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Sh Harnek Singh Bhari,
H.E.155, Phase-1,
Mohali-16055

.....Complainant.

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Deputy Chief Executive Officer,
Zila Parishad, Fatehgarh Sahib.

.....Respondent

CC .No. 1190 of 2018

Present : (i) Sh. Harnek Singh the complainant
(ii) for the respondent : Sh. Sohan Singh, Clerk

ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated 14.08.2018 whereby the information-seeker has sought information as mentioned in his RTI application. He filed complaint in the Commission on 12.11.2018 under Section 18 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice was issued to the parties for hearing for 09.01.2019 in the Commission

3. Respondent states that the information has already been sent to the complainant. The complainant states that he is not satisfied with the information provided.

4. After hearing both the parties, it is ascertained that the complainant is not satisfied with the information provided. **Sh. Harkawaljit Singh, Deputy CEO,** is directed to come present on the next date of hearing alongwith complete information.

5. To come up on **30.01.2019 at 11.00 AM.** Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Chandigarh
Dated: 09.01.2019

Sd/-
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State Information Commissioner

Through registered post

CC: Sh. Harkawaljit Singh, Deputy CEO, O/o Deputy Chief Executive Officer, Zila Parishad, Fatehgarh Sahib.

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Sh Harnek Singh Bhari,
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Mohali-16055

.....Complainant.

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Addl DC (Development)-cum-Addl.
District Program Co-ordinator,
Fatehgarh Sahib

.....Respondent

CC .No. 1189 of 2018

Present : (i) Sh. Harnek Singh the complainant
(ii) For the respondent : Sh.Rajeev Kumar, APIO, Sh.Jasbir Singh, VDO

ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated 29.08.2018 whereby the information-seeker has sought information as mentioned in his RTI application. He filed complaint in the Commission on 12.11.2018 under Section 18 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice was issued to the parties for hearing for 09.01.2019 in the Commission.

3. Respondent states that he has brought the information today in the Commission, which is handed over to the complainant.

4. The complainant has gone through the same and is satisfied. Since , the information has been given to the complainant, no cause of action is left. The complaint filed by the complainant is therefore **disposed of and closed**. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

Chandigarh
Dated: 09.01.2019

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Sh Gurdip Singh Dhingi,
S/o Sh Harnam Singh,
R/o Ward No.1, House No.390,
Dharampura Mohalla, Dhuri,
Distt Sangrur

.....Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o BDPO, Dhuri,
Distt Sangrur
First Appellate Authority –cum
BDPO, Dhuri, Distt Sangrur

.....Respondent

AC.No. 3812 of 2018

Present : (i) Sh. Gurdeep Singh Dhingi the appellant
(ii) for the respondent : Sh.Nirpal Singh, Panchayat Secretary

ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated 31.10.2017 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 12.11.2018 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).
2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 09.01.2019 in the Commission.
3. Respondent states that information has already been sent to the appellant.
4. The appellant states that incomplete information has been given by the respondent.
5. Respondent is directed to send complete information to the appellant within one week. Respondent has agreed to provide the same within week.
6. To come up on **30.01.2019 at 11.00 AM**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Chandigarh
Dated: 09.01.2019

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Smt Rajinder Kaur,
D/o Late Sh Bal Mukand Sharma,
H.No-1174/A, Street No.9/R,
Dogar Basti, Faridkot-151203

.....Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o DDPO, Faridkot
First Appellate Authority –cum
O/o DC, Faridkot

.....Respondent

AC.No. 3833 of 2018

Present : (i) None is present on behalf of the appellant.
(ii) for the respondent : Smt.Navjot Kaur, Sr. Assistant

ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated 02.07.2018 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 12.11.2018 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).
2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 09.01.2019 in the Commission
3. The appellant is absent today. She has sent a letter stating that she is unable to attend the hearing.
4. Respondent states that the information has already been sent to the appellant. She further adds that some information is third party information.
5. Today is the first date of hearing and the appellant is absent, therefore one more opportunity is given to the appellant to appear before the Commission and state her case. Smt. Rajinder Kaur, DDPO is directed to come present on the next date of hearing alongwith complete information.
6. To come up on **31.01.2019 at 11.00 AM**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Chandigarh
Dated: 09.01.2019

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Sh Jagmeet Singh,
S/o Sh Sukhminder Singh,
R/o Village Ratta Tibba,
Tehsil- Malout,
Distt Sri Muktsar Sahib

.....Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o BDPO, Malout,
Distt Sri Mukatsar Sahib
First Appellate Authority –cum
O/o DDPO,
Sri Mukatsar Sahib

.....Respondent

AC.No. 3822 of 2018

Present : (i) Sh. Jagmeet Singh the appellant
(ii) None is present on behalf of the respondent

ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated 04.05.2018 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 12.07.2018 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 09.01.2019 in the Commission

3. Sh. Jagmeet Singh the appellant stated that no response whatsoever has been received from the respondents till date. No one has put in appearance on behalf of the respondents nor has any communication been received from them. In the interest of justice, Respondent PIO is afforded one more opportunity to provide the appellant point-wise complete specific information, duly attested, free of cost, by registered post, in accordance with his RTI application and present a photocopy of the relevant postal receipt along with a copy of the information provided, before the Commission on the next date fixed, for its perusal and records. Respondents to note that in case no one comes present on their behalf on the next date fixed, punitive provisions of the RTI Act, 2005 may be invoked against the erring officer(s).

AC.No. 3822 of 2018

4. To come up on **31.01.2019 at 11.00 AM**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Chandigarh
Dated: 09.01.2019

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Sh Gurcharan Singh,
S/o S.Ran Singh,
Village Bhama Kalan,
PO Uppal, Tehsil & Distt:Ludhiana

.....Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o BDPO,Ludhiana-2,
Ludhiana

First Appellate Authority –cum
O/o DDPO, Ludhiana

.....Respondent

AC.No. 3843 of 2018

Present : (i) Sh. Gurcharan Singh the appellant
(ii) None is present on behalf of the respondent

ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated 21.08.2018 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 12.11.2018 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 09.01.2019 in the Commission

3. Sh. Gurcharan Singh- the appellant stated that no response whatsoever has been received from the respondents till date. No one has put in appearance on behalf of the respondents nor has any communication been received from them. In the interest of justice, Respondent PIO is afforded one more opportunity to provide the appellant point-wise complete specific information, duly attested, free of cost, by registered post, in accordance with his RTI application and present a photocopy of the relevant postal receipt along with a copy of the information provided, before the Commission on the next date fixed, for its perusal and records. Respondents to note that in case no one comes present on their behalf on the next date fixed, punitive provisions of the RTI Act, 2005 may be invoked against the erring officer(s).

AC.No. 3843 of 2018

2. To come up on **31.01.2019 at 11.00 AM**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Chandigarh
Dated: 09.01.2019

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Sh Balkar Singh,
S/o Sh Jarnail Singh,
R/o Baba Deep Singh Nagar,
Ward No.10, Gali No.-3,
Mahavir Nagar, Teh:Malout,
Distt-Sri Muktsar Sahib -152107

.....Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o BDPO, Malout,
Distt Sri Mukatsar Sahib

First Appellate Authority –cum
DDPO, Sri Mukatsar Sahib

.....Respondent

AC.No. 3741 of 2018

Present : None for the parties

ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated 14.06.2018 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 01.08.2018 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 05.11.2018 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).
2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 09.01.2019 in the Commission.
3. Today neither the appellant nor the respondent is present. The appellant has sent a letter that he is unable to attend today's hearing.
4. This is the first date of hearing, therefore, one more opportunity is given to both the parties to appear before the Commission and state their case.
5. To come up on **31.01.2019 at 11.00 AM**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Chandigarh
Dated: 09.01.2019

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Sh Bahadur Singh,
S/o Sh Nirmal Singh,
Village Kurara, Mohali

.....Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o DC, Mohali
First Appellate Authority –cum
O/o ADC(Development), Mohali

.....Respondent

AC.No. 3821 of 2018

Present : (i) Sh. Bahadur Singh the appellant
(ii) For the respondent: Sh. Harmesh Singh, VDO-cum-Panchayat
Secretary

ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated 19.06.2018 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 12.11.2018 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 09.01.2019 in the Commission

3. The appellant Sh. Bahadur Singh states that no information has been given to him so far.

4. Respondent states that the information has already been sent to the appellant. He has also brought another copy of the information in the Commission.

5. After hearing both the parties, it is observed that wrong information has been given to the appellant. A perusal of the file shows that the appellant filed RTI on 19.06.2018, but after lapse of more than six months, wrong information has been given to the appellant. This shows that the respondent-PIO has no regard for the RTI regime.

6. Such kind of behavior of the Government employee needs to be condemned and such employees need to be taught a good lesson so that rest of the employees have a right kind of message and wake up and perform their duties under the RTI Act for ensuring complete transparency and due accountability in the governance affairs of the public authorities.

7. Looking at the lackadaisical and highly irresponsible attitude of the respondent, **Sh.Ranjit Singh Bains, BDPO-cum-PIO, Kharar** is directed to show cause as to why penalty @ 250/-per day be not imposed upon her under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act for not sending the information to the appellant within the statutorily period.
8. The respondent-PIO is directed to file a written point-wise reply in this regard before the next date of hearing with a copy to the appellant.
9. He may also make use of the next date of hearing for her personal hearing as well under the principles of natural justice.
10. To come up on **30.01.2019 at 11.00 AM**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

**Chandigarh
Dated: 09.01.2019**

**(Preety Chawla)
State Information Commissioner**

Through registered post

CC: Sh. Ranjit Singh Bains, BDPO, Kharar

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Sh Joginder Singh,
S/o Sh Jarnail Singh,
R/o Village Araimajra, POMauradi,
Tehsil Samana, Distt Patiala

.....Complainant.

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o BDPO, Samana,
Distt Patiala

.....Respondent

CC .No. 1187 of 2018

Present : (i) Sh. Joginder Singh, Complainant.
(ii) None for the Respondent.

ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated 14.08.2018 whereby the information-seeker has sought information as mentioned in his RTI application. He filed complaint in the Commission on 12.11.2018 under Section 18 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).
2. Notice was issued to the parties for hearing for 09.01.2019 in the Commission.
3. The complainant -Sh. Joginder Singh states that no information has been given to him so far.
4. No one has appeared on behalf of the Respondent today.
5. The perusal of the file shows that the complainant filed his RTI on 14.08.2018 with the PIO, o/o BDPO, Samana, Distt. Patiala, but no information has been given to him so far after lapse of more than four months. Even today neither has anyone appeared on behalf of the Respondent nor they have filed any reply, which shows that the respondent-PIO has no regard for the RTI regime. This is indeed a serious matter.
6. In view of the foregoing, Respondent is directed to show cause as to:-
 - (i) Why supply of information as per RTI request sent to him has been delayed.

- (ii) Why penalty be not imposed upon him for not supplying the information within time as prescribed under RTI Act 2005.

CC .No. 1187 of 2018

7. Respondent-PIO is directed to file an affidavit in this regard before the next date of hearing. He is also directed to supply complete information to the complainant before the next date of hearing.

8. To come up on **30.01.2019 at 11:00 AM**. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

Chandigarh
Dated: 08.01.2019

Sd/-
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State Information Commissioner

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Sh Surjit Lal,
S/o Sh Sarwan Singh,
R/o Village Aujala, Tehsil Phillaur,
Distt-Jalandhar

.....Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o BDPO, Noormahil

First Appellate Authority –cum
O/o DDPO, Jalandhar

.....Respondent

AC.No. 3824 of 2018

Present : (i) Sh. Surjit Lal, Appellant alongwith Sh Vikki Sharma, Advocate
(ii) None on behalf of the Respondent.

ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated 13.07.2018 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 12.11.2018 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 09.01.2019 in the Commission.

3. Today no one has appeared on behalf of the appellant.

4. The Appellant states that no information has been provided to him so far.

5. After hearing the appellant, it is observed that no information has been provided to him so far. The Respondent is not present today and this the first date of hearing, therefore, one opportunity is given to the Respondent to appear before the Commission and state his case. Further, the Respondent is also directed to provide complete information to the Appellant before the next date of hearing, failing which action u/s 20(1) of the RTI Act will be initiated.

6. To come up on **31.01.2019 at 11:00 AM**. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Chandigarh
Dated: 09.01.2019

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Sh Prem Singh,
S/o Sh Jaspal Singh,
VPO Amarpura, Tehsil Abohar,
Distt Fazilka

.....Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o DDPO, Fazilka
First Appellate Authority –cum
O/o Director, rural Development & Panchayat,
Mohali

.....Respondent

AC.No. 3844 of 2018

Present : (i) None for the Appellant.
(ii) For the Respondent: Sh Arun Jindal, DDPO and Sh Rakesh Kumar,
clerk

ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated 19.06.2018 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 12.11.2018 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 09.01.2019 in the Commission.

3. The Appellant is not present today. However, an e-mail has been received from him mentioning therein that he shall not be able to attend the hearing today.

4. The Respondent files his affidavit, which is as under:-

"1- That whatever the information has been asked/sought by the appellant in his R.T.I Application has been replied to him vide letter No. RTI/269 dated 09/08/19 and the reply was NIL. The copy of the said letter enclosed herewith."

5. I have gone through the affidavit and have agreed with it.
6. In view of the foregoing, no further cause of action is left. Therefore, the Appeal case filed by the Appellant is **disposed off and closed**. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Chandigarh
Dated: 09.01.2019

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House No. B-IV/ 922, Old Radha Swami, Street
Barnala - 148101

..... Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
o/o Tehsildar Barnala
First Appellate Authority
o/o SDM, Barnala

..... Respondent

AC.No. 3386 of 2018

Present : (i) Sh Joginder Singh, Appellant.
(ii) For the Respondent:- Sh Harbans Singh, Tehsildar.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 19.12.2018

2. The Appellant states that complete information has not been provided to him so far.

3. The Respondent states that the information, as exists, in the official record has already been provided to the Appellant. For the rest of the information the Appellant is advised that since the Government has fixed the revenue fees to procure such information, he should pay the fees and get the information from the Sewa Kendra.

4. After hearing both the parties and gone through the file, it is ascertained that the information, as exists, in the official record has already been provided to the Appellant. Regarding remaining information, the Government has fixed the revenue fee, therefore, the Appellant is advised to obtain the same from Sewa Kendra.

5. In view of the foregoing, no further cause of action is left. Therefore, the Appeal case filed by the Appellant is **disposed off and closed**. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties

Chandigarh
Dated: 09.01.2018

Sd/-
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