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Sh. Yogesh Mahajan  
s/o Sh. Kuldip Rai  
Opposite Water Tank, Municipal Market,  
Mission Road, Pathankot.

....Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer  
o/o Improvement Trust,  
District Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority  
o/o Improvement trust,  
District Amritsar.

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 4927 of 2021.  
(Video Conference Proceedings)

Present:- None on behalf of the parties.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 2.8.2021 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter called FAA) on 6.9.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 28.10.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 9.3.2022.

2. Due to the absence of both the parties, the case is adjourned.
3. To come up on 2.5.2022 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, District Amritsar.

Dated: 09.03.2022

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(Suresh Arora)  
Chief Information Commissioner,  
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Ms. Anupama Singh,  
Patti Massor Ki,  
VPO Bandala, Amritsar.

..Appellant

Vs

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

First Appellate Authority  
O/ Deputy Commissioner,  
Amritsar.

..Respondents

Appeal Case No. 70 of 2022

(Video Conference/Telephone Proceedings)

Present:- Ms. Anupama Singh, Appellant.  
Smt. Akwinder Kaur, Naib Tehsildar \_\_\_\_\_ on behalf of  
the respondents

## ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 9.2.2022.

2. The representative of the respondents states that the information as available on record has already been supplied to the appellant. However, the appellant submits that the information has been delayed although the same should have been supplied within 30 days. She further submits that the action may be taken against the respondent as per the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

3. The appellant filed the RTI application on 11.9.2021. Viewing the attitude in dealing with the RTI application of the appellant seriously, Sh. Amrinderpal Singh, Distt. Revenue Officer-cum-Public Information Officer, is, thus, issued a show cause notice to explain in a self-attested affidavit as to why a penalty @ Rs.250/- per day of delay subject to a maximum of Rs.25000/- till the complete information is furnished, be not imposed under Section 20(1) of RTI Act, 2005 on him for causing wilful delay/denial of the information to the RTI application and to issue show cause for compensation to the appellant for detriment suffered by him under section 19(8) of the RTI Act, 2005.

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Appeal Case No. 70 of 2022

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

4. To come up on 21.4.2022 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, District Amritsar.

Dated: 09.03.2022

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Sh. Darshan Singh s/o Shri Sh. Joginder Singh,  
# 172, Gurbaksh Nagar, Chabal Road,  
Amritsar.

....Appellant

Vs

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

First Appellate Authority  
o/o Commissioner,  
Municipal Corporation,  
Amritsar.

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 4990 of 2021

(Video Conference/Telephone Proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Darshan Singh, appellant on telephone.  
None on behalf of the respondents.

## ORDER

The RTI application is dated 30.6.2021 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter called FAA) on 27.7.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 27.10.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 9.3.2022.

2. Sh. Varinder Mohan, A.T.P.-cum-APIO sent the written submissions through email which are taken on record, vide which it has informed that the sought information has already been sent to the appellant vide No. 215 dated 1.9.2021. However, the appellant submits that he has received the forwarding letter but no information was attached with it.

3. Accordingly, the respondent-Public Information Officer is directed to supply a copy of the sought information to the appellant with a copy to the Commission before the next date of hearing failing which the punitive action will be initiated against him.

4. To come up on 20.4.2022 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, District Amritsar.

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Dated: 09.03.2022

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Sh. Raminderpal Singh s/o sh. Teja Singh,  
#MIG -1406, Housing Board Colony, C- Block,  
Ranjit Avenue, Amritsar.

....Appellant

Vs

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

First Appellate Authority  
o/o Commissioner,  
Municipal Corporation,  
Amritsar.

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 4978 of 2021

(Video Conference/Telephone Proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Raminderpal Singh, appellant on telephone.  
None on behalf of the respondents.

## ORDER

The RTI application is dated 22.7.2021 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter called FAA) on 14.9.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 29.10.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 9.3.2022.

2. The respondent-Public Information Officer has sent the written submissions in this case which are taken on record, vide which it has informed that the response has already been sent to the appellant. Accordingly, a copy of the same is being sent to the appellant along with this order to file the rejoinder, if any, before the next date of hearing.

3. To come up on 20.4.2022 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, District Amritsar.

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Dated: 09.03.2022

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Sh. Neeraj Kumar Advocate  
c/o Chamber No. 4020, Lawyers Chamber Complex  
Part II, District Courts,  
District Ludhiana

....Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer  
o/o the Joint Sub Registrar,  
Phagwara,  
Kapurthala

First Appellate Authority  
o/o the Sub Divisional magistrate,  
Phagwara,  
Kapurthala

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 4967 of 2021  
(Video Conference Proceedings)

Present:- None on behalf of the parties.

## ORDER

The RTI application is dated 1.12.2020 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter called FAA) on 18.1.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 28.10.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 9.3.2022.

2. Due to absence of both the parties, the case is adjourned.
3. To come up on 2.5.2022 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Kapurthala.

Dated: 09.03.2022

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