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Advocate, Paramjit Singh Dhillon
Chamber No. 89-C, District Courts
Amritsar. (7837550690)

Versus

Appellant

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

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

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 2759 of 2018

Date of Institution:14.08.2018

Date of Decision: 08.07.2019

Present: Advocate, S. K. Arya on behalf of the appellant.
For the respondent: Sh. Varinder Mohan (Head Draftsman)

ORDER

1. This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 20.05.2019.
2. Respondent, Sh. Varinder Mohan states that compensation cheque has already been sent to the appellant dated 04.06.2019. He submits a reply dated 08.07.2019 signed by him along with copy of letter no. 540 dated 04.06.2019 and copy of cheque amounting Rs. 1,500/-, which is taken on record.
3. On this, representative of the appellant, Advocate, S.K. Arya states that he has no objection to close this case.
4. After hearing both the parties and examining the case file, it is observed that reply as per RTI application and compensation cheque has already been supplied to the appellant and no further cause of action is left in this case. Therefore, the instant appeal case is **disposed of & closed.**
5. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties.

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Sh. Jaspal Singh
S/o Sh. Avtar Singh,
House No. 263 A/13,
Gali No. 8, Hussainpura East,
Amritsar

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer
O/o Commissioner, MC,
Amritsar

First Appellate Authority
O/o Commissioner, MC,
Amritsar

Superintending Engineer (O & M),
O/o Commissioner, MC, Amritsar

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 3404 of 2018

Date of Institution: 04.10.2018

Date of Decision: 08.07.2019

Present: Sh. Amritpal Singh on behalf of the appellant.
For the respondent: Sh. Balwinder Singh (Inspector).

ORDER

1. This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 20.05.2019.
2. Respondent, Sh. Balwinder Singh states that reply has already been supplied to the appellant.
3. Representative of the appellant, Sh. Amritpal Singh is present for today's hearing.
4. After examining the case file, it is observed that supplied reply by the respondent PIO is satisfactory and no further cause of action is left in this case. Therefore, the instant appeal case is **disposed of & closed**.
5. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties.

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Sh. Sham Lal Singla (99141-33001)
B-325, Guru Nanak Colony,
Sangrur

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer
O/o DPI (SE) Mohali

First Appellate Authority
O/o Secretary,
Education Department, Mohali.

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 3955 of 2018

Date of Institution:19.11.2018

Date of Decision: 08.07.2019

Present: Nobody on behalf of the appellant.
For the respondent: Sh. Aman Saini (Clerk, O/o DPI) along with Sh. Manwinderjeet Singh (JA, O/o DEO, Sangrur).

ORDER

1. This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 20.05.2019.
2. Appellant, Sh. Sham Lal Singla is not present for today's hearing but an email dated 07.07.2019 has been received by the bench of undersigned stating that required action taken report not received yet. This mail is taken on record.
3. On this, respondent, Sh. Manwinderjeet Singh states that action taken report has already been supplied to the appellant and he presented a copy of the supplied information during the hearing.
4. After going through the supplied information, it is observed that information as per RTI application has already been supplied to the appellant and no further cause of action is left in this case. Therefore, the instant appeal case is **disposed of & closed**.
5. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties

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(Regd. Post) Sh. Rakesh Sharma
S/o Sh. Bhupinder Sharma.
R/o 182/12, Main Bazar,
Katra Parza, I/s Hathi Gate, Amritsar-143001
Versus

Complainant

(Regd. Post) Public Information Officer
O/o Deputy Commissioner,
District Amritsar

(Regd. Post) Public Information Officer
O/o The Commissioner,
Nagar Nigam, Amritsar

Respondent

Complaint Case No.: 29 of 2019

Present: Sh. Rakesh Sharma, the appellant in person.
Nobody on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

1. This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 20.05.2019.
2. Appellant, Sh. Rakesh Sharma states that no information has been supplied to him by the respondent PIO.
3. Neither the respondent PIO is present for today's hearing nor did he file any reply in this regard. Respondent PIO was also absent on the previous hearings held on 16.04.2019 and 20.05.2019.
4. In view of the above, the then respondent PIO, O/o Deputy Commissioner, District Amritsar will **Show Cause** under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act, as to why penalty be not imposed upon him for willful delay/denial 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.

In addition to his submission, 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. A copy of this order to be sent to him through **registered post** along with RTI request.

Complaint Case No.: 29 of 2019

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.

5. Matter is adjourned for further hearing on **30.07.2019 at 11:00 A.M.**

6. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties through **registered post**.

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08.07.2019**

**(Dr. Pawan Kumar Singla)
State Information Commissioner**

Public Information Officer (By Name)
(Regd. Post) O/o Deputy Commissioner,
District Amritsar

Encl. RTI Request.

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Sh. Kuldeep Singh
Sohia Road, Rajgarh Colony,
Ward No. 7, Sangrur

Versus

Appellant

Public Information Officer
O/o DPI (SE),
Punjab, Mohali

First Appellate Authority
O/o DPI (SE),
Punjab, Mohali

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 194 of 2019
Date of Institution: 14.08.2018
Date of Decision: 08.07.2019

Present: Sh. Kuldeep Singh the appellant in person.
For the respondent: Sh. Aman Saini (Clerk, O/o DPI).

ORDER

1. This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 20.05.2019.
2. Appellant, Sh. Kuldeep Singh states that he has received the requisite information and satisfied with the supplied information.
3. Respondent, Sh. Aman Saini is present for today's hearing.
4. As the information stands supplied, no further cause of action is left in this case.
Therefore, the instant appeal case is **disposed of & closed.**
5. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties

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Sh. Pawan Kumar (62803-57764)
S/o Sh. Birbal, Tilak Nagar,
Street No. 8, Shri Muktsar Sahib.

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer
O/o Secretary School Education,
Department, Punjab, Mohali.

First Appellate Authority
O/o Secretary School Education,
Department, Punjab, Mohali.

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 405 of 2019
Date of Institution: 16.01.2019
Date of Decision: 08.07.2019

Present: Nobody on behalf of the appellant.

For the respondent:

Sh. Karnail Singh (BPO, Muktsar-I)
Sh. Rajeev Kumar (JA),
Sh. Rana Singh
Sh. Desraj (DEO(EE)),
Sh. Dinesh Kumar (DEO(SE), Ferozepur),
Sh. Mukhtiar Singh,
Sh. Rajinder Pal Singh (Fazilka)

ORDER

1. This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 20.05.2019.
2. Respondent, Sh. Karnail Singh submits a reply vide letter no. 1771/19 dated 06.07.2019 signed by the Principal, G.S.S.S., Chak Vairoke, Fzk along with supporting documents, which are taken on record.

He also submits a reply vide letter no. 190421 dated 05.07.2019 signed by the DEO (SE), Sri Muktsar Sahib along with supporting documents, which are taken on record. He also presented the copy of supplied reply before the Commission, during the hearing.
3. Sh. Rajinder Pal Singh submits replies vide letter number RTI/2019/2 dated 04.07.2019 along with supporting documents and vide letter no. RTI/SPL/04/2019 dated 06.07.2019 along with supporting documents, which are also taken on record.

Appeal Case No.: 405 of 2019

Date of Institution:16.01.2019

Date of Decision: 08.07.2019

4. Appellant, Sh. Pawan Kumar is not present for today's hearing but an email dated 02.07.2019 has been received by the bench of undersigned, which is taken on record.
5. After hearing the respondents and examining the case file, it is observed that supplied reply is satisfactory and no further cause of action is left in this case. Therefore, the instant appeal case is **disposed of & closed**.
6. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties.

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Sh. Simranjit Singh (98760-76662)

S/o Sh. Jagdish Singh, #93/2,
Adarsh Nagar, Jalandhar.

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o MC, Jalandhar.

First Appellate Authority

O/o MC, Jalandhar.

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 437 of 2019

Date of Institution: 21.01.2019

Date of Decision: 08.07.2019

Present: Nobody on behalf of the appellant.
For the respondent: Ms. Pooja (Building Inspector)

ORDER

1. This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 20.05.2019.
2. Respondent, Ms. Pooja states that no deficiency has been pointed out by the appellant in the supplied information.
3. Neither the appellant, Sh. Simranjit Singh is present for today's hearing nor did he file any reply in this regard. He was also absent on the previous hearings held on 08.04.2019 and 20.05.2019.
4. After hearing the respondent and examining the case file, it is observed that on the previous hearing held on 20.05.2019, last opportunity was given to the appellant to represent this case and matter was adjourned for 08.07.2019 i.e. today but the appellant failed to do so.
5. It is also observed that previous order dated 20.05.2019 was sent to the appellant has returned to the Commission with remarks "insufficient address" and it is found that Notice of hearing and previous orders dated 08.04.2019 and 20.05.2019 were also sent on the same address as per case file and address is correct.

Appeal Case No.: 437 of 2019
Date of Institution:21.01.2019
Date of Decision: 08.07.2019

6. As no deficiency has been pointed out by the appellant in the supplied information, it is presumed that he is satisfied with the supplied information and does not want to pursue this case. Therefore, no further cause of action is left in this case. Hence, the instant appeal case is **disposed of & closed.**

7. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties.

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Sh. Simranjit Singh (98760-76662)
S/o Sh. Jagdish Singh, #93/2,
Adarsh Nagar, Jalandhar.

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer
O/o MC, Jalandhar.

First Appellate Authority
O/o MC, Jalandhar.

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 454 of 2019
Date of Institution: 21.01.2019
Date of Decision: 08.07.2019

Present: Nobody on behalf of the appellant.
For the respondent: Ms. Pooja (Building Inspector)

ORDER

1. This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 20.05.2019.
2. Respondent, Ms. Pooja states that no deficiency has been pointed out by the appellant in the supplied information.
3. Neither the appellant, Sh. Simranjit Singh is present for today's hearing nor did he file any reply in this regard. He was also absent on the previous hearings held on 08.04.2019 and 20.05.2019.
4. After hearing the respondent and examining the case file, it is observed that on the previous hearing held on 20.05.2019, last opportunity was given to the appellant to represent this case and matter was adjourned for 08.07.2019 i.e. today but the appellant failed to do so.
5. As no deficiency has been pointed out by the appellant in the supplied information, it is presumed that he is satisfied with the supplied information and does not want to pursue this case. Therefore, no further cause of action is left in this case. Hence, the instant appeal case is **disposed of & closed.**
6. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties.

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Sh. Kuldeep Singh
Sohia Road, Rajgarh Colony,
Ward No. 7, Sangrur.

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer
O/o DEO (SE) Sangrur.

First Appellate Authority
O/o DEO (SE) Sangrur.

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 499 of 2019

Present: Sh. Kuldeep Singh, the appellant in person.
Nobody on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

1. This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 20.05.2019.
2. Appellant, Sh. Kuldeep Singh states that requisite information is still pending from the respondent PIO. He added that respondent, O/o DEO, Sangrur approached him through telephonic message to take some more time.
3. Neither the respondent PIO is present for today's hearing nor did he file any reply in this regard.
4. After hearing the appellant and examining the case file, it is observed that respondent PIO was also absent on the previous hearings held on 08.04.2019 and 20.05.2019. On the request of the appellant, a last and final opportunity is given to the respondent PIO to represent this case in person on the next date of hearing along with directions to supply the point-wise reply/information to the appellant, as per the queries raised by the appellant in his RTI application before the next date of hearing positively.
5. Matter is adjourned for further hearing on **30.07.2019 at 11:00 A.M.**
6. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties through **registered post**.

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Sh. Kuldeep Singh
Sohia Road, Rajgarh Colony,
Ward No. 7, Sangrur.

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer
O/o Principal Secretary,
School Education, Punjab,
Chandigarh.

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

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 505 of 2019

Present: Sh. Kuldeep Singh, the appellant in person.
For the respondent: Ms. Sharanjeet Kaur (PIO).

ORDER

1. This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 20.05.2019.
2. Respondent, Ms. Sharanjeet Kaur states that reply has already been supplied to the appellant. She added that 4 files related with point no. 1 of the RTI application are missing.
3. Appellant, Sh. Kuldeep Singh states that requisite information is still pending from the respondent PIO.
4. After hearing both the parties and examining the case file, respondent PIO is directed to file an affidavit before the Commission as per queries raised by the appellant in his RTI application. Respondent PIO is also directed to appear in person on the next date of hearing, failing to which stern action will be initiated against him/her.
5. Appellant, Sh. Kuldeep Singh is advised to visit the respondent's office and inspect the available record as per the respondent, Ms. Sharanjeet Kaur on 22.07.2019 and respondent PIO make sure appellant inspected the record as per the RTI application of the present case i.e. AC:505 of 2019.
6. Matter is adjourned for further hearing on **30.07.2019 at 11:00 A.M.**
7. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties through **registered post.**

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Sh. Kuldeep Singh
Sohia Road, Rajgarh Colony,
Ward No. 7, Sangrur.

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer
O/o Superintendent, Education
Branch -2, Education Department,
Punjab, Chandigarh.

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

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 509 of 2019

Present: Sh. Kuldeep Singh, the appellant in person.
Foe the respondent: Ms. Sharanjeet Kaur (PIO).

ORDER

1. This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 29.042019.
2. Appellant, Sh. Kuldeep Singh states that requisite information is still pending from the respondent PIO.
3. Respondent, Ms. Sharanjeet Kaur is present for today's hearing.
4. After hearing the appellant and examining the case file, appellant is advised to visit the respondent's office and inspect the official record on 22.07.2019 and respondent PIO make sure appellant inspected the record as per the RTI application of the present case i.e. AC:509 of 2019.
5. Matter is adjourned for further hearing on **30.07.2019 at 11:00 A.M.**
6. Announced in the Court. Copy of the order to be sent to the parties through **registered post**.

Chandigarh
08.07.2019

(Dr. Pawan Kumar Singla)
State Information Commissioner