

PUNJAB STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION

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FINAL ORDER

Kulwinder Singh,

S/o Dalip Singh,

106, Village Bholapur Jhabewal,

Post Office Sahibana, District Ludhiana – 141 123

Versus

Public Information Officer,

o/o Chief Administrator,

Greater Ludhiana Area Development Authority (GLADA)

Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,

o/o Chief Administrator,

Greater Ludhiana Area Development Authority (GLADA)

Ludhiana.

Appeal Case No. 2005 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)

PRESENT:

(Appellant) Absent

Kuldip Singh, Senior Assistant (for the Respondent) 62396-05879

ORDER:

(To be read in continuity of earlier order on **17.9.2020 & 4.11.2020**)

1. The RTI application is dated **22.2.2020** vide which the appellant has sought **information regarding complaint given on 27.1.2020**, as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **20.4.2020**, and second appeal was filed in the Commission on **30.7.2020** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. The case was last heard on **4.11.2020**.

2. The appellant is absent without any intimation for the second time in succession. At the last hearing on 4.11.2020, the appellant was requested to go through the reply sent by the respondent PIO vide his Letter No. 4450 dated 16.9.2020 and list any deficiency. There has since been no communication from the appellant.

3. In view of the above, the Commission is constrained to conclude that the appellant is satisfied with the information furnished and no longer wishes to pursue this appeal case.

4. There is no further cause for action and this appeal case is herewith **CLOSED**.

Sd/-

(ASIT JOLLY)

State Information Commissioner

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FINAL ORDER

Trilochan Singh,

S/o Late Gurbachan Singh,

848 A, MIG, Jamalpur,

District Ludhiana – 141 010

Versus

Public Information Officer,

o/o Greater Ludhiana Area Development Authority (GLADA)

Ludhiana.

Complaint Case No. 502 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)

PRESENT:

(Complainant) Absent

Kuldip Singh, Senior Assistant (for the Respondent) 62396-05879

ORDER:

(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on **17.9.2020** and **4.11.2020**))

1. The complainant, **Trilochan Singh**, filed this RTI application dated **22.6.2020** and sought information regarding action on a complaint dated 2.6.2020, from the PIO o/o **GLADA, Ludhiana**. When no information was received, the Complainant filed a complaint under Section 18 of the RTI Act, 2005 to the Commission on **3.8.2020**. The case was last heard on **4.11.2020**.

2. The complainant is absent without intimation for the second time in succession. At the last hearing on 4.11.2020, the complainant was requested to examine the reply/information furnished by the respondent PIO vide his Letter No. 4958 dated 28.9.2020 and list any deficiency. There has however been no communication from him, either to the PIO or to this Commission. In view of this, it can only be presumed that he is satisfied with the aforesaid reply and no longer wishes to pursue this complaint case.

3. There is no further cause for action and this complaint case is herewith **CLOSED**.

Sd/-

(ASIT JOLLY)

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FINAL ORDER

Arun Garg,

S/o Sham Lal, HOUSE No. 40-41,

Central Town, Village Dad,

PO Lalton Kalan, Distt. Ludhiana.

Versus

Public Information Officer,

o/o Deputy Chief Engineer, DS

City West Circle,

PSPCL, Ludhiana.

Complaint Case No. 801 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)

PRESENT:

(Complainant) Absent

M.P. Singh, Additional S.E. (for the Respondent) 96461-11620

ORDER:

1. The complainant, **Arun Garg**, filed this RTI application dated **10.1.2018** and sought information regarding electricity connections, from the PIO o/o Dy. Chief Engineer, DS City West Circle, PSPCL, Ludhiana. When no information was received, the Complainant filed a complaint under Section 18 of the RTI Act, 2005 to the Commission on **7.10.2020**. Notice to the parties was issued for first hearing in the Commission on 6.1.2020.

2. The complainant is absent but has informed the Commission of his inability to attend this hearing. Meanwhile, the respondent PIO, represented by M.P. Singh, Additional Superintendent Engineer, through Video Conference Facility at the Deputy Commissioner's office in Ludhiana, stated that this very RTI application has already been Disposed of and Closed by State Information Commissioner Sh. Khushwant Singh in an Appeal Case (AC-2615 of 2018) on 29.5.2019. The SIC had duly recorded in his Final Order that the requested information has been supplied to the appellant.

3. It is most extraordinary and highly improper that the complainant Arun Garg has, after some 19 months after the disposal of the afore-mentioned Appeal Case, chosen to file this Complaint Case in pursuance of the very same RTI Application! This is not in accordance with the provisions of the RTI Act 2005 and may even be deemed as an misuse of the law.

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Complaint Case No. 801 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)

4. In view of the above, this complaint case is, herewith, **DISMISSED**

Sd/-
(ASIT JOLLY)
State Information Commissioner

Chandigarh
6.1.2021

Cc: Deputy Registrar, Punjab State Information Commission, for information.