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Shri Jasbir Singh, (M: 98882-96107)
Village Bolapur Jhabewal,
PO Ramgarh, Distt. Ludhiana-123455

..... Appellant

Vs

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

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

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 2821 of 2018

Present:- Shri Jasbir Singh, appellant is present.
Shri Gagandeep Singh, Clerk is present on behalf of the PIO, O/o Deputy
Commissioner, Ludhiana.

O R D E R

Shri Jasbir Singh, appellant filed RTI application dated 07.03.2018 and sought some information from the PIO, O/o Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana.

Shri Gagandeep Singh, Clerk stated that the sought for information had already been provided to the appellant on 16.04.2018. Another copy of the said information is handed over to the appellant today before the Bench at the time of hearing. The appellant has received the information.

I have discussed the RTI application and the information provided to the appellant by the respondent. The PIO has provided the information to the appellant and resolved the matter involved in the RTI application.

So, the present appeal case is **disposed of and closed.**

Dated: 14.11.2018

(Avtar Singh Kaler)
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Shri Sunil Kumar, S/o Shri Lekh Raj,
R/o 1350/9, Gujra Wali Street,
Chowk Baba Sahib,
Amritsar. (M: 98727-79282)

..... Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Police Commissioner,
Mini Secretariat, Zila Kachehri Area,
Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Police Commissioner,
Mini Secretariat, Zila Kachehri Area,
Ludhiana.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 2841 of 2018

Present:- Shri Sunil Kumar, appellant is present.
None present on behalf of the PIO, O/o Police Commissioner, Ludhiana.

O R D E R

Shri Sunil Kumar, appellant filed RTI application dated 18.05.2018 and sought some information from the PIO, O/o Police Commissioner, Ludhiana regarding his complaints dated 04.10.2016 and 18.05.2017. When no information was provided by the PIO, then he filed First Appeal before the First Appellate Authority on 26.06.2018. Non-satisfied he filed Second Appeal before Punjab State Information Commission. The case was registered and allocated to the Bench. Notice of hearing was issued to both the parties for today i.e. 14.11.2018. Today, the appellant has come present, but the PIO has not come present.

So, a direction is issued to the PIO that the information be provided to the appellant within 15 days as was sought by him through his RTI application dated 18.05.2018. In case of non-compliance of the Order of the Bench, strict action will be taken against the PIO under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

Both the parties should personally come present on the next date of hearing on **06.12.2018 at 11:00 A.M.**

Dated: 14.11.2018

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Shri Sharanjit Singh, S/o Shri Santokh Singh,
H.No.81, Near B.E.O. Office,
Village Khilchian, Tehsil Baba Bakala Sahib,
Distt. Amritsar.

..... Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o SHO, Police Station Khilchian,
Tehsil Baba Bakala,
Distt. Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o DSP,
Baba Bakala Sahib,
Distt. Amritsar.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 2866 of 2018

Present:- Shri Sharanjit Singh, appellant is present.
ASI Mukhtiar Singh, 1561 Amritsar Rural is present on behalf of the PIO, O/o
SHO, Police Station, Khilchian.

O R D E R

Shri Sharanjit Singh, appellant filed RTI application dated 26.05.2018 and sought some information from the PIO, O/o SHO, Police Station, Khilchian. When no information was provided by the PIO, then he filed First Appeal before the First Appellate Authority on 02.07.2018. Non-satisfied he filed Second Appeal before Punjab State Information Commission. The case was registered and allocated to the Bench. Notice of hearing was issued to both the parties for today i.e. 14.11.2018. Today, the appellant and the respondent both are present.

The appellant stated that no information has been provided to him by the PIO till today.

ASI Mukhtiar Singh who is present on behalf of the PIO stated that he has come present alongwith the copies of information, but the copies are not attested by the PIO and he requested for some time.

So, the PIO is directed that attested copies of information as was sought by the appellant through his RTI application be provided to him within 3 days by calling him at the Police Station, Khilchian and in case the appellant will become satisfied with the information, then get receipt from him that he has received the information and he is satisfied.

Both the parties should personally come present on the next date of hearing on
04.12.2018 at 11:00 A.M.

Dated: 14.11.2018

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Shri Rajwinder Singh Mann,
156, Sant Nagar,
Patiala-147001. (M: 98888-06450)

..... Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Additional Director General of Police (Crime Branch),
PB., Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Director General of Police,
PB., Chandigarh.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 2882 of 2018

Present:- Shri Rajwinder Singh Mann, appellant is absent without any intimation to the Commission.
ASI Sukhwinder Singh is present on behalf of the PIO, O/o Additional Director General of Police (Crime Branch), Punjab.

O R D E R

Shri Rajwinder Singh Mann, appellant filed RTI application dated 07.05.2018 and sought some information from the office of the PIO.

ASI Sukhwinder Singh who is present on behalf of the PIO stated that the RTI application was received in the office of the PIO on 09.05.2018 and a reply was sent to the appellant on 21.05.2018. Then the appellant filed First Appeal before the First Appellate Authority on 04.06.2018 and after that he filed Second Appeal before Punjab State Information Commission.

Today the appellant is absent, but ASI Sukhwinder Singh is present on behalf of the PIO.

The Commission has received a mail sent by the PIO which is letter No. 3200 dated 01.11.2018. The said letter is received in the office of the Commission on 06.11.2018 diarized at 22460. It is submitted in the letter that the information sought by the appellant is related with all the districts of state of Punjab. It is further submitted that as the matter is involved with the multiple public authorities, so the RTI application of the appellant cannot be transferred to all the public authorities and the appellant was advised to file separate RTI application to each district.

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Appeal Case No. 2882 of 2018

I have gone through the RTI application dated 07.05.2018 filed by the appellant. He has sought information regarding Shri Jaspreet Singh, R/o # 26, St. No. 3, Dashmesh Nagar, Patiala. He sought list of FIRs registered against Shri Jaspreet Singh in Punjab and further he sought attested copies of Registered FIRs alongwith present status. I think the RTI application filed by the appellant is vague as he has not mentioned the father's name of Shri Jaspreet Singh and there may be thousand persons in the name of Jaspreet Singh and it will be difficult to find information related to Shri Jaspreet Singh. Moreover, the information sought by the appellant is related with the whole of Punjab and there are 26 Police Districts in Punjab alongwith 3 Police Commissionerates. So, there are about 30 PIOs.

The appellant has filed RTI application before the Additional Director General of Police (Crime Branch), Punjab and sought copies of FIRs registered against Shri Jaspreet Singh whose father's name was not mentioned in the RTI application. So, I dispose of the present appeal case with the observation that in case the appellant wants to get information regarding Shri Jaspreet Singh, then he should disclose full whereabouts of Shri Jaspreet Singh by mentioning his father's name and address and file application before each public authority separately.

So, the present appeal case is **disposed of and closed.**

Dated: 14.11.2018

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Shri Sarabjeet Singh Sidhu, S/o Shri Inder Singh,
R/o H.No. 192/A/4A-1, Street No.3,
Shant Nagar.
Bathinda. (M: 98557-15938)

..... Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Director General of Police,
PB., Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority-cum-
O/o Deputy Inspector General of Police (Admin.).
PB., Chandigarh.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 2894 of 2018

Present:- Shri Sarabjeet Singh Sidhu, appellant is present.
Shri Gurnam Singh, APIO-cum-Sr. Asstt. and Head Constable Purshotam Lal are present on behalf of the PIO, O/o Director General of Police, Punjab.

O R D E R

Shri Sarabjeet Singh Sidhu, appellant filed RTI application dated 08.06.2018 and sought information from the PIO regarding list of beneficiaries who got employment in Police Department for the period 01.01.200 to 31.05.2018 who lost their lives for the nation before 01.01.1999. The appellant stated that no information has been provided to him by the PIO till today.

The Commission has received a mail sent by the PIO on 02.11.2018 diarized at 22224 which is a copy of letter No. 4076 dated 31.10.2018 and through this letter the PIO has denied the information and claimed exemption under Section 8 (1) (g) of the RTI Act.

I have gone through the RTI application dated 08.06.2018 filed by the appellant and discussed the matter with both the parties and after a long discussion I am of the opinion that the information sought by the appellant does not come under exemption according to Section 8 (1) (g) of the RTI Act.

So, the PIO is directed that the information sought by the appellant be provided to him within 15 days.

Both the parties should personally come present on the next date of hearing on **18.12.2018 at 11:00 A.M.**

Dated: 14.11.2018

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Shri Ashok Kapoor, (M: 98555-56210)

8-C, Kitchlu Nagar,

Ludhiana-141001.

..... Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,

O/o Deputy Commissioner,

Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o Deputy Commissioner,

Ludhiana.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 2912 of 2018

Present:- Shri Ashok Kapoor, appellant is present.
None is present on behalf of the PIO, O/o Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana.

O R D E R

Shri Ashok Kapoor, appellant filed RTI application dated 13.04.2018 and he sought some information upon his complaint dated 16.12.2016 addressed to Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana against Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Ludhiana for withholding order dated 03.12.2013 for 99 days of the court of Shri K.P.S. Mahi, PCS, Collector cum SDM (West), Ludhiana- appeal titled Seema Rani Vs Ashok Kapoor & others. When no information was provided by the PIO, then the appellant filed First Appeal before the First Appellate Authority on 14.06.2018. Non-satisfied he filed Second Appeal before Punjab State Information Commission. The case was registered and allocated to the Bench. Notice of hearing was issued to both the parties for today i.e. 14.11.2018. Today, the appellant is present, but none is present on behalf of the PIO and First Appellate Authority.

The Commission has received a mail sent by the PIO-cum-District Revenue Officer, Ludhiana, which is a copy of letter No. 3106 dated 23.10.2018 and through this letter the PIO-cum-Tehsildar (W), Ludhiana was directed to appear before the Commission for today at the time of hearing, but he has not come present. It is willful absence on the part of the PIO.

So, a direction is issued to the PIO, O/o Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana that the information sought by the appellant be provided to him within 15 days and in case of non-compliance of the Order of the Bench, strict action will be taken against him under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

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Appeal Case No. 2912 of 2018

The PIO is further directed that he should personally come present on the next date of hearing alongwith copy of information.

Both the parties should personally come present on the next date of hearing on **06.12.2018 at 11:00 A.M.**

Dated: 14.11.2018

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Ludhiana-141001.

..... Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Sub Divisional Magistrate (W),
Ludhiana.

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

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 2913 of 2018

Present:- Shri Ashok Kapoor, appellant is present.
None present on behalf of PIO, O/o Sub Divisional, Magistrate (W) , Ludhiana.

O R D E R

Shri Ashok Kapoor, appellant filed RTI application dated 12.04.2018 and he sought some information upon his application dated 13.06.2017. When no information was provided by the PIO, then the appellant filed First Appeal before the First Appellate Authority on 28.05.2018. Non-satisfied he filed Second Appeal before Punjab State Information Commission. The case was registered and allocated to the Bench. Notice of hearing was issued to both the parties for today i.e. 14.11.2018. Today, the appellant is present, but none is present on behalf of the PIO and First Appellate Authority.

The Commission has received a mail which is a copy of letter No. 3160 dated 30.10.2018 sent by the PIO-cum-District Revenue Officer, Ludhiana addressed to Superintendent-cum-PIO, Office of SDM(West), Ludhiana and through this letter the Superintendent-cum-PIO, Office of SDM(West), Ludhiana was directed to appear before the Commission for today at the time of hearing, but he has not come present. It is willful absence on the part of the PIO.

So, a direction is issued to the PIO, O/o Sub Divisional Magistrate (W), Ludhiana. that the information sought by the appellant be provided to him within 15 days and in case of non-compliance of the Order of the Bench, strict action will be taken against him under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

The PIO is further directed that he should personally come present on the next date of hearing alongwith copy of information.

Both the parties should personally come present on the next date of hearing on
06.12.2018 at 11:00 A.M.

Dated: 14.11.2018

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Shri Ashok Kapoor, (M: 98555-56210)
8-C, Kitchlu Nagar,
Ludhiana-141001.

..... Appellant

Vs

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

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

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 2914 of 2018

Present:- Shri Ashok Kapoor, appellant is present.
None is present on behalf of the PIO, O/o Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana.

O R D E R

Shri Ashok Kapoor, appellant filed RTI application dated 16.04.2018 and he sought some information upon his complaint dated 27.11.2016 against Mr. Gurcharan Singh who was working as Reader in the O/o Tehsildar (W), Ludhiana. The appellant stated that no information has been provided to him by the PIO. So, he filed First Appeal before the First Appellate Authority on 15.06.2018. Non-satisfied he filed Second Appeal before Punjab State Information Commission. The case was registered and allocated to the Bench. Notice of hearing was issued to both the parties for today i.e. 14.11.2018. Today, the appellant is present, but none is present on behalf of the PIO and First Appellate Authority.

The Commission has received a mail on 06.11.2018 diarized at 22391 which is a copy of letter No. 3108 dated 23.10.2018 through which the PIO-cum-District Revenue Officer, Ludhiana wrote a letter to PIO-cum-Tehsildar (W), Ludhiana to appear before the Commission for today at the time of hearing, but he has not come present. It is willful absence on the part of the PIO.

So, a direction is issued to the PIO, O/o Sub Divisional Magistrate (W), Ludhiana. that the information sought by the appellant be provided to him within 15 days and in case of non-compliance of the Order of the Bench, strict action will be taken against him under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005. The PIO is further directed that he should personally come present on the next date of hearing alongwith copy of information.

Both the parties should personally come present on the next date of hearing on
06.12.2018 at 11:00 A.M.

Dated: 14.11.2018

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State Information Commissioner, Punjab

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Shri Rakesh Kumar Gupta,
8/237, Jagraon Road,
Mandi Mullanpur,
Distt. Ludhiana-141101. (M: 98149-24851)

..... Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o DIG (Admin) STF, Punjab Police,
C/o CID Head Quarters,
Mohali.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o ADGP, (STF),
C/o CID Head Quarters, PB.
Mohali.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 2958 of 2018

Present:- Shri Jagsir Singh is present on behalf of Shri Rakesh Kumar Gupta, appellant. Shri S.K. Rampal, PIO-cum-DIG (Admin) STF, Punjab Police, C/o CID Head Quarters, Mohali is present.

O R D E R

Shri Rakesh Kumar Gupta, appellant filed an RTI application dated 28.04.2018 and sought some information from the office of the PIO.

I have gone through the RTI Application and through para-5 sub para-C the appellant sought certified copies of Roznamcha for the period 11.07.2017 to 05.08.2017 and log book of Government vehicles and private vehicles used for official purposes.

The Commission has received a mail sent by the PIO which is received in the office of the Commission on 13.11.2018 diarized at 22845 which is a copy of letter no. 250 dated 13.11.2018. The Commission has received another mail sent by the PIO on 06.11.2018 diarized at 22545 and through this mail the PIO has sent the reply to the RTI application.

I have gone through the reply submitted by the PIO to the appeal filed by the appellant. It is submitted by the PIO that the Special Task Force (STF) is an agency of Punjab Police formed for the purpose to check the menace of drug abuse in the State of Punjab. It is further submitted in the reply that the RTI application was received in the office of the PIO on 07.05.2018 and the respondent vide letter dated 28.05.2018 informed that the STF has been exempted under sub-section (4) of Section 24 of the RTI Act, 2005 vide Govt. notification no. S.O.11/C.A.22/2005/S.24/2018 dated 16.02.2018. Hence, the STF is exempted to provide the information to the information seekers and it is further submitted in the reply that the appellant

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Appeal Case No. 2958 of 2018

has not mentioned any specific instance of illegal activity/corruption of the staff and it is further submitted in the reply that the information sought by the appellant is concerned with the operational functioning in routine matters of the STF. So, the information sought by the appellant is exempted under the RTI Act, 2005 as the STF has been exempted by the Government of Punjab through Notification No.S.O.11/C.A.22/2005/2005/S.24/2018 dated 16th February, 2018.

On this stage, Shri Jagsir Singh who is present on behalf of the appellant stated that one opportunity be granted to the appellant to hear him personally on this issue. So, the present case is adjourned for 04.12.2018 for further hearing of the appeal case on the issue that STF is exempted from providing the information to the information seekers.

The appellant is directed to come personally present on the next date of hearing otherwise his case will be heard and decided in his absence on the basis of reply filed by the PIO.

Both the parties should personally come present on the next date of hearing on **04.12.2018 at 11:00 A.M.**

Dated: 14.11.2018

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State Information Commissioner, Punjab**

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8/237, Jagraon Road,
Mandi Mullanpur,
Distt. Ludhiana-141101. (M: 98149-24851)

..... Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Deputy Commissioner of Police,
Police Commissionarate,
Mini Secretariat, Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Police Commissioner,
Police Commissionarate,
Mini Secretariat, Ludhiana.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 2970 of 2018

Present:- Shri Jagsir Singh is present on behalf of Shri Rakesh Kumar Gupta, appellant.
None present on behalf of the PIO, O/o Deputy Commissioner of Police,
Ludhiana.

O R D E R

Shri Rakesh Kumar Gupta, appellant filed an RTI application dated 28.04.2018 and sought some information from the office of the PIO. So, he filed First Appeal before the First Appellate Authority on 04.06.2018 and then filed Second Appeal before the Punjab State Information Commission. Today, Shri Jagsir Singh is present on behalf of Shri Rakesh Kumar Gupta, appellant. But none present on behalf of the PIO, O/o Deputy Commissioner of Police, Ludhiana.

So, the PIO is directed that he should personally come present on the next date of hearing and file written submission to the appeal filed by the appellant and in case the PIO would not comply with the Order of the Commission, then strict action will be taken against him under the provisions of RTI Act, 2005.

Both the parties should personally come present on the next date of hearing on
04.12.2018 at 11:00 A.M.

Dated: 14.11.2018

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..... Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Director General of Police, Punjab,
Police Headquarter, Sector-9,
Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Director General of Police, Punjab,
Police Headquarter, Sector-9,
Chandigarh.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 2975 of 2018

Present:- Shri Rajesh Kumar, appellant is present.
Shri Gurnam Singh, APIO-cum-Sr. Asstt. and Head Constable, Purshotam Lal
are present on behalf of the PIO, O/o Director General of Police, Punjab.

O R D E R

I have gone through the RTI application dated 18.04.2017 filed by the appellant. I have heard both the parties and discussed the point wise information sought by the appellant. The information regarding point-1 of the RTI application is provided today to the appellant by the respondents.

The PIO is directed that the information sought by the appellant regarding para 2 to 7 of the RTI application be provided to him by getting information from the concerned PIO's. The PIO is directed to transfer the RTI application to the concerned departments.

The information sought by the appellant through his RTI application from different Districts is declined and the appellant is advised to file separate RTI application before PIOs of each District.

Both the parties should personally come present on the next date of hearing on
06.12.2018 at 11:00 A.M.

Dated: 14.11.2018

(Avtar Singh Kaler)
State Information Commissioner, Punjab

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..... Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Director General of Police, Punjab,
Police Headquarter, Sector-9,
Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Director General of Police, Punjab,
Police Headquarter, Sector-9,
Chandigarh.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 2976 of 2018

Present:- Shri Rajesh Kumar, appellant is present.
ASI Ravinder Singh and Head Constable Dharam Singh, No.581 are
present on behalf of SSP, Mohali.

O R D E R

Shri Rajesh Kumar, appellant filed RTI application dated 09.03.2017 before the PIO, O/o DGP, Punjab. When no information was provided then he filed First Appeal before the First Appellate Authority on 18.04.2017 and after that he filed Second Appeal before the Punjab State Information Commission. Notice of hearing was issued to both the parties for today i.e. 14.11.2018. Today, both the parties are present.

The RTI application dated 09.03.2017 was transferred to the PIO, O/o, SSP, Mohali. Today the respondents provided 76 attested pages of information to the appellant. The appellant has received the information and sought some time to go through the information.

The appellant is directed that in case he is not satisfied with the information then he should bring the deficiencies in writing to the notice of the PIO within 7days and the PIO is directed that if the appellant brings the deficiencies to his notice, then he should resolve the matter regarding deficiencies by providing the remaining information to the appellant before the next date of hearing.

Both the parties should personally come present on the next date of hearing on
18.12.2018 at 11:00 A.M.

Dated: 14.11.2018

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State Information Commissioner, Punjab**

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Shri Harkamal Singh, (M: 98783-62515)

H.No. 6, Street No. 7,

Karnail Singh Nagar, Phase -3,

Pakhawal Road. Ludhiana.

..... Complainant

Vs

Public Information Officer,

O/o Police Station,

Dugri-141003.

.....Respondent

Complaint Case No. 933 of 2018

Present:- Shri Harkamal Singh, complainant/applicant is absent without any intimation to the Commission.

Shri Karamjit Singh, ASI No. 645 LDH is present on behalf of PIO, O/o Police Station, Dugri.

O R D E R

Shri Harkamal Singh, complainant/applicant filed RTI application dated 10.08.2018 and sought some information from the office of PIO.

Shri Karamjit Singh, ASI stated that he went to the house of the complainant/applicant but his house was locked. So, he could not provide the information to him.

PIO is directed that the information be sent to the appellant through registered post at his address given on the RTI application within 5 days. The PIO is further directed to come personally present on the next date of hearing alongwith copy of information and copy of postal receipt.

Both the parties should personally come present on the next date of hearing on **06.12.2018 at 11:00 A.M.**

Dated: 14.11.2018

(Avtar Singh Kaler)
State Information Commissioner, Punjab

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Shahid Udham Singh Nagar,
Malout-152107. (M: 98768-68396)

..... Complainant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Sub Divisional Magistrate-2,
Amritsar-2, Amritsar.

.....Respondent

Complaint Case No. 943 of 2018

Present:- Shri Amandeep Pathak, complainant/applicant is present.
Shri Harpreet Singh, Clerk is present on behalf of the PIO.

O R D E R

Shri Amandeep Pathak, complainant/applicant filed RTI application dated 23.07.2018 and sought some information from the PIO. He stated that no information has been provided to him till today by the PIO.

The PIO should personally come present on the next date of hearing and file reply to the complaint filed by the complainant/applicant that why the information has not been provided to the complainant/applicant.

Both the parties should personally come present on the next date of hearing on **18.12.2018 at 11:00 A.M.**

Dated: 14.11.2018

(Avtar Singh Kaler)
State Information Commissioner, Punjab

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Red Cross Bhawan, Near Rose Garden Sector 16, , Chandigarh.

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Shri Malkit Singh, S/o Shri Kala Singh,
Village Kherpur Jata,
PO Khanpur Gadiya, Tehsil Rajpura,
Distt. Patiala.

..... Complainant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
-cum-XEN,
Water Supply & Sanitation Division,
Mohali.

.....Respondent

Complaint Case No. 829 of 2018

Present:- Shri Malkit Singh, complainant/applicant is present.
None present on behalf of PIO-cum-XEN, Water Supply & Sanitation Division,
Mohali.

O R D E R

I have gone through the Order dated 18.10.2018. The complainant/applicant was directed to visit the office of the PIO on 22.10.2018 at 10:00 A.M. and the PIO was further directed that complete information specifically para-wise be provided to the complainant/applicant.

The complainant/applicant stated that in compliance to the Order of the Bench he went to the office of the PIO on 22.10.2018, but no information was provided to him by the PIO. Then he went to the office of the PIO again on 01.11.2018 and on 02.11.2018 but no information was provided to him by the PIO.

The conduct of the PIO cum-XEN, Water Supply & Sanitation Division, Mohali, Shri Sahil Sharma amounts to denial of information and defiance of the RTI Act. So, a Show Cause Notice is issued to him that why you have not provided the information to the complainant/applicant within the stipulated period and so why you may not be penalized. The PIO is directed to come personally present on the next date of hearing and file reply to the Show Cause Notice through duly attested affidavit and an opportunity of personal hearing will be afforded to him. In case the PIO would not come present then the Show Cause Notice will be decided in his absence.

Both the parties to come present on the next date of hearing on **18.12.2018 at 11:00 A.M.**

Dated: 14.11.2018

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Shri Surjit Singh, (M: 9988013004)

H.No. 2990/76, Street No. 4,
Guru Gobind Singh Nagar,
Near Mair Di Chowki, PO Daba,
Ludhiana.

..... Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Principal Secretary,
Local Bodies, PB.
Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Principal Secretary,
Local Bodies, PB.
Chandigarh.

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 2440 of 2018

Present:- Shri Surjit Singh, appellant is absent.
Shri Sanjay Tondon, PIO, and Shri Manpreet Singh, Senior Assistant, O/o
Principal Secretary, Local Bodies, Punjab are present.

O R D E R

Shri Surjit Singh, appellant is absent. He was also absent on the last date of hearing.

I have gone through the Order dated 18.10.2018 and the PIO was directed to send the information to the appellant within 3 days through registered post and the PIO was asked to come personally present on the next date of hearing alongwith copy of information and copy of postal receipt.

In compliance to the Order passed by the Bench, the PIO has submitted a copy of letter No.3856 dated 06.11.2018 through which the information was sent to the appellant. He has also presented a photocopy of postal receipt dated 08.11.2018 alongwith copy of information.

As the appellant was also absent on the last date of hearing and today also he is absent, whereas the PIO has sent the information to the appellant which he sought through his RTI application dated 16.04.2018. So, the present appeal case is **disposed of and closed**.

Dated: 14.11.2018

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Shri. Sohan Lal , S/o Shri Brij Lal,
R/o Village Kularan, Tehsil Samana,
Distt. Patiala.M : 9872424453.

.....Appellant

Vs.

Public Information Officer,
O/o Director, Rural Development and Panchayats,
PB, Mohali.

First Appellant Authority,
O/o Secretary, Rural Development and Panchayats,
PB, Mohali.

..... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 38 of 2018

Present:- Shri Sohan Lal, appellant alongwith Shri Achchru Bansal, Advocate is present.
Shri Sukhchain Singh, Panchayat Secretary is present on behalf of PIO-cum-
BDPO, Samana, Shri Baljit Singh Sohi.

ORDER

Shri Sukhchain Singh, Panchayat Secretary provided the copy of letter no. 4621 dated 11.10.2013 to the appellant, Shri Sohan Lal today before the Bench at the time of hearing. The appellant has received the information. He submitted a duly signed written submission dated 14.11.2018 that he has received the information and he is satisfied and also requested that his case may kindly be disposed of. The said written submission is taken on the file of the Commission.

As the information has been provided to the appellant by the respondent PIO and the appellant is satisfied, so the present appeal case is **disposed of and closed.**

Dated: 14.11.2018.

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Shri. H.S. Hundal, Advocate,
#82, District Courts,
S.A.S. Nagar.

.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Chief Secretary, Punjab,
Chandigarh.

First Appellant Authority,
O/o Chief Secretary, Punjab,
Chandigarh.

..Respondent

Appeal Case No. 3788 of 2016

Present:- Shri. H.S. Hundal (Advocate), appellant is present.
Shri Manoj Garg, Sr. Asstt. is present on behalf of Shri Davinder Pal, PIO-cum-Superintendent, PCS Branch, Personnel Department, O/o Chief Secretary, Punjab, Chandigarh.

ORDER

Today the PIO himself has not come present, whereas on the last date of hearing he was present.

The respondent submitted a copy of letter dated 13.11.2018 which is taken on the file of the Commission. A Show Cause Notice had already been issued to the PIO that why he has not provided the information to the appellant within stipulated period and the PIO was directed to file reply to the Show Cause Notice through duly attested affidavit.

So, the PIO should come personally present on the next date of hearing and file reply to the Show Cause Notice through duly attested affidavit and an opportunity of personal hearing will be afforded to him on the next date of hearing.

The PIO was present on the last date of hearing and he submitted that the enquiry is pending before the Commissioner, Ferozepur office, but in the letter dated 13.11.2018 submitted today, it is mentioned that the enquiry is pending before Commissioner, Faridkot. The PIO should submit proper reply and status report of the enquiry on the next date of hearing.

Both the parties should personally come present on the next date of hearing on **18.12.2018 at 11:00 A.M.**

Dated: 14.11.2018

(Avtar Singh Kaler)
State Information Commissioner, Punjab.