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Sh. Harish Jindal, S/o Sh.Sukhdev

Kumar, Street No 1, Kishan Bagh,

Outside Nabha Gate, Sangrur.M : 946351167 ……Appellant

**V/s.**

**Public Information Officer,**

**O/o** Astt. Registrar, I.K. Gujral Punjab Technical

University, Kapurthala.

**First Appellate Authority,**

**O/o** Registrar, I.K. Gujral Punjab Technical

University, Kapurthala. …….Respondents **Appeal Case No. 1721 of 2018**

**Present:** The Appellant, Sh. Harish Jindal is present.

None is present on behalf of Respondent/PIO.

**ORDER:**

This case was last heard on 23.07.2018.

The Appellant, Sh. Harish Jindal states that he is satisfied with reply relating to the point no. 1 to 4 given to him by the Respondent/PIO through a copy of letter no. IKGPTU/DCD/4704 dated 15.06.2018 which is taken on record. However he is not satisfied with the reply regarding point no. 5 as he has requested for an attested copy of the rules.

None is present on behalf of Respondent/PIO, so no statement could be recorded.

After discussing with the Appellant and going through the case file, the Respondent/PIO is directed to supply the attested copy of the rules relating to point no. 5 through registered post to the Appellant, Sh. Harish Jindal before the next date of hearing. **Respondent/PIO is also directed to appear in person with the sought for information on the next date of hearing failing to which a show cause notice will be issued.**

The Appellant, Sh. Harish Jindal is advised to go through the requisite information and point out the deficiencies, if any, in written to the Respondent/PIO with a copy to the Commission, once he has received the requisite information from the Respondent/PIO.

Both the parties to come present on next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to **30.10.2018 at 11 A.M.**

Copies of the order be sent to both the parties.

**(Sanjiv Garg)**

**Dated: 12.09.2018 State Information Commissioner,**

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Sh. Karam Chand Gupta**,** S/o Sh. Roshan Lal,

R/o Marfat Gupta, T.V. Centre Chowk No 2,

Main Bazar, Jaito, Distt.Faridkot. ……Appellant

**V/s.**

**Public Information Officer,**

**O/o** Director, Technical Education and Industrial

Training Department, PB, Chandigarh.

**First Appellate Authority,**

**O/o** Director, Technical Education and Industrial

Training Department, PB, Chandigarh. …….Respondents

**Appeal Case No. 1739 of 2018**

**Present:** The Appellant, Sh. Karam Chand Gupta is present.

Sh. Rashpal Singh, Senior Assistant is present on behalf of Respondent/PIO.

**ORDER:**

This case was last heard on 23.07.2018.

The Appellant, Sh. Karam Chand Gupta states that he is satisfied only with the reply relating to point no. 3 and requested to furnish the remaining information.

On this, Sh. Rashpal Singh who is present on behalf of Respondent/PIO, states that the information relating to point no. 1, 2, 4 and 5 have been missing and it is not traceable in their official records..

After discussing with both the parties and going through the case file, the Respondent/PIO is directed to submit a written reply in the form of an affidavit dully signed by the PIO, that why the information relating to point no. 1, 2, 4 and 5 is missing and not traceable, before the Commission on the next date of hearing.

Both the parties to come present on next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to **30.10.2018 at 11 A.M.**

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**(Sanjiv Garg)**

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**Sh. Harpal Singh Sodhi**, S/o Sh.Dasondha

Singh Sodhi, H.No 15, Kalgidhar Enclave,

Baltana ,Zirakpur.M : 9316127392. ……Complainant

**V/s.**

**Public Information Officer,**

**O/o** Director, Technical Education and Industrial

Training, PB, Sector 36-A, Chandigarh. …….Respondents

**Complain Case No. 540 of 2018**

**Present:** Representative of the Complainant, Sh. Rishab Puri is present on behalf of Sh. Harpal Singh Sodhi.

Sh. Rajinder Singh, Senior Assistant is present on behalf of Respondent/PIO.

**ORDER:**

This case was last heard on 23.07.2018.

The representative of the Complainant, Sh. Rishab Puri states that no information has been provided to him till date.

On this, Sh. Rajinder Singh who is present on behalf of Respondent/ PIO, states that they will provide the requisite information as per the RTI to the Complainant by the next date of hearing.

After discussing with both the parties and going through the case file, it is observed that representative of the Complainant, Sh. Rishab Puri has no knowledge about this case and it is advised to the Complainant, Sh. Harpal Singh to appear in person before the Commission on the next date of hearing else the case will be decided in his absence.

The Respondent/PIO is advised to supply the requisite information as per RTI application to the Complainant, Sh. Harpal Singh through Registered Post well before the next date of hearing. The Complainant, Sh. Harpal Singh is also advised to go through the requisite information and point out the deficiencies, if any, in written to the Respondent/PIO with a copy to the Commission, once he has received the requisite information from the Respondent/PIO.

Both the parties to come present on next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to **30.10.2018 at 11 A.M.**

Copies of the order be sent to both the parties.

**(Sanjiv Garg)**

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Shri Gurmeet Singh Sathi, Divisional Secretary (Jal),

All India Consumer Protection Organisation,

Village Khera, Phagwara, Distt Kapurthala.  
M: 8427154280,9056806701 …Complainant

**V/s.**

**(Regd. Post) Public Information Officer**,

O/o Deputy Commissioner, Kapurthala. …Respondents

**Complaint Case No. 429 of 2018**

**Present:** The Complainant, Sh. Gurmeet Singh Sathi is present.

None is present on behalf of Respondent/PIO

**ORDER:**

This case was last heard on 23.07.2018

The Complainant, Sh. Gurmeet Singh states that incomplete information has been provided to him till date.

None is present on behalf of Respondent/PIO, so no statement can be recorded.

After hearing the Complainant and examining the case file, it is observed that from the last two previous hearings which were held on 23.07.2018 and 19.06.2018 respectively, Respondent/PIO was absent. An opportunity was given to the Respondent/PIO to provide the requisite information to the Complainant and matter was adjourned for further hearing but the Respondent/PIO has failed to do so.

In view of the above, PIO O/o, Deputy Commissioner, Kapurthala will **Show Cause** under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act, as to why compensation be not awarded to the information seeker for willful delay/denial in supplying the information to the Complainant under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

In addition, the PIO is also hereby given an opportunity under Section 20(1) provision, thereto, for a personal hearing with the sought for information before the imposition of such penalty on the next date of hearing.

The Complainant, Sh. Gurmeet Singh is also advised to go through the requisite information and point out the deficiencies, if any, in written to the Respondent/PIO with a copy to the Commission, once he has received the requisite information from the Respondent/PIO. The Complainant is also advised to appear in person on the next date of hearing.

Both the parties to come present on next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to **30.10.2018 at 11 A.M.**

Copies of the order be sent to both the parties.

**(Sanjiv Garg)**

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**Shri Sandeep Kumar**, S/o Late Shri Sukhdev Kumar,

House No 6, Mohalla Ramdasia, Boran Gate, Nabha,

Patiala.147201. ….Appellant

**V/s.**

**Public Information Officer**,

O/o Principal, District Institute of Education and

Training, Nabha.

**First Appellate Authority**,O/o Circle Education Officer,

Nabha, Patiala. …. Respondents

**Appeal Case No. 1317 of 2018**

**Present:** Representative of the Appellant, Sh. Ajit Singh is present on behalf of Sh. Sandeep Kumar.

Advocate, Sh. J.P. Singla is present on behalf of Respondent/PIO.

**ORDER:**

This case was last heard on 23.07.2018.

Advocate, Sh. J.P. Singla who is present on behalf of Respondent/ PIO, handed over the requisite information to the representative of the Appellant, Sh. Ajit Singh during the proceedings of the court. A copy of letter no. 898/18 dated 27.08.2018 signed by Principal has been taken on record.

The representative of the Appellant, Sh. Ajit Singh goes through the supplied information and shows his satisfaction by submitting an acknowledgement dated 12.09.2018 which is taken on record.

After discussing with both the parties and going through the case file, as the information stands supplied and no further cause of action is required in this case.

So this instant appeal case is **disposed off and closed.**

Copies of the order be sent to both the parties.

**(Sanjiv Garg)**

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**Shri Sukhjinder Singh**,S/o Shri Mulakh Raj,

R/o Garden Colony, Street No 25, Faridkot.  
M: 9780453164, 7307338631. ….Appellant

**V/s.**

**Public Information Officer**,

O/o DPI (SE), Mohali.

**First Appellate Authority**,

O/o DPI (SE), Mohali. ……. Respondents

**Appeal Case No. 1367 of 2018**

**Present:** The Appellant, Sh. Sukhjinder Singh is present.

Sh. Daljit Singh, Senior Assistant is present on behalf of Respondent/PIO.

**ORDER:**

This case was last heard on 23.07.2018.

The Respondent/PIO, Sh. Daljit Singh handed over the pending information to the Appellant, Sh. Sukhjinder Singh during the proceedings of the court.

The Appellant, Sh. Sukhjinder Singh goes through the supplied information and shows his satisfaction by submitting an acknowledgement dated 12.09.2018 which is taken on record.

After discussing with both the parties and going through the case file, as the information stands supplied and no further cause of action is required in this case.

So this instant appeal case is **disposed off and closed.**

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**(Sanjiv Garg)**

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Smt. Amarjit Kaur,W/o Shri Nishan Singh,

Green Park Colony, Street No 2,Sri Muktsar

Sahib.152026 - M : 9878401298. ….Appellant

**V/s.**

**Public Information Officer**,

O/o Principal, Govt Sr Sec School,

Chak Duhewal, Sri Muktsar Sahib.

**First Appellate Authority**,

O/o DEO (SE), Sri Muktsar Sahib. ... Respondents

**Appeal Case No. 1380 of 2018**

**Present:** The Appellant, Smt. Amarjit Kaur is absent.

None is present on behalf of Respondent/PIO.

**ORDER:**

This case was last heard on 23.07.2018.

The Appellant, Smt. Amarjit Kaur is absent without any intimation to the Commission, therefore, her statement couldn’t be recorded.

The Respondent/PIO is also absent without any intimation to the Commission.

After going through the case file, it is observed that both the parties were absent on the previous hearing i.e. dated 23.07.2018. Previously, the Respondent/PIO, Principal of Govt. Sr. Sec. School, Chak Duhewalan intimates via email that information has been given to the Appellant and an opportunity was given to the appellant to appear in her case in person or through any of her representative but she failed to do so.

I am of the concerned view that, the Appellant, Smt. Amarjit Kaur is absent for today’s hearing and it is observed that, she is not interested in pursuing her appeal case. So, no further cause of action is required in this case. This instant appeal case is **disposed off and closed.**

Copies of the order be sent to both the parties.

**(Sanjiv Garg)**

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Smt. Amarjit Kaur,W/o Shri Nishan Singh,

Green Park Colony, Street No 2,Sri Muktsar

Sahib.152026 - M : 9878401298. ….Appellant

**V/s.**

**Public Information Officer**,

O/o Principal, Govt Sr Sec School,

Chak Duhewal, Sri Muktsar Sahib.

**First Appellate Authority**,

O/o DEO (SE), Sri Muktsar Sahib. ... Respondents

**Appeal Case No. 1381 of 2018**

**Present:** The Appellant, Smt. Amarjit Kaur is absent.

None is present on behalf of Respondent/PIO.

**ORDER:**

This case was last heard on 23.07.2018.

The Appellant, Smt. Amarjit Kaur is absent without any intimation to the Commission, therefore, her statement couldn’t be recorded.

The Respondent/PIO is also absent without any intimation to the Commission.

After going through the case file, it is observed that both the parties were absent on the previous hearing i.e. dated 23.07.2018. Previously, the Respondent/PIO, Principal of Govt. Sr. Sec. School, Chak Duhewalan intimates via email that information has been given to the Appellant and an opportunity was given to the appellant to appear in her case in person or through any of her representative but she failed to do so.

I am of the concerned view that, the Appellant, Smt. Amarjit Kaur is absent for today’s hearing and it is observed that, she is not interested in pursuing her appeal case. So, no further cause of action is required in this case. This instant appeal case is **disposed off and closed.**

Copies of the order be sent to both the parties.

**(Sanjiv Garg)**

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Shri Gurmeet Singh, S/o Shri Surmukh Singh,

Zila Pradhan Anti Corruption Manch 2072,

Bhai Mastan Singh Nagar,

Sri Muktsar Sahib-152026.M : 9501421959 … Appellant

**V/s.**

**Public Information Officer**,

O/o XEN, Water Resource,Management and

Development Ltd., Lining Division No 7, Bathinda.

**First Appellate Authority**,

O/o SE, Water Resource Management &

Development Corporation, Ltd.,

Lining Division No 7, Bathinda. …Respondents

**Appeal Case No. 1389 of 2018**

**Present:** The Appellant, Sh. Gurmeet Singh is present.

Sh. Maninder Sharma, SDE is present on behalf of Respondent/PIO.

**ORDER:**

This case was last heard on 24.07.2018.

The Appellant, Sh. Gurmeet Singh shows his satisfaction and requested for closing his appeal case by submitting an acknowledgement dated 12.09.2018 which is taken on record.

The Respondent/PIO, Sh. Maninder Sharma is present for today’s hearing and submits a letter dated 11.09.2018 along with a copy of receipt signed by the Appellant, Sh. Gurmeet Singh, stating that he has got the requisite information.

After discussing with both the parties and going through the case file, as the information stands supplied and no further cause of action is required in this case.

So this instant appeal case is **disposed off and closed.**

Copies of the order be sent to both the parties.

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Padhi, Pradhan Nagar Welfare Society,

Ward No. 8, Fatehgarh Churian, Distt.

Gurdaspur. M: 9463165327 ….. Appellant

**Public Information Authority,**

**O/o** EO Nagar Council,Fatehgarh Churian,

Distt. Gurdaspur.

**First Appellant Authority,**

**O/o** Deputy Director, Urban Local Bodies,

Amritsar. ….. Respondents

**Appeal Case No. 1960 of 2018**

**Present:** Representative of the Appellant, Advocate, Naresh Devgan is present on behalf of Sh. Surinder Kumar.

Sh. Baldev Singh, Clerk is present on behalf of Respondent/PIO.

**ORDER:**

This case was last heard on 24.07.2018.

The Respondent/PIO, Sh. Baldev Singh handed over the requisite information to the representative of the Appellant, Sh. Naresh Devgan.

The representative of the Appellant, Sh. Naresh Devgan requested for an adjournment and assures that he will acknowledge to the Commission once the Appellant, Sh. Surinder Kumar has gone through the supplied information.

After discussing with both the parties and going through the case file, the Respondent/PIO is directed to supply the pending information through registered post to the Appellant, Sh. Surinder Kumar before the next date of hearing. The Appellant, Sh. Surinder Kumar is advised to go through the requisite information and point out the deficiencies, if any, in written to the Respondent/PIO with a copy to the Commission, once he has received the requisite information from the Respondent/PIO.

Both the parties to come present on next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to **30.10.2018 at 11 A.M.**

Copies of the order be sent to both the parties.

**(Sanjiv Garg)**

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Ward No. 8, Fatehgarh Churian, Distt.

Gurdaspur. M: 9463165327 ….. Appellant

**V/s.**

**Public Information Authority,**

**O/o** EO Nagar Council,Fatehgarh Churian,

Distt. Gurdaspur.

**First Appellant Authority,**

**O/o** Deputy Director, Urban Local Bodies,

Amritsar. ….. Respondents

**Appeal Case No. 1959 of 2018**

**Present:** Representative of the Appellant, Advocate, Naresh Devgan is present on behalf of Sh. Surinder Kumar.

Sh. Baldev Singh, Clerk is present on behalf of Respondent/PIO.

**ORDER:**

This case was last heard on 24.07.2018.

The representative of the Appellant, Sh. Naresh Devgan states that he is satisfied with the information relating to point no. 1 and 2. However, the information relating to point no. 3 is still pending.

The Respondent/PIO, Sh. Baldev Singh handed over a letter no. 830 dated 11.09.2018 signed by PIO, along with certain information which is taken on record.

After discussing with both the parties and going through the case file, the Respondent/PIO is directed to supply the requisite information relating to point no. 3 through registered post to the Appellant, Sh. Surinder Kumar before the next date of hearing. The Appellant, Sh. Surinder Kumar is advised to go through the requisite information and point out the deficiencies, if any, in written to the Respondent/PIO with a copy to the Commission, once he has received the requisite information from the Respondent/PIO.

Both the parties to come present on next date of hearing.

The case is adjourned to **30.10.2018 at 11 A.M.**

Copies of the order be sent to both the parties.

**(Sanjiv Garg)**

**Dated: 12.09.2018 State Information Commissioner,**

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