



Sarabjit Singh

S/o Sh. Gopal Singh,
House No. 1375,
Gali Chobana Wali Verka,
Amritsar -143501 (Punjab)

...Appellant

V/s

(Regd. Post)

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Director,
State Transport, Punjab,
Sector -17, Chandigarh

First Appellate Authority,

O/o The Director,
State Transport, Punjab,
Sector -17, Chandigarh

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 828 of 2019

Present : Sh. Sarabjit Singh, the appellant, in person.
None on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 15.05.2019 and the Appellant was advised to point out discrepancies in the supplied information and send the same to the PIO/Respondent by registered post with a copy to the Commission. The Respondent/PIO was directed to remove the deficiencies, if any, pointed out by the Appellant and supply the information to the Appellant, through registered post.

The appellant, Sh. Sarabjit Singh, who appeared in person in today's hearing, orally states that he has pointed out certain deficiencies, in the information supplied to him and sent the same to the office of respondent with a copy to the Commission, which have not been removed till date.

After examining the documents placed on record, it is found that the appellant through letter dated Nil, which has been received in the Commission vide Diary No. 10476 dated 27.05.2019, has pointed out certain deficiencies, in the information supplied to him. It is taken on record.

Neither the respondent PIO nor his authorized representative is present in today's hearing. He has also not sent any intimation regarding his non-availability. The Commission took a serious view of this casual approach of the Respondent/ PIO.

In view of the above, a show cause notice under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act is issued to PIO of office of Director, State Transport, Punjab, Chandigarh, as to why penalty be not imposed upon him for willful delay in supplying the information to the RTI applicant and why the compensation be not awarded to the information-seeker under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

The PIO is also hereby given an opportunity under Section 20(1) provision, thereto, for a personal hearing before the imposition of such penalty on the next date of hearing. He may note that in case he does not file his submission and does not avail himself of the opportunity of personal hearing on the next 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. **A copy this order be sent to him through registered post.**

Last opportunity is also given to the respondent PIO to supply the information, after removing the deficiencies, which have been pointed out by the Appellant, to him by registered post before the next date of hearing. He is also directed to submit the postal receipt, through which information would be sent to the Appellant on the next date of hearing.

The case is **adjourned to 2nd September, 2019 (Monday) at 11:00 A. M.**

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Date : 8th July, 2019

**(Sanjiv Garg)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab**



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State Transport, Punjab,
Sector -17, Chandigarh

First Appellate Authority,

O/o The Director,
State Transport, Punjab,
Sector -17, Chandigarh

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 830 of 2019

Present : Sh. Sarabjit Singh, the appellant, in person.
None on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 15.05.2019 and the Appellant was advised to point out discrepancies in the supplied information and send the same to the PIO/Respondent by registered post with a copy to the Commission. The Respondent/PIO was directed to remove the deficiencies, if any, pointed out by the Appellant and supply the information to the Appellant, through registered post.

The appellant, Sh. Sarabjit Singh, who appeared in person in today's hearing, orally states that he has pointed out certain deficiencies, in the information supplied to him and sent the same to the office of respondent with a copy to the Commission, which have not been removed till date.

After examining the documents placed on record, it is found that the appellant through letter dated 10.06.2019, which has been received in the Commission vide Diary No. 11176 dated 10.06.2019, has pointed out certain deficiencies, in the information supplied to him. It is taken on record.

Neither the respondent PIO nor his authorized representative is present in today's hearing. He has also not sent any intimation regarding his non-availability. The Commission took a serious view of this casual approach of the Respondent/ PIO.

In view of the above, a show cause notice under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act is issued to PIO of office of Director, State Transport, Punjab, Chandigarh, as to why penalty be not imposed upon him for willful delay in supplying the information to the RTI applicant and why the compensation be not awarded to the information-seeker under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

The PIO is also hereby given an opportunity under Section 20(1) provision, thereto, for a personal hearing before the imposition of such penalty on the next date of hearing. He may note that in case he does not file his submission and does not avail himself of the opportunity of personal hearing on the next 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. **A copy this order be sent to him through registered post.**

Last opportunity is also given to the respondent PIO to supply the information, after removing the deficiencies, which have been pointed out by the Appellant, to him by registered post before the next date of hearing. He is also directed to submit the postal receipt, through which information would be sent to the Appellant on the next date of hearing.

The case is **adjourned to 2nd September, 2019 (Monday) at 11:00 A. M.**

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O/o The Director,
State Transport, Punjab,
Sector -17, Chandigarh

First Appellate Authority,

O/o The Director,
State Transport, Punjab,
Sector -17, Chandigarh

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 831 of 2019

Present : Sh. Sarabjit Singh, the appellant, in person.
None on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 15.05.2019 and the Appellant was advised to point out discrepancies in the supplied information and send the same to the PIO/Respondent by registered post with a copy to the Commission. The Respondent/PIO was directed to remove the deficiencies, if any, pointed out by the Appellant and supply the information to the Appellant, through registered post.

The appellant, Sh. Sarabjit Singh, who appeared in person in today's hearing, orally states that he has pointed out certain deficiencies, in the information supplied to him and sent the same to the office of respondent with a copy to the Commission, which have not been removed till date.

After examining the documents placed on record, it is found that the appellant through letter dated 27.05.2019, which has been received in the Commission vide Diary No. 10474 dated 27.05.2019, has pointed out certain deficiencies, in the information supplied to him. It is taken on record.

Neither the respondent PIO nor his authorized representative is present in today's hearing. He has also not sent any intimation regarding his non-availability. The Commission took a serious view of this casual approach of the Respondent/ PIO.

In view of the above, a show cause notice under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act is issued to PIO of office of Director, State Transport, Punjab, Chandigarh, as to why penalty be not imposed upon him for willful delay in supplying the information to the RTI applicant and why the compensation be not awarded to the information-seeker under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

The PIO is also hereby given an opportunity under Section 20(1) provision, thereto, for a personal hearing before the imposition of such penalty on the next date of hearing. He may note that in case he does not file his submission and does not avail himself of the opportunity of personal hearing on the next 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. **A copy this order be sent to him through registered post.**

Last opportunity is also given to the respondent PIO to supply the information, after removing the deficiencies, which have been pointed out by the Appellant, to him by registered post before the next date of hearing. He is also directed to submit the postal receipt, through which information would be sent to the Appellant on the next date of hearing.

The case is **adjourned to 2nd September, 2019 (Monday) at 11:00 A. M.**

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Date : 8th July, 2019

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Amritsar -143501 (Punjab)

...Appellant

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O/o The Director,
State Transport, Punjab,
Sector -17, Chandigarh

First Appellate Authority,

O/o The Director,
State Transport, Punjab,
Sector -17, Chandigarh

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 832 of 2019

Present : Sh. Sarabjit Singh, the appellant, in person.
None on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 15.05.2019 and the Appellant was advised to point out discrepancies in the supplied information and send the same to the PIO/Respondent by registered post with a copy to the Commission. The Respondent/PIO was directed to remove the deficiencies, if any, pointed out by the Appellant and supply the information to the Appellant, through registered post.

The appellant, Sh. Sarabjit Singh, who appeared in person in today's hearing, orally states that he has pointed out certain deficiencies, in the information supplied to him and sent the same to the office of respondent with a copy to the Commission, which have not been removed till date.

After examining the documents placed on record, it is found that the appellant through letter dated 27.05.2019, which has been received in the Commission vide Diary No. 10475 dated 27.05.2019, has pointed out certain deficiencies, in the information supplied to him. It is taken on record.

Neither the respondent PIO nor his authorized representative is present in today's hearing. He has also not sent any intimation regarding his non-availability. The Commission took a serious view of this casual approach of the Respondent/ PIO.

In view of the above, a show cause notice under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act is issued to PIO of office of Director, State Transport, Punjab, Chandigarh, as to why penalty be not imposed upon him for willful delay in supplying the information to the RTI applicant and why the compensation be not awarded to the information-seeker under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

The PIO is also hereby given an opportunity under Section 20(1) provision, thereto, for a personal hearing before the imposition of such penalty on the next date of hearing. He may note that in case he does not file his submission and does not avail himself of the opportunity of personal hearing on the next 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. **A copy this order be sent to him through registered post.**

Last opportunity is also given to the respondent PIO to supply the information, after removing the deficiencies, which have been pointed out by the Appellant, to him by registered post before the next date of hearing. He is also directed to submit the postal receipt, through which information would be sent to the Appellant on the next date of hearing.

The case is **adjourned to 2nd September, 2019 (Monday) at 11:00 A. M.**

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Date : 8th July, 2019

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Sarabjit Singh

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Amritsar -143501 (Punjab)

...Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,

O/o The Regional Transport Authority,
Amritsar(Punjab).

First Appellate Authority,

O/o The State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,
Sector -17, Chandigarh

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 829 of 2019

Present : Sh. Sarabjit Singh, the appellant, in person.
Sh. Wassan Singh, Junior Assistant, on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 15.05.2019 and the Appellant was advised to point out discrepancies in the supplied information and send the same to the PIO/Respondent by registered post with a copy to the Commission. The Respondent/PIO was directed to remove the deficiencies, if any, pointed out by the Appellant and supply the information to the Appellant, through registered post.

Sh. Wassan Singh, Junior Assistant, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, orally states that in response to the RTI request, the complete information has been supplied to the appellant, Sh. Sarabjit Singh.

The appellant, Sh. Sarabjit Singh, who appeared in person in today's hearing, orally states that he has received the requisite information. He also submits a written-submission as an acknowledgment of having received the required information, through which he claimed that he is satisfied with the information supplied. It is taken on record.

Since the information stands supplied and no cause of action is left in this case, the case is **disposed of and closed.**

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Date : 8th July, 2019

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State Information Commissioner
Punjab



Sarabjit Singh S/o Sh. Gopal Singh,
House No. 1375,
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Amritsar -143501 (Punjab)

...Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Regional Transport Authority,
Amritsar(Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,
Sector -17, Chandigarh

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 834 of 2019

Present : Sh. Sarabjit Singh, the appellant, in person.
Sh. Wassan Singh, Junior Assistant, on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 15.05.2019 and the Appellant was advised to point out discrepancies in the supplied information and send the same to the PIO/Respondent by registered post with a copy to the Commission. The Respondent/PIO was directed to remove the deficiencies, if any, pointed out by the Appellant and supply the information to the Appellant, through registered post.

The appellant, Sh. Sarabjit Singh, who appeared in person in today's hearing, orally states that no information has been supplied to him by the respondent PIO so far.

Sh. Wassan Singh, Junior Assistant, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, orally states that part information, sought for by the appellant through RTI request, regarding point no. 01, 02, 04, 05, 11, 16 and 30 of the RTI request relates with office of State Transport Commissioner, Punjab, Chandigarh and for rest of the information at other points except point no. 03 ('third' party information), he seeks an adjournment in this case so that the information could be supplied to the appellant.

An opportunity is given to the respondent-PIO concerned of office of Regional Transport Authority, Amritsar, to supply the certified copies of the available information regarding point no. 06, 07, 08, 09, 10, 12, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 31, 32, 33 and 34 to the appellant through registered post before the next date of hearing and submit a copy of the postal receipt, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, on the next date of hearing. If any information is not available in the official record, he/she (the respondent-PIO concerned) will file a reply in writing stating that no other information apart from the information supplied, is available in the official record.

The respondent-PIO concerned of office of State Transport Commissioner, Punjab, Chandigarh, is also to supply the certified copies of the available information regarding point no. 01, 02, 04, 05, 11, 16 and 30 to the appellant through registered post before the next date of hearing and submit a copy of the postal receipt, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, on the next date of hearing.

Accordingly, a copy of this order be sent through registered post alongwith RTI request to State Transport Commissioner, Punjab, Chandigarh, with the advice to ensure presence of any official of his office as a representative to represent this case on the next date of hearing to clear the facts of this case

The case is **adjourned to 2nd September, 2019 (Monday) at 11:00 A. M.**

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Date : 8th July, 2019

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State Information Commissioner
Punjab**

(Regd. Post)

**The State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,
Sector -17, Chandigarh**

Encl : RTI request



Bharat Bhushan Mattu,
House No. 322, Maskeen Nagar,
PO Netaji Nagar, Salem Tabri,
Distt. Ludhiana -141008 (Punjab)

...Appellant

V/s

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

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,
Sector -17, Chandigarh

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 702 of 2019

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.
Sh. Ravinder Singh, Clerk, on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 15.05.2019 and an opportunity was given to Respondent/PIO to supply the requisite information to Appellant through registered post. The Appellant was also advised to point out discrepancies in the supplied information and send the same to the PIO/Respondent by registered post with a copy to the Commission.

After examining the documents placed on record, it is found that the appellant, Sh. Bharat Bhushan Mattu through a letter dated 24.06.2019, which has been received in the Commission vide Diary No. 12029 dated 24.06.2019, has pointed out certain deficiencies, in the information supplied to him. It is taken on record.

Sh. Ravinder Singh, Clerk, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, orally states that the required information has been brought in the Commission so that the same could be handed over to the appellant, Sh. Bharat Bhushan Mattu during the hearing. He also submits a reply vide letter no. 3800 dated 05.07.2019 signed by Secretary-cum-PIO, Regional Transport Authority, Ludhiana alongwith a copy of information. It, alongwith a copy of information, is taken on record.

The respondent PIO concerned is directed to send the requisite information to the appellant through registered post/in person at his residential address and produce a copy of the postal/acknowledgement receipt in the Commission on the next date of hearing.

Another opportunity is given to the appellant to confirm whether he has received the information (which would be sent by the concerned PIO) or not. He is also advised to point out deficiencies, if any, in the information supplied to him, in writing, to the respondent PIO through registered post with a copy to the Commission, before the next date of hearing.

An opportunity is also given to the appellant to represent his case in person or through any of his representative on the next date of hearing or the case would be decided on merits.

The case is **adjourned to 2nd September, 2019 (Monday) at 11:00 A. M.**

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Date : 8th July, 2019

**(Sanjiv Garg)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab**



Harkanwalpreet Singh,
101/1, Bhan Singh Colony,
Faridkot - 151203 (Punjab)

...Appellant

V/s

(Regd. Post) **Public Information Officer,**
O/o The Chairman,
PEPSU Road Transport Corporation,
Patiala (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Managing Director,
PEPSU Road Transport
Corporation, Patiala (Punjab)

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 715 of 2019

Present : Sh. Harkanwalpreet Singh, the appellant, in person.
None on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 15.05.2019 and an opportunity was given to the Appellant to point out any discrepancies, if any, in the supplied information and send the same to the PIO/Respondent by registered post with a copy to the Commission.

The appellant, Sh. Harkanwalpreet Singh, who appeared in person in today's hearing, orally states that he has pointed out certain deficiencies in the information supplied to him through a letter dated 27.05.2019 and sent the same to the office of respondent with a copy to the Commission, which have not been removed till date.

After examining the documents placed on record, it is found that the appellant through letter dated 27.05.2019 which has been received in the Commission vide Diary No. 10847 dated 31.05.2019, has pointed out certain deficiencies, in the information supplied to him. It is taken on record.

Neither the respondent PIO nor his representative is present in today's hearing. He has also not sent any intimation regarding his non-availability. The Commission took a serious view of this casual approach of the Respondent/ PIO.

In view of the above, a show cause notice under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act is issued to PIO of office of Chairman, PEPSU Road Transport Corporation, Patiala, as to why penalty be not imposed upon him for willful delay in supplying the information to the RTI applicant and why the compensation be not awarded to the information-seeker under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

The PIO is also hereby given an opportunity under Section 20(1) provision, thereto, for a personal hearing before the imposition of such penalty on the next date of hearing. He may note that in case he does not file his submission and does not avail himself of the opportunity of personal hearing on the next 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. **A copy this order be sent to him through registered post.**

Last opportunity is also given to the respondent PIO to supply the information, after removing the deficiencies, which have been pointed out by the Appellant, to him by registered post before the next date of hearing. He is also directed to submit the postal receipt, through which information would be sent to the Appellant on the next date of hearing.

The case is **adjourned to 2nd September, 2019 (Monday) at 11:00 A. M.**

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Date : 8th July, 2019

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State Information Commissioner
Punjab**



Rajinder Kumar, Retd. G.I.

Quarter No. 35 – L,
I.T.I. Staff Colony,
Talwara, P.O. Talwara,
Tehsil Mukherian,
Distt. Hoshiarpur -144216(Punajb)

...Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,

O/o The Principal,
Govt. Industrial Training Institute(Boys),
Gurdaspur-143521(Punajb)

First Appellate Authority,

O/o The Principal,
Govt. Industrial Training Institute(Boys),
Gurdaspur-143521(Punajb)

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 719 of 2019

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.
None on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 15.05.2019 and the representative of the respondent/PIO, Sh. Satish Chander , Electronics Instructor, had shown the document stating that Sh. Davinder Singh Rana has worked as the Group Instructor at I.T.I, Gurdaspur for the period from 04.07.2017 to 03.07.2018 and apart from this no other information is available in the record. The respondent/PIO was directed to represent this case in person alongwith the relevant information.

Neither the appellant, Sh. Rajinder Kumar nor the respondent is present in today's hearing. They have also not sent any intimation regarding their non-availability.

Nevertheless, another opportunity is given to both the parties to represent this case in person or through their representative, on the next date of hearing positively or the case would be decided for non-pursuance.

The case is **adjourned to 2nd September, 2019 (Monday) at 11:00 A. M.**

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Date : 8th July, 2019

(Sanjiv Garg)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab



Sohan Lal

S/o Sh. Lachhman Dass,
Patta Dhumaki, VPO Jagatpur,
Block Mukandpur,
Distt. S.B.S. Nagar(Nawanshaheer)-144507(Punjab)

...Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,

O/o The Commissioner,
Municipal Corporation,
ATP, Zone-D, Ludhiana (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,

O/o The Commissioner,
Municipal Corporation,
Ludhiana (Punjab)

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 752 of 2019

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.

- i) Sh. Rajeev Bhardwaj, Superintendent-cum-PIO(Non-Technical),
Zone – D, in person ;
- ii) Sh. Ravinder Singh Walia, Draftsman (Building Branch),
Zone – D, on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 15.05.2019 and an opportunity was given to Respondent/PIO to supply the requisite information to Appellant through registered post. The Appellant was also advised to point out discrepancies in the supplied information and send the same to the PIO/Respondent by registered post with a copy to the Commission.

Sh. Rajeev Bhardwaj, Superintendent-cum-PIO(Non-Technical) of Zone – D, who appeared in person in today's hearing, submits a copy of reply vide letter no. 58 dated 29.05.2019 signed by himself, showing that in response to the RTI request, the requisite information has already been supplied to the appellant, Sh. Sohan Lal vide letter no. 310 dated 01.02.2019 through registered post. It, alongwith a copy of postal receipt, is taken on record.

Sh. Ravinder Singh Walia, Draftsman (Building Branch) of Zone – D, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, submits a copy of reply vide letter no. 37 dated 26.04.2019 signed by PIO-cum-Assistant Town Planner, Zone-D, M. C., Ludhiana showing that in response to the RTI request, a reply has already been sent to the appellant, Sh. Sohan Lal through registered post. It, alongwith a copy of postal receipt, is taken on record.

After examining the documents placed on record, it is found that the appellant, Sh. Sohan Lal through a letter dated 22.06.2019 which has been received in the Commission vide Diary No. 12024 dated 24.06.2019, has pointed out certain deficiencies, in the information supplied to him. It is taken on record.

Another opportunity is given to the respondent PIO to supply the information, after removing the deficiencies, which have been pointed out by the Appellant through letter dated 22.06.2019, to him by registered post before the next date of hearing. He is also directed to submit/send the postal receipt, through which information would be sent to the Appellant on the next date of hearing.

Another opportunity is also given to the appellant to represent his case in person or through any of his representative on the next date of hearing or the case would be decided on merits.

The case is **adjourned to 2nd September, 2019 (Monday) at 11:00 A. M.**

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Date : 8th July, 2019

**(Sanjiv Garg)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab**



Devinder Kumar,
S/o Sh. Sat Dev Jain,
182, Maharaja Yadvindra Enclave,
Nabha Road, Patiala-147001(Punjab)

...Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Principal,
Government ITI,
Patiala (Punjab).

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Principal,
Government ITI,
Patiala (Punjab)

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 648 of 2019

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.
i) Ms. Jaspal Kaur, Office Superintendent ;
ii) Ms. Monika, Senior Assistant ;
iii) Sh. Dalip Singh, Senior Assistant ; on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 14.05.2019 and the respondent-PIO concerned was directed either to put more efforts to trace out the relevant official record and supply certified copies of the available information as per his queries raised by him in his RTI request as per official record to the appellant or file a reply in an affidavit stating that the information, sought for by the appellant through his RTI request is not traceable in official record and the reasons for its non availability.

Ms. Jaspal Kaur, Office Superintendent ; Ms. Monika and Sh. Dalip Singh, both Senior Assistants, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, orally state that the information sought for by the Appellant is regarding an official i. e. Sh. Manjit Singh, Refrigerator Instructor, who was retired from his services from Government I. T. I., Ranike (Amritsar) and his service book was sent for fixation of pay to Head Office i. e. Director, Technical Education and Industrial Training, Punjab, Chandigarh and it has been received back from Head Office today itself and the same has been brought in the Commission so that the same could be inspected by the appellant, Sh. Devinder Kumar during the hearing.

The appellant, Sh. Devinder Kumar is absent from today's hearing without any intimation to the Commission.

The respondent PIO concerned is directed to send the certified copies of the required information to the appellant through registered post/in person at his residential address and produce a copy of the postal/acknowledgement receipt in the Commission on the next date of hearing.

Another opportunity is given to the appellant to confirm whether he has received the information (which would be sent by the concerned PIO) or not. He is also advised to point out deficiencies, if any, in the information supplied to him, in writing, to the respondent PIO through registered post with a copy to the Commission, before the next date of hearing.

An opportunity is also given to the appellant to represent his case in person or through any of his representative on the next date of hearing or the case would be decided on merits.

The case is **adjourned to 2nd September, 2019 (Monday) at 11:00 A. M.**

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Date : 8th July, 2019

**(Sanjiv Garg)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab**



Ramesh Kumar Gupta (Retd. Inspector)
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Back Side Head Post Office Colony,
Main Gali, Gurdaspur (Punjab)

...Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Executive Officer,
Nagar Council,
Gurdaspur (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Deputy Director,
Urban Local Bodies,
Amritsar (Punjab)

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 687 of 2019

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.
None on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 14.05.2019 and Ms. Sonu, Accountant, appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO and stated that in response to RTI request, the information in connection with point no. 01 of the RTI request (regarding copy of order of Hon'ble Punjab and Haryana High Court), has been brought in the Commission to be handed over to the Appellant and information in connection with point no. 02 of the RTI request (regarding service book) was earlier demanded by the Appellant and after collecting the same from office of the Deputy Director, Urban Local Bodies, Amritsar, was supplied to the Appellant vide letter no. 883 dated 08.05.2013. As the Appellant, Sh. Ramesh Kumar Gupta was not present on that day of hearing, the respondent/PIO was directed to send the requisite information to the appellant through registered post at his residential address before the next date of hearing. An opportunity was also given to the Appellant to confirm whether he has received the required information or not. He was also advised to represent this case in person or through his representative on the next date of hearing.

Neither the respondent PIO nor his representative is present in today's hearing.

The Appellant, Sh. Ramesh Kumar Gupta, through a letter dated 08.07.2019, which has been received in the Commission through an email, has intimated the Commission that he is unable to attend today's hearing and requested for an adjournment in this case. Through that letter, he has also intimated the Commission that he has pointed out certain deficiencies, in the information supplied to him through a letter dated 21.05.2019. It is taken on record.

Another opportunity is given to the respondent PIO to supply the information, after removing the deficiencies, which have been pointed out by the Appellant through letter dated 21.05.2019, to him by registered post before the next date of hearing. He is also directed to submit/send the postal receipt, through which information would be sent to the Appellant on the next date of hearing.

Another opportunity is given to both the parties to represent this case in person or through their representative, on the next date of hearing positively or the case would be decided on merits.

The case is **adjourned to 2nd September, 2019 (Monday) at 11:00 A. M.**

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Date : 8th July, 2019

**(Sanjiv Garg)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab**



Surjit Singh S/o Sh. Rattan Singh,
Sh. Charanjit Singh, S/o Sh. Joginder Singh,
Sh. Sanjay Dhingra, S/o Sh. Raj Kumar,
R/o Talwandi Road, Near Old Bus Stand, Faridkot,
District Faridkot - 151203 (Punjab)

...Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o The S. D. E.,
Central Works, Sub Divisional No. 1,
PWD (B & R), Ferozpur(Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Chief Engineer,
Central Works, PWD (B & R),
Chandigarh.

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 811 of 2019

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.

- i) Sh. Satish Kumar Goel, Executive Engineer, in person ;
- ii) Sh. Manpartap Singh, S. D. O., in person for the respondents.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 15.05.2019 and an opportunity was given to the Respondent/PIO to supply the requisite information to the Appellant through registered post and PIO was further directed to appear in person along with the postal receipt through which the information would be sent to the Appellant. The Appellant was also advised to point out discrepancies, if any, in the supplied information on receipt of information and send the same to the PIO/Respondent by registered post with a copy to the Commission.

Sh. Satish Kumar Goel, Executive Engineer and Sh. Manpartap Singh, S.D.O., who appeared in person in today's hearing, submit a reply vide letter no. 02 dated 03.04.2019 signed by S. D. E., Central Works, Sub Divisional No. 1, PWD (B & R), Ferozpur, showing that in response to the RTI request, the requisite information has already been supplied to the appellant, Sh. Surjit Singh vide letter no. 430 dated 03.10.2018 and again vide letter no. 612 dated 18.03.2019 through registered post. It, alongwith annexure and a copy of postal receipt, is taken on record.

The appellant, Sh. Surjit Singh, is not present in today's hearing and he has also not sent any intimation regarding his non-availability.

Nevertheless, last opportunity is given to the appellant to confirm whether he has received the information or not. He is also advised to point out deficiencies, if any, in the information supplied to him, in writing, to the respondent PIO through registered post with a copy to the Commission, before the next date of hearing. He is also advised to represent his case in person or through any of his representative on the next date of hearing or the case would be decided on merits.

The case is **adjourned to 22nd July, 2019 (Monday) at 11:00 A. M.**

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Date : 8th July, 2019

**(Sanjiv Garg)
State Information Commissioner
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...Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Executive Engineer,
Central Works Division,
PWD (B & R), Ferozepur(Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Superintending Engineer,
Central Works Division,
PWD (B & R), Ferozepur(Punjab)

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 762 of 2019

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.

- i) Sh. Satish Kumar Goel, Executive Engineer, in person ;
- ii) Sh. Manpartap Singh, S. D. O., in person for the respondents

ORDER

This case was last heard on 15.05.2019 and an opportunity was given to the Respondent/PIO to supply the requisite information to the Appellant through registered post and PIO is further directed to appear in person along with the postal receipt through which the information would be sent to the Appellant. The Appellant was also advised to point out any discrepancies, if any, in the supplied information on receipt of information and send the same to the PIO/Respondent by registered post with a copy to the Commission.

Sh. Satish Kumar Goel, Executive Engineer and Sh. Manpartap Singh, S.D.O., who appeared in person in today's hearing, orally state that they are unaware about the facts of this case as they came to know about this case during the hearing of another case today only and seek an adjournment in this case so that a reply could be filed to the RTI request filed by the appellant.

The appellant, Sh. Surjit Singh, is not present in today's hearing and he has also not sent any intimation regarding his non-availability.

Another opportunity is given to the appellant to represent his case in person or through any of his representative on the next date of hearing

The respondent-PIO is directed either to supply the certified copies of the required information to the appellant or file a point wise reply to the queries raised by the appellant through his RTI request, before the next date of hearing .

The case is **adjourned to 22nd July, 2019 (Monday) at 11:00 A. M.**

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Date : 8th July, 2019

(Sanjiv Garg)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab