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FINAL ORDER

Rakesh Kumar Gupta (Advocate),

S/o Des Raj Gupta, # 8/237, Jagraon Road, Mandi Mullanpur, Ludhiana – 141 101

Versus

Public Information Officer, o/o Senior Superintendent of Police Ludhiana (Rural), Jagraon, Ludhiana – 142 026 First Appellate Authority, o/o Deputy Inspector General of Police Ludhiana Range, Near Old Courts, Ludhiana – 141 001

Appeal Case No. 447 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)

PRESENT: (Appellant) Absent ASI Nirmal Kumar (for the Respondent) 94678-49623

ORDER:

(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on **7.2.2020**, **26.2.2020**, **2.7.2020**, **4.9.2020**, **3.12.2020**, **11.2.2021**, and **6.10.2021**)

1. The RTI application is dated **20.1.2020** vide which the appellant has sought information **pertaining to complaints / representations against the appellant by residents of Mullanpur-Dakha in the month of May/June 2018 and thereafter,** as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **24.1.2020** and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on **28.1.2020** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. The case was last heard on **6.10.2021**.

2. The appellant is absent. The respondent PIO, as directed at the last hearing on 6.10.2021, submitted a copy of affidavit Dated 22.11.2021, which was sent to the appellant vide Letter No. 572/RTI Dated 22.11.2021. The respondent PIO has also resubmitted copies of earlier correspondence and information earlier provided to the appellant.

3. In view of the above, this Commission is of the view that this RTI application has been adequately addressed. There is no further cause for action and this Appeal Case is herewith **CLOSED**.

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FINAL ORDER

Gagandeep Singh Threeke (RTI Activist),

SCO-26, Shant Park, Main Sua Road, Threeke, Ludhiana – 142 028

Versus

Public Information Officer

o/o Greater Ludhiana Area Development Authority (GLADA), GLADA Complex, Near Rajguru Nagar, Ferozepur Road, Ludhiana. **First Appellate Authority,** o/o Chief Administrator, Greater Ludhiana Area Development Authority (GLADA), Ludhiana.

Appeal Case No. 542 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)

PRESENT: (Appellant) Absent (Respondent) Absent

ORDER:

(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on **2.7.2020**, **4.9.2020**, **3.12.2020**, **11.2.2021**, **and 6.10.2021**)

1. The RTI application is dated **9.9.2019** vide which the appellant has sought information regarding properties under GLADA situated along Ferozepur Road beyond the jurisdiction of Municipal Corporation, as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **14.10.2019** and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on **29.1.20** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. The case was last heard on **6.10.2021**.

2. Both parties are absent. The appellant has however, informed the Commission that he has received all the requested information and is satisfied with it.

3. There is no further cause for action and this Appeal Case is herewith **<u>CLOSED</u>**.

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FINAL ORDER

Surjit Kumar (Ex-Panch) President, Safe Ludhiana Welfare Society (Regd), #1853, Bazigar Basti, Bhai Bala Colony, Village Daad, Pakhowal Road, Ludhiana.

Versus

Public Information Officer,

o/o Environmental Engineer, Punjab Pollution Control Board (PPCB), Regional Office -2, E-648-B, 3rd Floor, Phase-5, Focal Point, Ludhiana – 141 010. **First Appellate Authority** o/o Chief Environmental Engineer Punjab Pollution Control Board, Zonal Office -1, E-648-B, Phase-5, Focal Point, Ludhiana – 141010

Appeal Case Nos. 806 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)

PRESENT: (Appellant) Absent Vijay Kumar, PIO-cum-Environmental Engineer (Respondent) 98789-42031

ORDER:

(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on 4.9.2020, 3.12.2020, 11.2.2021, and 6.10.2021)

1. The RTI application is dated **29.8.19** vide which the appellant has sought information **pertaining to given, audit reports submitted by, and raids etc. conducted on large and medium, red and orange category industries in the jurisdictional area of the PPCB at Ludhiana** as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **31.10.19** and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on **19.2.2020** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. The case was last heard on **6.10.2021**.

2. The appellant is absent but has informed the Commission that he has not received the requested information as was directed in this Commission's Order of 11.2.2021. However, in a reply to said Order vide Letter No. 297 dated 29.4.2022, the respondent PIO-cum-Environmental Engineer, RO-2, Ludhiana, has submitted a detailed pointwise reply which has also endorsed to the appellant at his given residential address.

3. The Commission has examined both the RTI application and the reply of PIO and is of the view that this RTI application has been adequately addressed. There is no further cause for action and this Appeal Case is herewith <u>CLOSED</u>.

Sd/-(ASIT JOLLY) State Information Commissioner, Punjab. Chandigarh 11.5.2022

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FINAL ORDER

Surjit Kumar (Ex-Panch)

President, Safe Ludhiana Welfare Society (Regd), #1853, Bazigar Basti, Bhai Bala Colony, Village Daad, Pakhowal Road, Ludhiana.

Versus

Public Information Officer,

o/o Environmental Engineer, Punjab Pollution Control Board (PPCB), Regional Office -2, E-648-B, 3rd Floor, Phase-5, Focal Point, Ludhiana-141010. **First Appellate Authority** o/o Chief Environmental Engineer Punjab Pollution Control Board, Zonal Office -1, E-648-B, Phase-5, Focal Point, Ludhiana – 141 010.

Appeal Case Nos. 807 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)

PRESENT: (Appellant) Absent Vijay Kumar, PIO-cum-Environmental Engineer (Respondent) 98789-42031

ORDER:

(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on 4.9.2020, 3.12.2020, 11.2.2021, and 6.10.2021)

1. The RTI application is dated **29.8.19** vide which the appellant has sought information **pertaining to given, audit reports submitted by, and raids etc. conducted on Teg Forgings & Stampings, Jugiana, Ludhiana** as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **31.10.19** and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on **19.2.2020** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. The case was last heard on **6.10.2021**.

2. The appellant is absent but has emailed this Commission to state that the information provided to him with respect to point no. 2 has not been attested. The respondent PIO-cum-Environment Engineer, RO-2, Vijay Kumar, present in person, however, states that the documents appended to his reply vide Letter No. 294 Dated 28.4.2022 are available on the website of the Punjab Pollution Control Board (<u>www.ocmms.nic.in</u>) In view of the above, the appellant's contention that said documents is deemed infructuous.

3. The Commission is of the view that this RTI application is now being adequately addressed. There is no further cause for action and this Appeal Case is herewith <u>CLOSED</u>.

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FINAL ORDER

Kamaljeet Singh,

S/o Gurcharan Singh, VPO Kalakh, Tehsil & District Ludhiana

Versus

Public Information Officer,

o/o Sub Divisional Officer, Punjab State Power Corporation Limited (PSPCL), Narangwal, Ludhiana. **First Appellant Authority,** o/o Chief Engineer, Punjab State Power Corporation Limited (PSPCL), Ludhiana.

Appeal Case No. 1019 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)

PRESENT: (Appellant) Absent Balwinder Singh, SDO (for the respondent) **96461-11563**

ORDER:

(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on 23.9.2020, 12.11.2020, 15.1.2021, and 13.8.2021)

1. The RTI application is dated **21.11.2019** vide which the appellant has sought information **regarding permission granted to Assistant Lineman Sital Singh for purchase of house, motorcycle etc.,** as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **27.12.2019** and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on **5.3.2020** under Section 19 of the Right to Information. The case was last heard on **13.8.2021**.

2. The appellant is absent. As directed at the last hearing on 13.8.2021, the respondent PIO has, vide Letter No. 982/83 Dated 23.8.2021, provided attested copies of the information pertaining to points 5 and 6 of the RTI application. A copy of the same has also been received in the Commission.

3. In view of the respondent PIO's reply, there is no further cause for action and this Appeal Case is herewith <u>CLOSED</u>.

Sd/-(ASIT JOLLY) State Information Commissioner, Punjab.

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FINAL ORDER

Manjinder Singh,

S/o Jita Singh, # 2469, Sunny Enclave, Sector-125, Kharar, Mohali – 140 301

Versus

Public Information Officer,

o/o Punjab Pollution Control Board (PPCB), Regional Office-III, Savitri Complex-1, 3rd Floor, Dholewal Chowk, G.T. Road, Ludhiana. **First Appellate Authority,** o/o Punjab Pollution Control Board (PPCB), Regional Office-III, Savitri Complex-1, 3rd Floor, Dholewal Chowk, G.T. Road, Ludhiana.

Appeal Case No. 2524 of 2020 (Video Conference Proceedings)

PRESENT: (Appellant) Absent Malkit Singh, JE from RO 3 (for the Respondent) 98147-541569

ORDER:

(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on 11.2.2021 and 6.10.2021)

1. The RTI application is dated **8.6.2020** vide which the appellant has sought information **regarding water audit of dyeing units of Ludhiana.** as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **21.7.2020** and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on **8.9.2020** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. The case was last heard on **6.10.2021**.

2. The appellant is absent but has informed the Commission vide email Dated 2.2.2022, that he has received the pending information pertaining to point 2 of the RTI application. At the last hearing on 6.10.2021, the Commission had directed to arrange an inspection of the record with respect to point no. 4 following which he was supplied 26 pages by way of information.

3. There is no further cause for action and this Appeal Case is herewith **<u>CLOSED</u>**.

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FINAL ORDER

Charanjit Singh, S/o Kartar Singh, Village Hambran, Ludhiana.

Versus

Public Information Officer, o/o Sub Divisional Officer, PSPCL, Hambran, Ludhiana. First Appellate Authority, o/o Additional Superintendent Engineer, PSPCL Mullanpur-Dakha, Ludhiana.

Appeal Case No. 3119 of 2019 (Video Conference Proceedings)

PRESENT: (Appellant) Absent Deepak Kumar, Revenue Accountant (for the Respondent) 99880-79255

ORDER:

(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on 6.1.2021, 11.8.2021, and 16.12.2021)

1. The RTI application is dated **30.6.2020** vide which the appellant has sought information **regarding tube well connections given under the MP/MLA quota in Hambran village etc.**, as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **30.8.2020** and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on **20.10.2020** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. The case was last heard on **16.12.2021**.

2. The appellant is absent. The respondent PIO, represented by Deepak Kumar, Revenue Accountant, states that the appellant had not submitted any list of specific deficiencies as he was advised vide the Commission's Order of 16.12.2021. With regard to the appellant's earlier objection pertaining to point no. 3 of his RTI application, whereby he has sought copy of *ikraranama* (agreement) between the Village Panchayat and the Electricity Department, the respondent has already submitted that the requested information is not available in his office.

3. In view of the above, this Commission feels that this RTI application has been adequately addressed. There is no further cause for action and this Appeal Case is herewith <u>CLOSED</u>.

Sd/-(ASIT JOLLY) State Information Commissioner, Punjab.

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FINAL ORDER

Surjit Singh, S/o Sh. Kulvir Singh, # 2990/76, Street No. 4, Guru Gobind Singh Nagar, Near Mair Di Chakki, Post Office Daba, Lohara Road, Ludhiana-141003

Versus

Public Information Officer, o/o Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana. First Appellate Authority, o/o Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana. Appeal Case No. 707 of 2021 (Video Conference Proceedings)

PRESENT: (Appellant) Absent (Respondent) Absent

ORDER: (To be read in continuity with earlier orders on **6.10.2021**)

1. The RTI application is dated **3.10.2020** vide which the appellant has sought information **regarding a complaint bearing Diary No. 2725-PS-R Dated 26.10.2020, pertaining to Zone C Block 29**, as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **3.12.2020** and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on **3.6.2021** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. The case was last heard on **6.10.2021**.

2. Both parties are absent. As directed at the last hearing on 6.10.2021, the respondent PIO has submitted a copy of the reply sent to the appellant vide Letter No. 923 Dated 14.10.2021, along with duly attested copies of all the information that was supplied without attestation earlier.

3. In view of the above, there is no further cause for action and this Appeal Case is herewith **<u>CLOSED</u>**.

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FINAL ORDER

Tejinder Singh, Civil Court, Tehsil Complex, Backside Sanjh Kender,

Phillaur, District Jalandhar. Versus **Public Information officer,** o/o Municipal Council, Jagraon, Ludhiana. **First Appellate Authority,** o/o Deputy Director, Local Govt., Ludhiana.

Appeal Case No. 1113 of 2021 (Video Conference Proceedings)

PRESENT: (Appellant) Absent Charanjit Singh, Building Inspector (for the Respondent) 82888-55640

ORDER:

(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on 11.11.2021)

1. The RTI application is dated **20.9.2020** vide which the appellant has sought information regarding licenses issued to rehris and rickshaws; rental property hired out by Nagar Council Jagraon, as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **12.12.2020** and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on **1.3.2021** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. The case was last heard on **11.11.2021**.

2. At the last hearing on 11.11.2021, the respondent PIO was directed to send a copy of his reply and the appended information to the appellant by registered post under intimation to this Commission. The respondent PIO has complied with said direction and has intimated the Commission vide email of 13.1.2022.

3. In view of the above, there is no further cause for action and this Appeal Case is herewith **<u>CLOSED</u>**.

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FINAL ORDER

Gulshan Kumar,

S/o Sh. Roop Lal, # 1525/1, Street No. 33, Preet Nagar, Shimlapuri, Ludhiana.

Versus

Public Information Officer, o/o Commissioner (O & M Cell), Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana. First Appellate Authority, o/o Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana.

Appeal Case No. 218 of 2021 (Video Conference Proceedings)

PRESENT: (Appellant) Absent Amandeep Singh, SDO from Zone-C (for the Respondent) 99888-30795

ORDER:

(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on 26.8.2021 and 19.10.2021)

1. The RTI application is dated **4.9.2020** vide which the appellant has sought information **regarding plumbers, new water connections in in all four zones of MC Ludhiana etc.,** as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **7.10.2020** and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on **28.12.2020** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. The case was last heard on **19.10.2021**.

2. The respondent PIO, O&M Cell, Zone C, has submitted copy of the reply sent to the appellant vide Letter No. 60 Dated 10.5.2022, wherein the deficiencies listed by him have been addressed. The PIOs for other 3 Zones namely A, B, and D have not submitted any reply to the listed deficiencies. However, this Commission notes that the appellant Sh. Gulshan Kumar is absent today for the third successive hearing. In the interim, he has also not made any written submission to the Commission.

3. In view of the above, the Commission deems it fit to **<u>Dispose of and CLOSE this Appeal</u>** <u>Case</u>.

Sd/-(ASIT JOLLY) State Information Commissioner, Punjab.

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FINAL ORDER

Baljeet Singh,

S/o Sh. Bachan Singh, # 64-H, B.R.S. Nagar, Ludhiana-141012

Versus

Public Information Officer, o/o Improvement Trust, Ludhiana. First Appellate Authority, o/o Improvement Trust, Ludhiana.

Appeal Case No. 2597 of 2021 (Video Conference Proceedings)

PRESENT: Baljeet Singh (Appellant) 76965-00015 Parminder Singh, Junior Engineer (for the Respondent) 99140-00387

ORDER:

(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on **6.10.2021**)

1. The RTI application is dated **17.2.2021** vide which the appellant has sought information **regarding the Leisure Valley in BRS Nagar Sidhwan Canal, Ludhiana**, as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **23.3.2021** and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on **3.6.2021** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. The case was last heard on **6.10.2021**.

2. Both parties are present. As per the appellant, he has now received the complete information and is satisfied with it. The respondent PIO represented by Parminder Singh, Junior Engineer, has also submitted copy of an earlier reply sent to the appellant vide Letter No. 587 Dated 2.11.2021, along with some of the requested information.

3. In view of the appellant's statement, there is no further cause for action and this Appeal Case is herewith **<u>CLOSED</u>**.

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FINAL ORDER

Mohit Garu, S/o Sh. Dalip Kumar,

B-2-698/6-E, Chhawani Mohalla, Ludhiana.

Versus

Public Information Officer, o/o Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana. First Appellate Authority, o/o Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana.

Appeal Case No. 195 of 2021 (Video Conference Proceedings)

PRESENT: (Appellant) Absent (Respondent) Absent

ORDER:

(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on 26.8.2021 and 19.10.2021)

1. The RTI application is dated **19.10.2020** vide which the appellant has sought information **regarding sweepers in Ward No. 77 and 78 on 70% etc.,** as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **24.11.2020** and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on **28.12.2020** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. The case was last heard on **19.10.2021**.

2. Both parties are absent. At the last hearing on 19.10.2021, the respondent PIO was directed to submit a fresh, written reply along with remaining information to the appellant with a copy to this Commission. As per his email of 12.11.2021, the respondent has submitted said reply along with the pending information by way of date of joining of the sweepers. This RTI application has been adequately addressed.

3. There is no further cause for action and this Appeal Case is herewith **CLOSED**.

Sd/-(ASIT JOLLY) State Information Commissioner, Punjab.