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Er. Arun Garg 9517578970

H.No. 40-41, Central Town, Village DAD,
PO Lalton Kalan, District Ludhiana 142022

....Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer
o/o Sub Divisional Magistrate (West),
Ludhiana

First Appellate Authority
o/o Deputy Commissioner,
District Ludhiana

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 2969 of 2020
(Cisco Webex proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Arun Garg, appellant.
Sh. Baljeet Singh, Steno o/o SDM, West Ludhiana 8427220003 on behalf of
the respondents.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 5.3.2020 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter called FAA) on 25.6.2020 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 7.10.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today.

2. The appellant states that he has received the information but there are ambiguities. However, the representative of the respondents states that the information as available on record has already been sent to the appellant vide No. 1443 dated 31.12.2020. He further states that the appellant may inspect the record pertaining to the RTI application with which the appellant agreed to. With the mutual understanding the date of inspection has been fixed on 18.1.2021 at 11.00 AM in the office of the Sub Divisional Magistrate (West), Ludhiana.

3. Accordingly, the appellant is advised to visit the office of the respondents and get the record inspected pertaining to the RTI application on the said date and time. Also the respondents are directed to make available the record for inspection on the said date and time and supply the documents, if so identified by the appellant.

4. To come up on 24.2.2021 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, District Ludhiana/cisco webex.

Sd/

Dated: 12.1.2021

(Suresh Arora)

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Sh. Pal Singh, Advocate 9814187521
Chamber No. 32 B, Judicial Court complex,
Rupnagar.

....Appellant

vs

Public Information Officer
o/o the Block Development and Panchayats Officer,
Rupnagar.

First Appellate Authority,
o/o the District Development and Panchayats Officer,
Rupnagar.

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 2853 of 2020
(Video Conference Proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Pal Singh, appellant.
Sh. Sunil Kumar 7307284285, Sh. Kamal Singh, Sarpanch on behalf of the
respondents.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 16.12.2020.

2. The appellant states that no information has been provided by the respondents so far. However, the representative of the respondents Sh. Sunil Kumar states that the record is in the custody of the Sarpanch and the Sarpanch, Sh. Kamal Singh states that complete information pertaining to the RTI application of the appellant will be supplied with a week.

3. Accordingly, the case is adjourned with the directions to the respondent-Public Information Officer/Sarpanch to supply the complete information to the appellant pertaining to the RTI application as per the assurance given by him, failing which the punitive action will be initiated.

4. To come up on 27.1.2021 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Rupnagar/cisco webex.

Dated: 12.1.2021

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Sh. Gurdeep Singh 9855370551
Village Mohakam Arai, Tehsil Jalalabad,
Fazilka.

....Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer
o/o Block Development and Panchayats Officer,
Jalalabad (West) Fazilka

First Appellate Authority
o/o District Development and Panchayats Officer,
Fazilka

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 2961 of 2020
(Video Conference Proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Gurdeep Singh, appellant.
Sh. Surjit Singh, Panchayat Secretary 9478715200 on behalf of the
respondents.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 27.5.2020 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter called FAA) on 5.8.2020 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 7.10.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today.

2. The appellant states that he has received the complete information except the expenditure during 2019-20, funds pertaining to JRY scheme during the year 2019-20, income from auction of panchayat land during the last two years i.e. 2018-2019 and 2019-2020 and the Utilization certificates of the said period. The representative of the respondents assured that the information will be supplied to the appellant before the next date of hearing.

3. Accordingly, the case is adjourned with the directions to the respondent-Public Information Officer to file the reply/supply the information as per para 2 above before the next date of hearing failing which the punitive action will be initiated.

4. To come up on 22.2.2021 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Fazilka.

Dated: 12.1.2021

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Sh. Sarbjit Singh, (M 9888490031)
Whistle Blower Social Worker,
H.No. S60-35, P 376-1, Street No. 8,
Maha Singh Nagar, PO DhandarKalan,
Ludhiana.

..Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
o/o, Deputy Commissioner,
Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,
o/o, Deputy Commissioner,
Ludhiana.

Sh. Ashwani Sahota, Chief Sanitary Inspector (Registered)
Public Information Officer
o/o The Comm., M.C.,
Ludhiana.

..Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1175 of 2020

(Video Conference Proceedings)

Present:- None on behalf of the appellant.

Dr. Vipul Malhotra 9780011515 on behalf of the respondents.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 13.11.2020.

2. Due to the absence of the appellant, an attempt was made to contact him on phone and the father of the appellant, informed that the wife of the appellant is ill so he is unable to attend the hearing.

3. However, the representative of the respondents states that the information pertaining to Point No. 2,3 & 4 of the RTI application has not been compiled in the office so the same is not available in the office. He has also sent the letters in this regard, which is taken on record and is **sent** with this order to the appellant. Regarding information pertaining to Point No. 1 i.e. receipt and expenditure from 2015 to 2020 related to the Swachh Bharat Mishan has also been sent to the appellant with a copy to the Commission, which is taken on record and a copy of the same is also **sent** with this order to the appellant.

4. A reply has been received from Sh. Ashwani Sahota, Chief Sanitary Inspector regarding show cause notice issued to him in which he has stated that he has never been the Public Information Officer of the Health Branch of the Municipal Corporation and therefore, requested for the closure of the same. After going through the submissions made by Sh. Ashwani Sahota, Chief Sanitary Inspector, the show cause notice issued to him in this case, is hereby withdrawn.

5. Since, the appellant is not present, therefore, the case is adjourned.

6. To come up on 27.1.2021 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, District Ludhiana/cisco webex.

Sd/

Dated: 12.1.2021

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S. Jasbir Singh,
Village - Bolapur.
Jhabewal, PO - Ramgarh,
District - Ludhiana. M : 9888296107

..Appellant

Vs

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

First Appellate Authority
O/o Deputy Commissioner,
Ludhiana.

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 2010/2020
(Cisco Webex proceedings)

Present:- None on behalf of the appellant.

Sh. Prabhjot Singh, HRC Branch 9814174875 7973562511 on behalf of the respondents.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 13.11.2020.

2. The representative of the respondents states that the complete information has already been sent to the appellant vide No. 55 dated 11.1.2021 copy of the said letter has been received in the Commission, which is taken on record.
3. Since, the appellant is not present, therefore, the case is adjourned.
4. To come up on 27.1.2021 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, District Ludhiana/cisco webex.

Dated: 12.1.2021

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Sh. Hardeep Singh 9417512231
r/o Near Ravidas Chowk, Village Bhalwan,
Tehsil Dhuri, Sangrur

....Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer
o/o Panchayat Secretary, Gram Panchayat Bhalwan,
Tehsil Dhuri, Sangrur

First Appellate Authority
o/o Addl. Deputy Commissioner (Dev.)
Sangrur

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 2964 of 2020
(Video Conference Proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Hardeep Singh, appellant.
Sh. Karamjeet Singh Panchayat Secretary 9781200180 on behalf of the
respondents.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 7.7.2020 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter called FAA) on 19.8.2020 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 7.10.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today.

2. The appellant states that the sought information has not been provided by the respondents so far and further requested that the respondents may be directed to supply the same. However, the respondent-Public Information Officer states that the issue regarding his complaint has already been resolved and regarding the enquiry report, he states that no enquiry report has been prepared in this regard.

3. Accordingly, the respondent-Public Information Officer is directed to file the specific reply in this regard before the next date of hearing to the appellant with a copy to the Commission.

4. To come up on 22.2.2021 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Sangrur/cisco webex.

Sd/

Dated: 12.1.2021

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Sh. Satpal Sharma 9463292433
H.No. 3623 Street No. 1, Durga Puri,
Haibowal Kalan, District Ludhiana

....Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer
o/o Sub Divisional Magistrate (West),
District Ludhiana

First Appellate Authority
o/o Sub Divisional Magistrate (West),
District Ludhiana

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 2943 of 2020
(Cisco Webex/Telephone proceedings)

Present:- Sh. Satpal Sharma, appellant, on phone.
Sh. Paramjeet Singh 7355280016, Sr. Asstt. on behalf of the respondents, on phone.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 20.9.2019 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter called FAA) on 23.1.2020 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 6.10.2020 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today.

2. The appellant states that he is seeking the information with regard to his request/complaint filed on 31.12.2018, he has also placed on record the said request/complaint, which is taken on record. However, the representative of the respondents states that the information has already been sent to the appellant vide No. 69 dated 1.12.2020. Copy of the said letter is also sent to the Commission, which is taken on record.

3. Accordingly, the appellant is advised to go through the information as supplied by the respondents on its receipt and point out deficiencies, if any, to the respondent-Public Information Officer and the respondent-Public Information Officer is directed to remove the same in case any deficiency is pointed out by the appellant before the next date of hearing under intimation to the Commission.

4. To come up on 23.2.2021 at 12.30 PM to be heard through Video Conference Facility available in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, District Ludhiana/cisco webex.

Sd/

(Suresh Arora)

Dated: 12.1.2021

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Maha Singh Nagar,

P.O. Dhandari Kalan,Ludhiana.

..Appellant

Public Information Officer,
o/o Deputy Commissioner,
Ludhiana.

First Appellant Authority,
o/o Deputy Commissioner,
Ludhiana.

..Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1816 of 2020

Present:- None on behalf of the appellant.

Sh. Ranjit Singh, NSK branch 7696681960 on behalf of the respondents.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 13.11.2020.

2. The appellant has sought the following information:-