing which decision shall be taken on merit.

6. The case is adjourned to **18.09.2019 at 11:30 AM**. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Chandigarh
31.07.2019

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APPEAL CASE NO. 972 OF 2019

Sh. Pargat Masih
S/o Sh. Balkar Masih,
C/o Shri Ankit Kapur,
House No. 6, Partap Colony, Model Gram,
Ludhiana-141002.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Director,
Education Department (Elementary), Punjab
S.A.S. Nagar (Mohali).

First Appellate Authority
O/o Principal Secretary,
Department of Education, Punjab
Chandigarh.

...Respondents

PRESENT: Sh. Pargat Masih, Appellant.
None is present on behalf of the Respondents.

ORDER:

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated:
08.05.2019.

2. The Appellant states that no information has been provided to him by the Respondent – PIO.

3. Neither the PIO nor his representative is present for today's hearing. The PIO has not bothered to inform the Commission about his absence.

4. In view of the above, the Respondent – PIO is directed to file a reply in response to the Notice of the Commission, on the next date of hearing, failing which strict action will be initiated against him as per provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

5. The case is adjourned to **12.09.2019 at 11:30 AM**. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Chandigarh
31.07.2019

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APPEAL CASE NO. 1263 OF 2019

Shri Jagjeet Singh (9530991083)
S/o Shri Gurcharan Singh
VPO: Phul Khera, Tehsil: Malout,
District Shri Muktsar Sahib-152114.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Sub-Divisional Engineer,
Water Supply & Sanitation Division,
MALOUT, Distt. Sri Muktsar Sahib.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Sub-Divisional Engineer,
Water Supply & Sanitation Division,
MALOUT, Distt. Sri Muktsar Sahib.

...Respondents

PRESENT: None for the Parties.

ORDER:

The appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application dated: 05.01.2019. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority on dated: 05.02.2019 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on dated: 04.04.2019.

2. The Appellant is absent from today's hearing in the Commission.
3. Neither the PIO nor his representative is present for today's hearing. The PIO has not bothered to inform the Commission about his absence.
4. In view of the above, the Respondent – PIO is directed to file a reply in response to the Notice of the Commission, on the next date of hearing, failing which action will be initiated against him as per provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.
5. The case is adjourned to **18.09.2019 at 11:30 AM**. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Chandigarh
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APPEAL CASE NO. 1311 OF 2019

Shri Satbir Singh (9478527107),
B-11 MCH 751/2, Kamalpur,
Jalandhar Road, Opp. Hira Laboratory,
Inside Rupinder Gate, Hoshiarpur.

... Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Civil Surgeon,
Hoshiarpur.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Civil Surgeon,
Hoshiarpur.

... Respondents

PRESENT: None for the Parties.

ORDER:

The appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application dated: 28.12.2018. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority on dated: 07.02.2019 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on dated: 05.04.2019.

2. The Appellant is absent for today's hearing in the Commission, however he has intimated to the Commission by telephone that he has satisfied with provided information and wants to close the case.

3. The Respondent has sent a letter in the Commission vide diary no. 12306, dated: 26.06.2019 and diary no. 13418, dated: 12.07.2019 mentioning therein that the requisite information has been supplied to the Appellant and he has acknowledged in writing that he has received the information and wants to close the case.

4. After examining the case file, it is revealed that the Respondent has supplied the requisite information to the Appellant and he has acknowledged in writing and as well as on the telephone, he expressed his satisfaction. Therefore, no further action is required. Hence this Appeal Case is **closed and disposed off**. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Chandigarh
31.07.2019

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APPEAL CASE NO. 1338 OF 2019

Shri Bhagwan Singh (9888690717)
S/o Shri Arjan Singh
VPO Harpalpur, Tehsil Rajpura,
District Patiala.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Tehsildar,
GHANAUR, District PATIALA.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Sub-Divisional Magistrate,
RAJPURA, District PATIALA.

...Respondents

PRESENT: Sh. Bhagwan Singh, Appellant.
Sh. Jitender Rajpal, Jr. Assistant, Sh. Vikas Singh & Sh. Nachhtar
Singh, Patwaris for the Respondents.

ORDER:

The appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application dated: 29.12.2019. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority on dated: 03.01.2019 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on dated: 08.04.2019.

2. The Appellant states that no information has been provided to him by the Respondent – PIO.

3. Sh. Jitender Rajpal, Jr. Assistant appears on behalf of the Respondent – PIO alongwith the Information and same is handed over to the Appellant.

4. After going through the information provided to the Appellant, he states that irrelevant information has been given to him.

5. All points as per the RTI application of the Appellant has been discussed today in the Commission in the presence of the Respondent and Appellant. The Respondent has agreed that the same will be supplied to the Appellant.

6. In view of the above, the Respondent- PIO is directed to supply the same, before the next date of hearing, failing which action will be initiated against him as per provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

7. The case is adjourned to **20.08.2019 at 12:30 PM**. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Chandigarh
31.07.2019

Sd/-
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APPEAL CASE NO. 1341 OF 2019

Shri Pardeep Chaudhary,(9313093131)
J-6/1, Gobind Colony,
RAJPURA TOWN - 140401.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Nagar Council,
RAJPURA, Distt. Patiala.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Deputy Director,
Urban Local Bodies,
PATIALA.

...Respondents

PRESENT: Sh. Pardeep Chaudhary, Appellant.
Sh. Buta Singh, Superintendent is present on behalf of the PIO.

ORDER:

The appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application dated: 24.12.2018. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority on dated: 24.01.2019 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on dated: 02.04.2019.

2. The Appellant states that no information has been provided to him by the Respondent – PIO till date.

3. Sh. Buta Singh, Superintendent appears on behalf of the Respondent – PIO and states that the information sought by the Appellant is third party information and cannot be provided to him.

4. In view of the above, the Respondent – PIO (Sh. Ravneet Singh, Executive Officer O/o M.C. Rajpura) is directed to file a reply in response to the Notice of the Commission and should appear personally, on the next date of hearing, failing which action will be initiated against him as per provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

5. The case is adjourned to **18.09.2019 at 11:30 AM**. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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Sd/-
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APPEAL CASE NO. 2542 OF 2017

Sh. S.C. Khanna,
WB- 248, Ali Mohalla,
Jalandhar-144001

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Deputy Commissioner of Police,
Jalandhar.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Commissioner of Police,
Jalandhar.

...Respondents

PRESENT: None is present on behalf of the Appellant.
ASI Balwinder Kumar is present on behalf of Respondents.

ORDER: This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated:
04.07.2019.

2. The Appellant is absent from today's hearing in the Commission.
3. ASI Balwinder Singh appears on behalf of Respondent – PIO and states that the information sought by the Appellant has already been supplied to him through registered post dated: 07.06.2019. The copy of the same is taken on record.
4. After examining the case file, it is revealed that the Respondent has supplied the requisite information to the Appellant through registered post and copy of the same submitted today in the Commission. The appellant has not attended the Commission consequently 2nd time entailing thereby that he does not want to follow up his case further. As the Appellant is absent and nothing has been heard from him regarding the receipt of information, it is presumed that he is satisfied with the information provided. The Appellant is at liberty to collect the requisite information from the office of the undersigned, on any working day.
5. In view of the above, therefore, no further action is required in this Appeal case, hence this case is **closed and disposed off**. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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31.07.2019

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APPEAL CASE NO. 1332 OF 2019

Shri Jasbir Singh,(9888296107),
Village: Bholapur Jhabewal,
P.O.: Ramgarh, Chandigarh Road,
District: LUDHIANA.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Sub-Divisional Magistrate,
NABHA, District: Patiala.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Sub-Divisional Magistrate,
NABHA, District: Patiala.

...Respondents

PRESENT: Sh. Jasbir Singh, Appellant.
Ms. Rajpal Kaur, Superintendent is present on behalf of the PIO.

ORDER:

The appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application dated: 19.12.2018. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority on dated: 22.01.2019 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on dated: 08.04.2019.

2. The Appellant states that no information has been provided to him by the Respondent – PIO.

3. Ms. Rajpal Kaur, Superintendent appears on behalf of the Respondent – PIO alongwith the requisite information for the perusal of the Commission and the Appellant and same is handed over to the Appellant.

4. In view of the above, the Appellant is advised to point out the deficiencies in writing to the Respondent – PIO within 10 days under intimation to the Commission, the Respondent – PIO is directed to remove the same, after receiving the discrepancies from the Appellant, before the next date of hearing, failing which action will be initiated against the PIO as per provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

5. The case is adjourned to **19.09.2019 at 11:30 AM**. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Chandigarh
31.07.2019

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APPEAL CASE NO. 1333 OF 2019

Shri Jasbir Singh,(9888296107),
Village: Bholapur Jhabewal,
P.O.: Ramgarh, Chandigarh Road,
District: LUDHIANA.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Sub-Divisional Magistrate,
Samana, District: Patiala.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Sub-Divisional Magistrate,
Samana, District: Patiala.

...Respondents

PRESENT: Sh. Jasbir Singh, Appellant.
Sh. Satbir Singh, Jr. Assistant is present on behalf of the Respondents.

ORDER:

The appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application dated: 19.12.2018. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority on dated: 22.01.2019 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on dated: 08.04.2019.

2. The Appellant states that no information has been provided to him by the Respondent – PIO.

3. Sh. Satbir Singh, Jr. Assistant appears on behalf of the Respondent – PIO alongwith the requisite information for the perusal of the Commission and the Appellant and the same is handed over to the Appellant.

4. In view of the above, the Appellant is advised to point out the deficiencies in writing to the Respondent – PIO within 10 days under intimation to the Commission, the Respondent – PIO is directed to remove the same, after receiving the discrepancies from the Appellant, before the next date of hearing, failing which action will be initiated against the PIO as per provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

5. The case is adjourned to **19.09.2019 at 11:30 AM**. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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APPEAL CASE NO. 1336 OF 2019

Shri Jasbir Singh,(9888296107),
Village: Bholapur Jhabewal,
P.O.: Ramgarh, Chandigarh Road,
District: LUDHIANA.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Sub-Divisional Magistrate,
Banga, District: SBS Nagar.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Sub-Divisional Magistrate,
Banga, District SBS Nagar.

...Respondents

PRESENT: Sh. Jasbir Singh, Appellant.
Sh. Daljeet Singh, Sr. Assistant is present on behalf of the PIO.

ORDER:

The appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application dated: 19.12.2018. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority on dated: 22.01.2019 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on dated: 08.04.2019.

2. The Appellant states that he is satisfied with the provided information and wants to close the case.

3. Sh. Daljeet Singh, Sr. Assistant appears on behalf of the Respondent – PIO and states that complete information has already been provided to the Appellant and he has acknowledged the same.

4. In view of the above, the Respondent has supplied the requisite information to the Appellant and the Appellant has acknowledged the same. Therefore, no further action is required. Hence this Appeal Case is **closed and disposed off**. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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APPEAL CASE NO. 1337 OF 2019

Shri Jasbir Singh,(9888296107),
Village: Bholapur Jhabewal,
P.O.: Ramgarh, Chandigarh Road,
District: LUDHIANA.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Deputy Commissioner,
Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Deputy Commissioner,
Ludhiana.

...Respondents

PRESENT: Sh. Jasbir Singh, Appellant.
Sh. Buta Singh, Clerk is present on behalf of the Respondents.

ORDER:

The appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application dated: 29.12.2018. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority on dated: 28.01.2019 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on dated: 08.04.2019.

2. The Appellant states that no information has been provided to him by the Respondent – PIO.

3. Sh. Buta Singh, Clerk appears on behalf of the Respondent – PIO and states that the inquiry is pending in this case, therefore, requisite information cannot be supplied to the Appellant.

4. The Respondent – PIO is directed to file a reply in response to the Notice of the Commission and should appear personally, on the next date of hearing, failing which strict action will be initiated against him as per RTI Act, 2005.

5. The case is adjourned to **19.09.2019 at 11:30 AM**. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Chandigarh
31.07.2019

Sd/-
(Hem Inder Singh)
State Information Commissioner

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APPEAL CASE NO. 1493 OF 2018

Shri Jasbir Singh,(9888296107),
Village: Bholapur Jhabewal,
P.O.: Ramgarh, Chandigarh Road,
District: LUDHIANA.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Secretary,
Regional Transport Authority,
Jalandhar.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Punjab State Transport Commissioner,
SCO no. 177-178, Sector-17, Chandigarh.

...Respondents

PRESENT: Sh. Jasbir Singh, Appellant.
Ms. Naina Bhullar, PCS, Secretary –cum- PIO O/o Regional Transport
Authority, Jalandhar.

ORDER:

- This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated:
04.07.2019.
2. The Appellant states that no information has been provided to him by the Respondent – PIO.
 3. Ms. Naina Bhullar, PCS, Secretary –cum- PIO O/o Regional Transport Authority, Jalandhar appears in person alongwith the requisite information for the perusal of the Commission. The copy of the same is handed over to the Appellant.
 4. The reply of the show cause notice has been submitted by the respondent today in the Commission, explaining therein the reasons in detail for the delay in supplying the information. I agree with the plea put forth by the PIO and therefore show cause notice is, hereby, dropped.
 5. The perusal of the file indicates that the information has supplied to the Appellant by the Respondent – PIO today in the Commission. Therefore, no further action is required. Hence this Appeal Case is **closed and disposed off**. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Chandigarh
31.07.2019

Sd/-
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State Information Commissioner

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APPEAL CASE NO. 117 OF 2019

Advocate Tejinder Singh,
Village: Bholapur, PO: Ramgarh,
Chandigarh Road, Ludhiana.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Additional Chief Secretary to Govt. Punjab,
Deptt. Of Local Govt.,
Municipal Bhawan, Sector 35, Chandigarh.

Public Information Officer,
O/o Commissioner,
Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Additional Chief Secretary to Govt. Punjab,
Deptt. Of Local Govt.,
Municipal Bhawan, Sector 35, Chandigarh.

...Respondents

PRESENT: Adv Tejinder Singh, Appellant.
Sh. Satish Bali, APIO is present on behalf of Respondents.

ORDER:

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated:
04.06.2019.

2. The Appellant states that no information has been provided to him by the Respondent – PIO till date.

3. Sh. Satish Bali, APIO appears on behalf of the Respondent – PIO alongwith the information and same is handed over to the Appellant, during the hearing. The copy of the same is taken on record.

4. After going through the information, the Appellant furnished the deficiencies to the Respondent.

5. The points discussed in the Commission today in the presence of the Respondent and Appellant. Respondent has agreed to provide the remaining information, before the next date of hearing, failing which action will be initiated against him as per provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

6. The case is adjourned to **19.09.2019 at 11:30 AM**. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Chandigarh
31.07.2019

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APPEAL CASE NO. 4215 OF 2018

Shri Tejinder Singh,
Village: Bholapur, PO: Ramgarh,
Chandigarh Road, Ludhiana- 141123

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Municipal Council,
Kotkapura, District Faridkot.

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

...Respondents

PRESENT: Adv Tejinder Singh, Appellant.
None is present on behalf of Respondents.

ORDER:

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated: 04.06.2019.

2. The Appellant states that he has furnished the deficiencies to the Respondent-PIO even then complete information has not been provided to him till date.

3. Neither the PIO nor his representative is present for today's hearing and he was also absent on the last hearings dated: 06.03.2019, 10.04.2019 and 04.06.2019. The PIO has not bothered to inform the Commission about his absence.

4. The perusal of the case reveals that respondent has not provided the complete information to the Appellant after the lapse of 17 months period.

5. In view of the above, a **SHOW CAUSE NOTICE under Section 20(1)** of the **RTI Act, 2005** is issued to the PIO O/o Executive Officer, Nagar Council, Kotkapura, Distt. Faridkot to why penalty should not be imposed upon him and also why compensation be not awarded to the Appellant under Section 19 (8) (b) for wilful delay/denial in supplying the information to the RTI applicant.

6. The Respondent – PIO is directed to file an affidavit in response to the Show Cause Notice and appear personally alongwith the remaining information, on the next date fixed, otherwise it will be presumed that he has nothing to say and the Commission shall initiate ex-parte proceeding.

7. The case is adjourned to **19.09.2019 at 11:30 AM**. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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31.07.2019

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APPEAL CASE NO. 1851 of 2017

Shri Vicky Bajaj S/o Sh. K.L. Bajaj,
H. No.51, Vikas Vihar, Phase-1,
Ferozepur.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Secretary,
Regional Transport Authority,
Ferozepur.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Additional State Transport Commissioner,
Punjab, SCO No. 177-78, Sector 17-B,
Chandigarh.

...Respondents

PRESENT: None is present on behalf of the Appellant.
The Representative is present on behalf of the Respondent-PIO.

ORDER:

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated:
04.06.2019.

2. The Appellant is absent for today's hearing in the Commission and he was also absent on the last date of hearing 04.06.2019.

3. The Respondent states that in the Hon'ble Punjab & Haryana High Court CWP No. 16004 of 2019 – Baldev Randhawa Vs State Information Commission, Punjab & Ors is fixed for 21.11.2019 and requests for an adjournment.

4. In the light of the above, the case is adjourned to **28.11.2019 at 11:30**

AM. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Chandigarh
31.07.2019

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APPEAL CASE NO. 3336 OF 2018

Sh. Vikram Vaid,
(RTI Activist & Whistle Blower),
1527, Gali No.2, Bagh Rama Nand,
Amritsar.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Civil Surgeon,
Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority
O/o Civil Surgeon,
Amritsar.

...Respondents

PRESENT: Sh. Vikram Vaid, Appellant.
Dr. Jaswinder Singh, APIO & Sh. Navdeep Singh, Clerk on behalf of
the Respondents.

ORDER:

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated:
04.07.2019.

2. The Appellant states that the incomplete information has been provided to him and Demand Draft of Rs. 3000/- has given to him, not made from the A/C of Public Authority.

3. Dr. Jaswinder Singh, APIO O/o Civil Surgeon, Amritsar appears on behalf of the Respondents and states that the requisite information has already been provided to the Appellant.

4. The Appellant further furnished the deficiencies and copy of the same is handed over to the Respondent, during the hearing.

5. After perusal of the record, it is revealed that the cheque of Rs. 3000/- as Compensation is issued from the personal account of the third person instead of account of the Public Authority i.e. O/o Civil Surgeon, Amritsar.

6. In view of the above, the cheque is returned to the Respondent – PIO with the directions that this amount should be payable from the funds of O/o O/o Civil Surgeon, Amritsar, by way of crossed Cheque/Demand Draft in the name of Sh. Vikram Vaid within one month and not from an individual account.

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7. The Respondent - PIO O/o Civil Surgeon, Amritsar is also directed to send a copy of Cheque/Demand Draft to the Commission to establish the fact that order of the Commission has been complied with.

8. The Respondent is further directed to remove the deficiencies handed over to him by the Appellant today in the Commission, before the next date of hearing.

9. Last & final opportunity is given to the Respondent – PIO (Dr. Ravinder Singh Sethi, District Family Welfare Officer, Amritsar) to appear personally and file an Affidavit in response to the Show Cause Notice issued to him vide order dated: 08.01.2019, on the next date of hearing, failing which penalty provision will be initiated against him under Section 20 of the RTI Act, 2005.

10. The case is adjourned to **11.09.2019 at 11:30 AM**. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

**Chandigarh
31.07.2019**

Sd/-
(Hem Inder Singh)
State Information Commissioner

Copy to Intimation & Necessary Action:-

Dr. Ravinder Singh Sethi,
District Family Welfare Officer,
O/o Civil Surgeon,
Amritsar.