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## REGISTERED

**Harbans Singh,**  
S/o Saroop Singh,  
Village Mehas, PO Tuhi,  
Tehsil Nabha, District Patiala.

Versus

**Public Information Officer,**  
o/o Senior Superintendent of Police,  
Patiala.

**Public Information Officer,**  
o/o Director General of Police,  
Punjab Police Headquarters,  
Sector 9, Chandigarh.

**First Appellate Authority,**  
o/o Director General of Police,  
Punjab Police Headquarters,  
Sector 9, Chandigarh.

## Appeal Case No. 3352 of 2019 (Video Conference Proceedings)

PRESENT:

J.M Singh (for the Appellant) 82890-24144

ASI Hakam Singh, Ludhiana (for the Respondent) 94643-92733

ORDER:

*(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on 14.11.19, 27.2.2020, and 28.8.2020)*

1. The RTI application is dated **7.5.19** vide which the appellant has sought **information pertaining to two complaints (CC/1388466/2 dated 7.1.19 and CC 1453064 dated 1.4.19) to the DGP Punjab**, as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) **13.7.19** and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on **11.9.19** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. The case was last heard on **28.8.2020**.

2. Both parties are present through Video Conference from the office of Deputy Commissioner, Patiala. The respondent PIO from the office of DGP Punjab, is absent without any intimation for the second time in succession. The Commission views his/her conduct seriously.

3. The respondent PIO is herewith ordered to **SHOW CAUSE** as to why a penalty should not be imposed upon him under Section 20 (1) of RTI Act, 2005, for causing wilful delay/denial of the information requested by the appellant as far back as on **7.5.19**.

“In addition to the written reply, the respondent PIO is also given an opportunity under Section 20 (1) proviso there to, for a personal hearing before the imposition of such penalty on the next

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## **Appeal Case No. 3352 of 2019 (Video Conference Proceedings)**

date of hearing. He may take note that in case he does not file his written reply and does not avail himself of the opportunity of personal hearing on the date fixed, it will be presumed that he has nothing to say and the Commission shall proceed to take further proceedings against him *ex parte*."

4. IMPORTANT! All documents / information supplied to appellants / complainants must mandatorily be attested as under:

Information supplied under the RTI Act, 2005

Signature of the PIO

Name of the PIO

Name of the Public Authority

Date

5. **Next hearing on 4.2.2021 at 12.00 pm through Video Conference Facility.** (The appellant will attend the hearing at Deputy Commissioner, office Patiala and the respondent PIO will attend the hearing at Deputy Commissioner, office Mohali.)

Sd/-

(ASIT JOLLY)

State Information Commissioner

Chandigarh

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## REGISTERED

**Daljeet Singh,**  
s/o Late Smt. Gurbachan Kaur,  
# 181/1, Street No. 1,  
Near Bakeman, Guru Nanak Nagar,  
District-Patiala-147001

Versus

**Public Information Officer,**  
o/o Deputy Commissioner,  
District Fatehgarh Sahib.  
**First Appellate Authority,**  
o/o Sub Divisional Magistrate,  
District Fatehgarh Sahib.

## Appeal Case No. 3039 of 2019 (Video Conference Proceedings)

PRESENT:

Daljeet Singh (Appellant) 90238-80115  
(Respondent) Absent

ORDER:

*(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on 24.10.19, 12.12.19, and 27.2.2020)*

1. The RTI application is dated **8.1.19** vide which the appellant has sought **information regarding some old land records**, as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **22.5.19** and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on **20.8.19** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. The case was last heard on **27.2.2020**.

2. The respondent PIO is absent without intimation. The Commission takes a serious view of this.

3. The respondent PIO is herewith ordered to **SHOW CAUSE** as to why a penalty should not be imposed upon him under Section 20 (1) of RTI Act, 2005, for causing wilful delay/denial of the information requested by the appellant as far back as on **8.1.19**.

“In addition to the written reply, the respondent PIO is also given an opportunity under Section 20 (1) proviso there to, for a personal hearing before the imposition of such penalty on the next date of hearing. He may take note that in case he does not file his written reply and does not avail himself of the opportunity of personal hearing on the date fixed, it will be presumed that he has nothing to say and the Commission shall proceed to take further proceedings against him *ex parte*.”

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## **Appeal Case No. 3039 of 2019 (Video Conference Proceedings)**

4. IMPORTANT! All documents / information supplied to appellants / complainants must mandatorily be attested as under:

Information supplied under the RTI Act, 2005

Signature of the PIO

Name of the PIO

Name of the Public Authority

Date

5. **Next hearing on 4.2.2021 at 12.00 pm through Video Conference Facility in the office of Deputy Commissioner, Patiala.**

**Sd/-**  
**(ASIT JOLLY)**  
State Information Commissioner

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**Mandeep Kaur**, w/o Amrik Singh,  
Guru Teg Bahadur Nagar,  
Street No. 2, Mandi Mullanpur, District Ludhiana.

**Versus**

**Public Information Officer**,  
o/o Station House Officer,  
Police Station Dakha,  
Ludhiana.

**First Appellate Authority**,  
o/o Deputy Inspector General of Police ,  
Ludhiana Range, Ludhiana.

## **Appeal Case No. 426 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)**

PRESENT:

Jagshir Singh (for the Appellant) 81958-00345

ASI Nirmal Singh (for the Respondent) 97796-00292

ORDER:

*(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on 2.7.2020 and 4.9.2020)*

1. The RTI application is dated **19.10.2019** vide which the appellant has sought **information regarding application UID 1247 dated: 10.10.2018**, as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **4.12.2019** and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on **23.1.20** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. The case was last heard on **4.9.2020**.

2. Both parties are present through Video Conference from the office of Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana. The respondent PIO represented by ASI Nirmal Singh has submitted an Affidavit as directed by this Commission on 2.7.2020. However, the Affidavit has not been Notarised as directed. The respondent PIO is given until 5.00 P.M. today to have the Affidavit duly Notarised by a Notary Public. He is to hand over the original Affidavit to the appellant and get his/her receiving in writing. He is also to send copies of both (affidavit and receipt) to this Commission. Failing this, the Commission will be compelled to initiate penal action.

3. IMPORTANT! All documents / information supplied to appellants / complainants must mandatorily be attested as under:

**Information supplied under the RTI Act, 2005**

**Signature of the PIO**

**Name of the PIO**

**Name of the Public Authority**

**Date**

4. **Next hearing on 18.2.2021 at 12.00 pm through Video Conference Facility in the office of Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana.**

**Sd/-**  
**(ASIT JOLLY)**  
State Information Commissioner

Chandigarh  
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**Jagshir Singh,**  
s/o Gian Singh,  
#9/20, Mandi Mullanpur,  
District Ludhiana – 141 101

Versus

**Public Information Officer,**  
o/o Deputy Commissioner of Police,  
District Ludhiana.  
**First Appellate Authority,**  
o/o Police Commissioner,  
Ludhiana.

## **Appeal Case No. 3913 of 2019 (Video Conference Proceedings)**

PRESENT:

Jagshir Singh (Appellant) 81958-00345  
ASI Ram Krishan (for the Respondent) 99153-44543

ORDER:

*(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on 26.12.19, 14.2.2020, 26.6.2020, 3.9.2020)*

1. The RTI application is dated **8.7.19** vide which the appellant has sought **information regarding the FIRs registered (monthly crime reports) at Police Station Division No. 8 since 2010** as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **17.8.19** and second appeal was filed in the Commission on **18.10.19** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. The case was last heard on **3.9.2020**.
2. Both parties are present through the Video Conference facility at the office of Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana. The respondent PIO, represented by ASI Ram Krishan, handed over a Pen Drive containing the requested information. Appellant is requested to examine the contents of PIO and list deficiency, if any, before the next hearing.
3. **Next hearing on 18.2.2021 at 12.00 pm through Video Conference Facility in the office of Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana.**

**Sd/-**  
**(ASIT JOLLY)**  
State Information Commissioner

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**Jagshir Singh,**  
s/o Gian Singh,  
#9/20, Mandi Mullanpur,  
District Ludhiana – 141 101

Versus

**Public Information Officer,**  
o/o Deputy Commissioner of Police,  
District Ludhiana.  
**First Appellate Authority,**  
o/o Police Commissioner Ludhiana.

## **Appeal Case No. 3908 of 2019 (Video Conference Proceedings)**

PRESENT:

Jagshir Singh (Appellant) 81958-00345  
ASI Sethi Kumar (for the Respondent) 99780-00172

ORDER:

*(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on 26.12.19, 14.2.2020, 26.6.2020, and 3.9.2020)*

1. The RTI application is dated **8.7.19** vide which the appellant has sought **information regarding the FIRs registered (monthly crime reports) at Police Station Division No. 6 since 2010** as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **17.8.19** and second appeal was filed in the Commission on **18.10.19** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. The case was last heard on **3.9.2020**.

2. Both parties are present through Video Conference from the office of Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana. The respondent PIO, represented by ASI Sethi Kumar, has handed over a pen-drive containing the requested information. The appellant is given an opportunity to examine this and list deficiencies if any.

3. **Next hearing on 18.2.2021 at 12.00 pm through Video Conference Facility in the office of Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana.**

**Sd/-**  
**(ASIT JOLLY)**  
State Information Commissioner

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9.12.2020

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**Jagshir Singh,**  
s/o Gian Singh,  
#9/20, Mandi Mullanpur,  
District Ludhiana – 141 101

Versus

**Public Information Officer,**  
o/o Deputy Commissioner of Police,  
District Ludhiana.  
**First Appellate Authority,**  
o/o Police Commissioner Ludhiana.

## **Appeal Case No. 3909 of 2019 (Video Conference Proceedings)**

PRESENT:

Jagshir Singh (Appellant) 81958-00345  
ASI Dimple (for the Respondent) 98768-59188

ORDER:

*(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on 26.12.19, 14.2.2020, 26.6.2020, and 3.9.2020)*

1. The RTI application is dated **8.7.19** vide which the appellant has sought **information regarding the FIRs registered (monthly crime reports) at t Police Station Division No. 4 since 2010** as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **17.8.19** and second appeal was filed in the Commission on **18.10.19** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. The case was last heard on **3.9.2020**.

2. Both parties are present through Video Conference from the office of Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana. The respondent PIO, represented by ASI Dimple, has handed over a pen-drive with the requested information. The appellant is requested to go through the contents and list deficiencies if any before the next hearing.

3. **Next hearing on 18.2.2021 at 12.00 pm through Video Conference Facility in the office of Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana.**

**Sd/-**  
**(ASIT JOLLY)**  
State Information Commissioner

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**Mandeep Kaur,**  
w/o Amrik Singh,  
Guru Teg Bahadur Nagar,  
Street No. 2, Mandi Mullanpur, District Ludhiana.

Versus

**Public Information Officer,**  
o/o SSP Jagraon (Ludhiana Rural),  
Ludhiana.

**First Appellant Authority,**  
o/o Deputy Inspector General,  
Ludhiana Range, Ludhiana

## **Appeal Case No. 274 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)**

PRESENT:

Jagshir Singh (for the Appellant) 81958-00345  
(Respondent) Absent

ORDER:

*(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on 5.2.2020, 2.7.2020, and 4.9.2020)*

1. The RTI application is dated **6.1.2020** vide which the appellant has sought **information by way of the CCTV footage, roznamcha of CIA Staff Jagraon from 28.12.19, and summons issued on her complaints – No. 1011089 dated 29.2.16 and No. 3650PC-1 18.12.18 etc.,** as enumerated in her RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **10.1.2020** and second appeal was filed in the Commission on **15.1.20** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. The case was last heard on **4.9.2020**.

2. Both parties are present through Video Conference from the office of Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana. Despite repeated directions, the respondent PIO-cum-SSP, Ludhiana (Rural) has failed to comply with the orders of this Commission of 2.7.2020 in which he was directed to submit a detailed, duly notarized affidavit giving the status of the requested CCTV Footage pertaining to 26.12.2019. The Affidavit must also state in detail, how and why, this has not been provided to the appellant. In addition, the affidavit must also explain in detail, why and how the respondent falsely submitted to this Commission that FIR No.39 of 25.2.2016 was registered in response to the appellant's complaint.

3. Instead, the PIO-cum-SSP, Ludhiana (Rural) has merely sent a typewritten submission on plain paper. This is not acceptable. The Commissions directions of 2.7.2020 **MUST** be complied with. Besides the above-cited affidavit, the respondent PIO is directed to submit a duly attested copy of the Rojnamcha of CIA staff Jagraon pertaining to 28.12.2019 in a **SEALED COVER** to this Commission.

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## **Appeal Case No. 274 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)**

4. This Commission will take a considered decision on whether the whole / a part of / no part of the requested *roznamcha* can be disclosed to the appellant.

5. IMPORTANT! All documents / information supplied to appellants / complainants must mandatorily be attested as under:

Information supplied under the RTI Act, 2005

Signature of the PIO

Name of the PIO

Name of the Public Authority

Date

6. **Next hearing on 18.2.2021 at 12.00 pm through Video Conference Facility in the office of Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana.**

Sd/-

(ASIT JOLLY)

State Information Commissioner

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**Indu Gupta,**  
# 377, Aggar Nagar,  
Block-A, Ludhiana.

**Versus**

**Public Information Officer,**  
o/o Police Commissioner,  
Mini Secretariat,  
Ludhiana.

## **Complaint Case No. 87 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)**

PRESENT:

(Complainant) Absent

ASI Ramesh Kumar (for the Respondent) 99156-03000

ORDER:

*(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on 26.6.2020 and 3.9.2020)*

1. The complainant, **Indu Gupta**, filed this RTI application dated **26.11.2019** and sought **information regarding complaint No.1678461 against Dev Builders and Colonizers Pvt. Ltd. & its Directors**. When no information was received, the Complainant filed a complaint under Section 18 of the RTI Act, 2005 to the Commission on **20.2.2020**. The case was last heard on **3.9.2020**.

2. The complainant is absent without intimation. The respondent PIO, represented by ASI Ramesh Kumar, present through Video Conference from the office of Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana, has submitted a status report from the ACP South, Ludhiana, which is not in compliance with this Commission's directions of 26.6.2020.

3. This Commission impleads ACP South, Ludhiana and directs him to submit a duly notarized affidavit detailing the witnesses examined and statements recorded in the Complaint No. 1678461 cited in this RTI application. The aforesaid affidavit must be submitted to this Commission in duplicate before the next hearing.

4. IMPORTANT! All documents / information supplied to appellants / complainants must mandatorily be attested as under:

**Information supplied under the RTI Act, 2005**

**Signature of the PIO**

**Name of the PIO**

**Name of the Public Authority**

**Date**

4. **Next hearing on 18.2.2021 at 12.00 pm through Video Conference Facility in the office of Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana.**

**Sd/-**  
**(ASIT JOLLY)**  
State Information Commissioner  
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**Bipan Gupta,**  
# 377, Aggar Nagar,  
Block-A, Ludhiana.

**Versus**

**Public Information Officer,**  
o/o Police Commissioner,  
Mini Secretariat,  
Ludhiana.

## **Complaint Case No. 91 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)**

PRESENT:

(Complainant) Absent

ASI Ramesh Kumar (for the Respondent) 99156-03000

ORDER:

*(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on 26.6.2020 and 3.9.2020)*

1. The complainant, **Bipan Gupta**, filed this RTI application dated **26.11.2019** and sought **information regarding complaint No. 1678473 against "Dev Builders & Colonisers Pvt Ltd."** When no information was received, the Complainant filed a complaint under Section 18 of the RTI Act, 2005 to the Commission on **20.1.2020**. The case was last heard on **3.9.2020**.

2. The complainant is absent without intimation. The respondent PIO, represented by ASI Ramesh Kumar, present through Video Conference from the office of Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana, has submitted a proof status report from the ACP South which is not in compliance with this Commission's directions of 26.6.2020.

3. This Commission impleads ACP South, Ludhiana and directs him to submit a duly notarized affidavit detailing the witnesses examined and statements recorded in the Complaint No. 1678461 cited in this RTI application. The aforesaid affidavit must be submitted to this Commission in duplicate before the next hearing.

4. IMPORTANT! All documents / information supplied to appellants / complainants must mandatorily be attested as under:

**Information supplied under the RTI Act, 2005**

**Signature of the PIO**

**Name of the PIO**

**Name of the Public Authority**

**Date**

5. **Next hearing on 18.2.2021 at 12.00 pm through Video Conference Facility in the office of Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana.**

**Sd/-**  
**(ASIT JOLLY)**  
State Information Commissioner

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