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Dr. Jasbir Singh Aulakh, (M: 98728-44163),  
S/o Shri Modan Singh,  
Street No.1, Guru Teg Bahadur Nagar,  
Handiaya Road, Barnala.

..... Appellant

**Vs**

Public Information Officer,  
O/o Director,  
Health Services, Punjab,  
Sector 34, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority,  
O/o Director,  
Health Services, Punjab,  
Sector 34, Chandigarh.

.....Respondent

**Appeal Case No. 1375 of 2020**

Present:- Dr. Jasbir Singh Aulakh, appellant is absent.  
None present on behalf of the PIO, O/o Director, Health Services, Pb., Chd.

**O R D E R**

Dr. Jasbir Singh Aulakh, appellant filed RTI application dated 11.03.2020 and sought some information from the PIO, O/o Director, Health Services, Punjab, Chandigarh.

**Today the case is heard through CISCO Webex Meetings Software.**

Both the parties are absent today. I have gone through the RTI application dated 11.03.2020 filed by the appellant.

The Commission has received a mail sent by the Deputy Director, Directorate, Health and Family Welfare, Punjab (Estb. Branch-4) on 14.08.2020, diarized vide no.9864, which is a copy of letter no.4854-57 dated 07.08.2020. I have gone through the said letter and vide a copy of this letter the information related with point no.3 of the RTI application has been sent to the appellant.

So, the appellant is directed that in case he is not satisfied with the information sent to him by the PIO, then he should bring the deficiencies in writing to the notice of the PIO within a week and the PIO is further directed that in case the appellant brings the deficiencies to his notice, then he should send the attested copies of information regarding the deficiencies to the appellant through registered post within 3 days from the receipt of list of deficiencies.

Both the parties should connect through **CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software (Meeting No. 912442397)** on the next date of hearing i.e. **29.09.2020 at 11:30 A.M.**

**(Avtar Singh Kaler)**

**State Information Commissioner, Punjab.**

**Dated: 15.09.2020**

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Shri Jasbir Singh, (M: 98882-96107),  
Villgar Bholapur, Jhabewal,  
PO Ramgarh,  
Distt. Ludhiana.

..... Appellant

**Vs**

Public Information Officer,  
O/o Joint Commissioner,  
Food and Drug Chemical Lab, Kharar.

First Appellate Authority,  
O/o Commissioner,  
Food and Drug Administration,  
State Food and Testing Lab, Kharar.

.....Respondent

**Appeal Case No. 1318 of 2020**

Present:- Shri Jasbir Singh, appellant is present.  
None present on behalf of the PIO, O/o Joint Commissioner, Food and Drug  
Chemical Lab, Kharar.

**O R D E R**

Shri Jasbir Singh, appellant filed RTI application dated 10.08.2020 and sought some information from the office of the PIO.

**Today the case is heard through CISCO Webex Meetings Software.**

Shri Jasbir Singh, appellant is present today, whereas none has appeared on behalf of the PIO. The appellant stated that no information has been provided to him by the PIO till today nor the amount of compensation of Rs.2,500/- has been paid to him by the PIO.

The Commission has received a mail sent by the PIO-cum-Suptd., Food and Drugs Administration, Punjab on 24.08.2020, diarized vide no.10466, which is a copy of letter no.1767-68 dated 20.08.2020. I have gone through the said letter and vide this letter the Civil Surgeon, Ludhiana is directed to provide the sought for information to the appellant and to appear before the Commission for today's hearing.

I have gone through the Order dated 11.08.2020 and a compensation of Rs.2,500/- was awarded in favour of the appellant, which has yet not been paid to the appellant.

So, the PIO is directed that the amount of compensation of Rs.2,500/- be paid to the appellant from the funds of public authority by way of demand draft and to be sent to the appellant through registered post with a week.

The concerned PIO is directed that attested copies of sought for information be sent to the appellant through registered post within a week and a copy of the same be sent to

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**Appeal Case No. 1318 of 2020**

the Commission as compliance. In case of non compliance of the Order of the Commission, a Show Cause Notice will be issued to the PIO that why you may not be penalized for not providing the sought for information/reply to the appellant within the stipulated period.

Both the parties should personally come present for further hearing of the case through **Video Conference facility on 08.10.2020 at 02:30 P.M. at Deputy Commissioner office, Ludhiana.**

**Dated: 15.09.2020**

**(Avtar Singh Kaler)  
State Information Commissioner, Punjab.**

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Shri Vinod Jetley, S/o Shri Inder Sen Jetley,  
H. No. 3042, Sector 40-D,  
Chandigarh.

..... Appellant

**Vs**

Public Information Officer,  
O/o Executive Officer,  
Improvement Trust,  
Jalandhar.

First Appellate Authority,  
O/o Executive Officer,  
Improvement Trust,  
Jalandhar.

.....Respondent

**Appeal Case No. 1303 of 2020**

Present:- Shri Vinod Jetley, appellant is present.  
None present on behalf of the PIO, O/o EO, Improvement Trust, Jalandhar.

**O R D E R**

Shri Vinod Jetley, appellant filed RTI application dated 10.12.2019 and sought some information from the PIO, O/o Executive Officer, Improvement Trust, Jalandhar.

**Today the case is heard through CISCO Webex Meetings Software.**

Shri Vinod Jetley, appellant is present today, whereas none has appeared on behalf of the PIO. The appellant stated that no information/reply has been provided to him by the PIO till today.

The appellant filed RTI application on 10.12.2019 and till today the PIO has not provided any information/reply to the appellant. The conduct of the PIO amounts to denial of information and defiance of the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005. So, a Show Cause Notice is issued to the PIO, O/o EO, Improvement Trust, Jalandhar that why you have not provided the sought for information/reply to the appellant within the stipulated period and so why you may not be penalized under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

The PIO, O/o Executive Officer, Improvement Trust, Jalandhar is directed that the sought for information/reply be sent to the appellant through registered post within a week and a copy of the same be sent to the Commission as compliance. The PIO is further directed to file reply to the Show Cause Notice and send it to the Commission within a week and an opportunity of personal hearing will be afforded to him on the Show Cause Notice.

Both the parties should connect through **CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software (Meeting No. 912442397)** on the next date of hearing i.e. **20.10.2020 at 11:30 A.M.**

**Dated: 15.09.2020**

**(Avtar Singh Kaler)  
State Information Commissioner, Punjab.**

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Shri Vinod Jetley,  
S/o Shri Inder Sen Jetley,  
H. No. 3042, Sector 40-D,  
Chandigarh.

..... Appellant

**Vs**

Public Information Officer,  
O/o Tehsildar -1,  
Jalandhar.

First Appellate Authority,  
O/o SDM- 1,  
Jalandhar.

.....Respondent

**Appeal Case No. 1302 of 2020**

Present:- Shri Vinod Jetley, appellant is absent.  
Smt. Manmeet Gupta, Reader to Tehsildar is present on behalf of Shri Rupinder Pal Singh, PIO-cum-Tehsildar -1, Jalandhar.

**O R D E R**

Shri Vinod Jetley, appellant filed RTI application dated 10.12.2019 and sought some information from the PIO, O/o Tehsildar -1, Jalandhar.

**Today the case is heard through CISCO Webex Meetings Software.**

Both the parties are present today. The respondent stated that the information/reply was sent to the appellant vide letter no.150 dated 17.12.2019 and now again vide letter no.761 dated 09.09.2020. She further stated that vide point no.2 of the RTI application the appellant wants to do the inspection of the relevant record and vide the above mentioned letters the appellant was asked to inspect the record, but he has not visited the office of the PIO.

So, under these circumstances the appellant is directed that he should visit the office of the PIO on 18.09.2020 at 10:00 A.M. for the inspection of the relevant record and the PIO is further directed to provide the relevant record to the appellant and after inspection provide the sought for information/reply to the appellant and get receipt from the appellant that he has received the information and he is satisfied with the information.

Both the parties should connect through **CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software (Meeting No. 912442397)** on the next date of hearing i.e. **20.10.2020 at 11:30 A.M.**

**Dated: 15.09.2020**

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Shri Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia, RTI Activist (M: 94645-00405),  
Ward NO.18, Street No.2,  
Kartar Nagar, Amloh Road, Khanna.



..... Appellant

**Vs**

Public Information Officer,  
O/o Municipal Corporation,  
Patiala.

First Appellate Authority,  
O/o Commissioner,  
Municipal Corporation, Patiala.

.....Respondent

**Appeal Case No. 592 of 2020**

Present:- Shri Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia, appellant is present.  
Shri Kuljinder Singh, SDO is present on behalf of Shri Mukesh Garg, PIO, O/o  
Municipal Corporation, Patiala.

**O R D E R**

Shri Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia, appellant filed RTI application dated  
18.09.2019 and sought some information from the PIO, O/o Municipal Corporation, Patiala.

**Today the case is heard through CISCO Webex Meetings Software.**

Both the parties are present today. The respondent stated that the attested  
copies of information consisting of 732 pages is ready to be provided to the appellant.

So, the PIO is directed that the attested copies of complete information as was  
sought by the appellant through his RTI application dated 18.09.2019 be provided to him either  
by hand or send through registered post within 3 days and compliance be sent to the  
Commission accordingly.

The appellant is further directed that in case he would feel some deficiencies in  
the information, which will be sent to him by the PIO, then he should bring the deficiencies in  
writing to the notice of the PIO within 3 days and the PIO is further directed that in case the  
appellant brings the deficiencies to his notice, then he should provide the attested copies of  
information regarding the deficiencies to the appellant either by hand or send through registered  
post within 3 days from the receipt of list of deficiencies.

Both the parties should connect through **CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software**  
**(Meeting No. 912442397)** on the next date of hearing i.e. **20.10.2020 at 11:30 A.M.**

**Dated: 15.09.2020**

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Shri Rakesh Kumar Gupta, Advocate, (M: 98149-24851),  
R/o 8/237, Jagroan Road,  
Mandi Mullanpur,  
Distt. Ludhiana.

.....Appellant.

**Vs**

Public Information Officer,  
O/ o DGP, H.Q., Punjab,  
Sector-9, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority:  
O/o DGP, H.Q., Punjab,  
Sector-9, Chandigarh.

.....Respondent

**Appeal Case No. 4706 of 2019**

**Present:-** Shri Rakesh Kumar Gupta (Advocate), appellant is present.  
ASI Parshottam Kumar is present on behalf of the PIO, O/o DGP, H.Q., Punjab,  
Chandigarh.

**O R D E R**

Shri Rakesh Kumar Gupta (Advocate), appellant filed RTI application dated 10.12.2019 and sought some information from the PIO, O/o DGP, H.Q. Punjab, Sector-9, Chandigarh.

**Today the case is heard through CISCO Webex Meetings Software.**

Both the parties are present today.

The present appeal case is adjourned for further hearing on **29.09.2020 at 11:30 A.M. through CISCO Webex Meetings Software (Meeting No. 912442397).**

**Dated: 15.09.2020**

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Lt. Col. Babu Singh (Retd.), (M: 82549-00005),  
2530-A, Ward No. 6,  
Daman Singh Gill Nagar,  
Moga.

..... Complainant

**Vs**

Public Information Officer,  
O/o Commissioner,  
Municipal Corporation,  
Moga.

.....Respondent

**Complaint Case No. 380 of 2020**

Present:- Lt. Col. Babu Singh (Retd.), complainant/applicant is absent.  
None present on behalf of the PIO, O/o Commissioner, M.C., Moga.

**O R D E R**

Lt. Col. Babu Singh (Retd.), complainant/applicant filed RTI application dated 22.06.2018 before the PIO, O/o Deputy Commissioner, Moga. The RTI application was transferred U/s 6(3) of the RTI Act, 2005 to the PIO, O/o Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Moga. When no information was provided to him by the PIO, then he filed complaint against the PIO before the Punjab State Information Commission on 30.06.2020. The case was registered and allocated to the Bench. Notice of hearing was issued to both the parties for today **through CISCO Webex Meetings Software**.

Both the parties are absent today. I have gone through the RTI application dated 22.06.2018.

The complainant/applicant filed RTI application on 22.06.2018 and a period of more than two years has been passed, but the PIO has not provided any information/reply to the complainant/applicant. The conduct of the PIO amounts to denial of information and defiance of the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005. So, a Show Cause Notice is issued to the PIO, O/o Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Moga that why you have not provided the sought for information/reply to the complainant/applicant within the stipulated period and so why you may not be penalized under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

The PIO, O/o Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Moga is directed that he should file reply to the complaint filed by the complainant/applicant and also file reply to the Show Cause Notice and send it to the Commission within a week and an opportunity of personal hearing will be afforded to him on the Show Cause Notice.

Both the parties should connect through **CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software (Meeting No. 912442397)** on the next date of hearing i.e. **22.10.2020 at 11:30 A.M.**

**Dated: 15.09.2020**

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Shri Amrik Singh, (M: 98768-00860),  
Block J/26/100, BRS Nagar,  
Ludhiana.

..... Complainant

**Vs**

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

.....Respondent

**Complaint Case No. 383 of 2020**

Present:- Shri Amrik Singh, complainant/applicant is absent.  
None present on behalf of the PIO, O/o Deputy Commissioner, Jalandhar.

**O R D E R**

Shri Amrik Singh, complainant/applicant filed RTI application dated 04.05.2020 and sought some information from the PIO, O/o Deputy Commissioner, Jalandhar. When no information was provided to him by the PIO, then he filed complaint against the PIO before the Punjab State Information Commission on 30.06.2020. The case was registered and allocated to the Bench. Notice of hearing was issued to both the parties for today **through CISCO Webex**.

Both the parties are absent today. I have gone through the RTI application dated 04.05.2020. The Commission has received an e-mail sent by the PIO-cum-DRO, O/o Deputy Commissioner, Jalandhar, which is a copy of letter no.1-spl dated 17.08.2020 and it is submitted by the PIO that the RTI application filed by the appellant was received in his office, but the matter involved in the RTI application is related with the office of Regional Transport Authority, Jalandhar, so the RTI application was sent to the Regional Transport Authority, Jalandhar.

The Commission has received another e-mail sent by Shri Eshaan Sharma, PIO-cum- Section Officer, O/o RTA Jalandhar and he submitted that the reply was sent to the complainant-applicant on 04.09.2020. He has also annexed the copy of letter no. 7365 dated 04.09.2020 in which it is mentioned that the information was sent to the appellant vide letter no. 6724 dated 05.08.2020, but the copy of the said letter has not been annexed by the PIO.

So, Shri Eshaan Sharma, PIO-cum-Section Officer, O/o RTA Jalandhar is directed that the information sought by the complainant-applicant be sent again through registered post within a week and compliance report be also sent to the Commission. He is further directed to file reply to the complaint filed by the complainant-applicant otherwise, a show cause notice will be issued to him on the next date of hearing.

Both the parties should connect through **CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software (Meeting No. 912442397)** on the next date of hearing i.e. **22.10.2020 at 11:30 A.M.**

**(Avtar Singh Kaler)**

**State Information Commissioner, Punjab.**

**Dated: 15.09.2020**

**(Regd) CC: The Regional Transport Authority, Jalandhar – for compliance of the Order.**

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Shri Chander Shekhar, (M: 89680-16131),

S/o Shri Hari Krishan,

2012, Street Murli Wali,

Katra Dullo,

Amritsar.

..... Complainant

**Vs**

Public Information Officer,

O/o District Food Corporation,

Amritsar.

.....Respondent

**Complaint Case No. 391 of 2020**

Present:- Shri Chander Shekhar, complainant/applicant is absent.  
Shri Baljodh Singh, Inspector is present on behalf of Ms. Jasjeet Kaur, PIO-cum-District Food and Supply Officer, Amritsar.

**O R D E R**

Shri Chander Shekhar, complainant/applicant filed RTI application dated 26.05.2020 and sought some information from the PIO, O/o District Food Corporation, Amritsar. When no information was provided to him by the PIO, then he filed complaint against the PIO before the Punjab State Information Commission on 01.07.2020. The case was registered and allocated to the Bench. Notice of hearing was issued to both the parties for today **through CISCO Webex Meetings Software.**

The complainant/applicant is absent today, whereas the respondent has appeared on behalf of the PIO. I have gone through the RTI application dated 26.05.2020 and discussed the matter with the respondent. The respondent assured the Commission that the information/reply would be sent to the complainant/applicant within a week.

So, the PIO-cum-District Food and Supply Officer, Amritsar is directed that she should file reply to the complaint filed by the complainant/applicant and send the same to the Commission within a week. IN case of non compliance of the Order of the Commission, a Show Cause Notice will be issued to the PIO on the next date of hearing.

Both the parties should connect through **CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software (Meeting No. 912442397)** on the next date of hearing i.e. **22.10.2020 at 11:30 A.M.**

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Shri Chander Shekhar, (M: 89680-16131),

S/o Shri Hari Krishan,

2012, Street Murli Wali,

Katra Dullo,

Amritsar.

..... Complainant

**Vs**

Public Information Officer,

O/o District Food Corporation,

Amritsar.

.....Respondent

**Complaint Case No. 392 of 2020**

Present:- Shri Chander Shekhar, complainant/applicant is absent.  
Shri Baljodh Singh, Inspector is present on behalf of Ms. Jasjeet Kaur, PIO-cum-District Food and Supply Officer, Amritsar.

**O R D E R**

Shri Chander Shekhar, complainant/applicant filed RTI application dated 16.05.2020 and sought some information from the PIO, O/o District Food Corporation, Amritsar. When no information was provided to him by the PIO, then he filed complaint against the PIO before the Punjab State Information Commission on 01.07.2020. The case was registered and allocated to the Bench. Notice of hearing was issued to both the parties for today **through CISCO Webex Meetings Software**.

The complainant/applicant is absent today, whereas the respondent has appeared on behalf of the PIO. I have gone through the RTI application dated 16.05.2020 and discussed the matter with the respondent. The respondent assured the Commission that the information/reply would be sent to the complainant/applicant within a week.

So, the PIO-cum-District Food and Supply Officer, Amritsar is directed that she should file reply to the complaint filed by the complainant/applicant and send the same to the Commission within a week. IN case of non compliance of the Order of the Commission, a Show Cause Notice will be issued to the PIO on the next date of hearing.

Both the parties should connect through **CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software (Meeting No. 912442397)** on the next date of hearing i.e. **22.10.2020 at 11:30 A.M.**

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2012, Street Murli Wali,

Katra Dullo,

Amritsar.

..... Complainant

**Vs**

Public Information Officer,

O/o District Food Corporation,

Amritsar.

.....Respondent

**Complaint Case No. 393 of 2020**

Present:- Shri Chander Shekhar, complainant/applicant is absent.  
Shri Baljodh Singh, Inspector is present on behalf of Ms. Jasjeet Kaur, PIO-cum-District Food and Supply Officer, Amritsar.

**O R D E R**

Shri Chander Shekhar, complainant/applicant filed RTI application dated 16.05.2020 and sought some information from the PIO, O/o District Food Corporation, Amritsar. When no information was provided to him by the PIO, then he filed complaint against the PIO before the Punjab State Information Commission on 01.07.2020. The case was registered and allocated to the Bench. Notice of hearing was issued to both the parties for today **through CISCO Webex Meetings Software**.

The complainant/applicant is absent today, whereas the respondent has appeared on behalf of the PIO. I have gone through the RTI application dated 16.05.2020 and discussed the matter with the respondent. The respondent assured the Commission that the information/reply would be sent to the complainant/applicant within a week.

So, the PIO-cum-District Food and Supply Officer, Amritsar is directed that she should file reply to the complaint filed by the complainant/applicant and send the same to the Commission within a week. IN case of non compliance of the Order of the Commission, a Show Cause Notice will be issued to the PIO on the next date of hearing.

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Shri Harbans Singh, (M: 98145-56108),  
S/o Shri Lal Singh,  
R/o Village Samrala, Tehsil Phul Khurd,  
Distt. Roopnagar.

..... Complainant

**Vs**

Public Information Officer,  
O/o District Food and Supply Controller,  
Roopnagar.

.....Respondent

**Complaint Case No. 403 of 2020**

Present:- Shri Harbans Singh, complainant/applicant is absent.  
None present on behalf of the PIO, O/o District Food and Supply Controller,  
Roopnagar.

**O R D E R**

Shri Harbans Singh, complainant/applicant filed RTI application dated 11.05.2020 and sought some information from the PIO, O/o District Food and Supply Controller, Roopnagar. When no information was provided to him by the PIO, then he filed complaint against the PIO before the Punjab State Information Commission on 02.07.2020. The case was registered and allocated to the Bench. Notice of hearing was issued to both the parties for today **through CISCO Webex Meetings Software.**

Both the parties are absent today. I have gone through the RTI application dated 11.05.2020.

The PIO-cum-District Food and Supply Controller, Roopnagar is directed that he should file reply to the complaint filed by the complainant/applicant and send the same to the Commission within a week. IN case of non compliance of the Order of the Commission, strict action will be taken against the PIO under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

Both the parties should connect through **CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software (Meeting No. 912442397)** on the next date of hearing i.e. **22.10.2020 at 11:30 A.M.**

**Dated: 15.09.2020**

**(Avtar Singh Kaler)**  
**State Information Commissioner, Punjab.**