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Shri Baldev Krishan Goyal, (97612 37334)

RTI Activist and Sr. Citizen,

Near Post Office Baazpur,

District Udham Singh Nagar (Uttarakhand).

....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o Director,

Research and Medical Education, Punjab,

Sector 69, S.A.S. Nagar (Mohali).

First Appellate Authority,

O/o Secretary,

Department of Health, Punjab,

Chandigarh.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO.1477 OF 2022

(Cisco Webex Proceedings)

PRESENT: None on behalf of the Appellant.

Advocate Ranjit Singh Kalra (98889 89890) for the Respondents

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference to the order dated 03.08.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.

2. The Appellant is absent without any intimation to the Bench.

3. The Respondent states that information sought by the appellant has been declined to the appellant in writing and detailed reply in this regard has already been filed in the Commission as well as sent to the appellant. The relevant portion of the reply is as under:-

"Your goodself's vide application under the RTI has sought the information with regard to the ANM and GNM course which is of 4-year duration. The information sought is with regard to all the Government and Non-Government Institutes/Organisations recognised pertaining to ANM and GMM course imparting 4 years training. Further the information sought is with regard to all the candidates who have completed ANM and GMM course (which is of 4 years) from the year 2001 to 2005 along with their names and addresses. Further your goodself has sought copies of all the documents which have been deposited by the candidates pursuing ANM and GMM course of 4 years duration.

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At the very outset, it is respectfully brought to your kind notice that the PNRC does not carry out any ANM and GMM course which is of 4-year duration. Accordingly, you are hereby intimated that w.r.t. the data being sought, no such data/information is maintained/ exists or compiled nor the same is required to be maintained under any laws/rules or regulations of this public authority. Hence, the same cannot be supplied in the form as sought vide the present application.

The Hon'ble High Court of Punjab and Haryana in Satish Kumar Bhiri V. State of Punjab, (P&H), 2017 (3) RCR (Civil) 824 observed that in case the information sought for has got no relationship to any public activity or interest and the disclosure of the same cause unwarranted invasion of privacy, the claim for information can be denied. A bare perusal of your application makes it evident that the larger public interest is not forthcoming does not fall within the exception.

The copy of the same is retained in the case file.

4. The PIO has relied upon the decision of the Hon'ble High Court of Punjab and Haryana in Satish Kumar Bhiri V. State of Punjab, (P&H), 2017 (3) RCR (Civil) 824 observed that "in case the information sought for has got no relationship to any public activity or interest and the disclosure of the same cause unwarranted invasion of privacy, the claim for information can be denied. A bare perusal of your application makes it evident that the larger public interest is not forthcoming does not fall within the exception"

5. From the perusal of reply filed by the respondent, the Bench observes that information has been denied to the appellant and I agree with the contention of the respondent as above. As such, no further action is required in this case. Hence, the instant Appeal case is **disposed off and closed**.

Chandigarh
20.09.2022

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Shri Yogesh Mahajan, (98143 54649)

S/o Late Shri Kuldip Raj Mahajan,
President of Anti Corruption Council,
Opp. Water Tank, Municipal Market,
Mission Road, Pathankot.

....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o XEN,
Construction Division No. 1,
PWD B&R, Jalandhar.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Superintending Engineer,
Construction Circle No. 1,
PWD B&R, Jalandhar.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 1807 OF 2022

(Cisco Webex Proceedings)

PRESENT: Shri Yogesh Mahajan, Appellant (On Telephone)
Shri Jaspreet Singh, S.D.E. (98147 44141) on behalf of the PIO.

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 06.01.2022 vide which the Appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 10.02.2022 and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on 12.04.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act) and Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 20.09.2022.

2. The Respondent states that requisite information has already been supplied to the appellant.

3. The Appellant is absent on the Cisco Webex. Subsequently, he is contacted on his mobile and he confirmed that he has received the complete information and expresses his satisfaction and gives his consent to close the case.

4. In view of the above, no further action is required in this matter. Hence, the instant Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed**.

Chandigarh
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Ms. Manu Kataria, (89687 81232)

B.Tech, House No. 1392/1,

Kachha Patiala – 147001

....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o Deputy Superintendent of Police,

Khanna, District Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o Senior Superintendent of Police,

Khanna, District Ludhiana.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO.1817 OF 2022

(Cisco Webex Proceedings)

PRESENT: Ms. Manu Kataria, Appellant.
ASI Amarjit Singh (97800 01412) on behalf of the PIO.

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 01.01.2022 vide which the Appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 19.02.2022 and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on 12.04.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act) and Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 20.09.2022.

2. The Respondent states that requisite information has already been supplied to the appellant.

3. The Appellant confirmed that she has received the complete information and expresses her satisfaction and gives her consent to close the case.

4. In view of the above, no further action is required in this matter. Hence, the instant Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed**.

Chandigarh
20.09.2022

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Shri Iqbal Singh Rasulpur, (88722 00515)
C/o Shri Satinder Pal Singh Dhaliwal Advocate,
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Kacha Malk Road, Jagraon,
Distt. Ludhiana – 142026

....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Senior Superintendent of Police (Rural),
Police Line, Ludhiana Rural.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Inspector General of Police,
Ludhiana Range, Ludhiana.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 1873 OF 2022

(Cisco Webex Proceedings)

PRESENT: None on behalf of the Appellant.
Shri Nirmal Kumar, Head Constable (94178 49623) on behalf of the PIO.

ORDER (FIRST HEARING):

The RTI application is dated 25.01.2022 vide which the Appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 17.02.2022 and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on 19.04.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act) and Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 20.09.2022.

2. The Respondent states that matter relating to information sought by the appellant is still under consideration, therefore, cannot be provided to the appellant. The same has been conveyed to the appellant vide registered letter dated 28.02.2022. He further states that with the orders of the Senior Officials letter no. 02-P, dated 17.01.2022 along with complete file has been sent to the Assistant General of Police, I.N.V-1, Bureau of Investigation, Punjab, Chandigarh for further necessary action vide letter dated 07.03.2022 and copy of letter to this effect is taken on record.

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3. Despite adequate notice for the hearing, the Appellant is absent for today's hearing in the Commission.

4. As the enquiry has not been completed till date, the information has rightly been withheld. However, directions are issued to the PIO that as and when the enquiry is completed, report of the same be given to the Appellant within 15 days from the date of the completion of the enquiry positively, under intimation to the Commission.

5. With the aforesaid directions, the instant Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed**. However, the Appellant is at liberty to approach the Commission if the PIO does not comply with the order passed by the Commission today.

Chandigarh
20.09.2022

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S/o Late Shri Amar Chand Gupta,
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Near Palm Royale Estate,
New Green Model Town, Jalandhar City – 144003

....Appellant

Versus

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

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Commissioner of Police,
Jalandhar.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 1883 OF 2022 (Cisco Webex Proceedings)

PRESENT: Shri Raj Kumar Gupta, Appellant.
ASI Manohar Lal (98159 76909) on behalf of the PIO

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 22.11.2021 vide which the Appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 30.11.2021 and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on 19.04.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act) and Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 20.09.2022.

2. The Respondent states that available information has already been provided to the Appellant vide letter no. 82-ACP/2322/R.T.I. dated 23.12.2021 him and further states that no other information is available in the official records which is still left for supply to the appellant as per his RTI application whereas the Appellant states that incomplete information has been provided to him.

4. After deliberations on the RTI application and perusal of record in the case file, the Bench is convinced that adequate information stands supplied to the appellant. The Bench does not feel need for further intervention in the matter. Hence, the instant Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed.**

Chandigarh
20.09.2022

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Shri Viney Pushkarna, (73552 12966)

S/o Shri Som Nath Pushkarna,
Pushkarna Niwas,
B2ND, 34 Pushkarna Street, College Road,
Qadian, Gurdaspur– 143516

....Appellant

Versus

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

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

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 2446 OF 2022 **(Cisco Webex Proceedings)**

PRESENT: None on behalf of the Appellant.
Shri Gurmej Singh, District Revenue Officer – cum – PIO along with Shri Anil Kumar, Superintendent (Revenue) (98729 48650) for the Respondents

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference to the order dated 04.08.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.

2. The PIO states that point no. 10 of the RTI application of the appellant is available in the official records and same has been supplied to the appellant vide letter dated 20.04.2022 and 15.09.2022 and rest of information sought by the appellant relating to point no. 1 to 9 and 11 to 20 is not available in the official record and related with the multiple PIOs, therefore cannot be provided to him and no other information available in the official records. He further files an Affidavit in this regard. Copy of the same is taken on record.

3. Despite adequate notice for the hearing, the appellant is absent for today's hearing without any intimation to the Commission. It is presumed that he is satisfied with the information provided by the PIO, as such he does not seem to be interesting in pursuing the case further.

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4. The Bench on perusal of the reply is convinced that adequate information/reply has already been supplied to the appellant.

5. In view of the above, no further action is required in this case. Hence, the Appeal case is **disposed off and closed**.

Chandigarh
20.09.2022

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(Maninder Singh Patti)
State Information Commissioner, Punjab

Copy is forwarded to the following for information and further necessary action:-

1. The Deputy Commissioner,
Gurdaspur.

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Shri Sarabjit Singh, (95920 90681)
S/o Shri Gurdeep Singh,
R/o V.P.O. Gumanpura,
Tehsil & District Amritsar.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o SDO, Provincial Division No. 3
Public Works Department (B & R), Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority
O/o XEN, Provincial Division,
Public Works Department (B & R), Amritsar.

...Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 2915 OF 2022 **(Cisco Webex Proceedings)**

PRESENT: Shri Sarabjit Singh, Appellant.
Shri Sankesh Sharma, S.D.E. (87290 60783) on behalf of the PIO.

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference to the order dated 22.08.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.

2. The Respondent says that the information sought by the appellant is voluminous, so he was called to the office of the respondent to inspect the record. As such, he visited the office on 13.06.2022 and inspected the record to his satisfaction, but after two days on 15.06.2022, the appellant said that this information did not match.

3. The Appellant states that he has inspected the record but information has not been provided to him.

4. After deliberation on the RTI application of the appellant and perusal of the reply filed by the PIO. The PIO is directed to file an Affidavit to this effect and original Affidavit be send to the Appellant, under intimation to the Bench, failing which strict action will be initiated against him as per provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

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APPEAL CASE NO. 2915 OF 2022

5. With the aforesaid directions, the Bench does not feel need for further intervention in the matter. Hence, the instant Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed**.

Chandigarh
20.09.2022

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Shri Sarabjit Singh, (95920 90681)
S/o Shri Gurdeep Singh,
R/o V.P.O. Gumanpura,
Tehsil & District Amritsar.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o SDO, Construction Division,
Public Works Department (B & R),
Sub Division Beas at Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority
O/o XEN, Construction Division,
Public Works Department (B & R), Amritsar.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 2916 OF 2022 **(Cisco Webex Proceedings)**

PRESENT: Shri Sarabjit Singh, Appellant.
Shri Sankesh Sharma, S.D.E. (87290 60783) on behalf of the PIO.

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference to the order dated 22.08.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.

2. The Respondent says that the information sought by the appellant is voluminous, so he was called to the office of the respondent to inspect the record. As such, he visited the office on 13.06.2022 and inspected the record to his satisfaction, but after two days on 15.06.2022, the appellant said that this information did not match.

3. The Appellant states that he has inspected the record but information has not been provided to him.

4. After deliberation on the RTI application of the appellant and perusal of the reply filed by the PIO. The PIO is directed to file an Affidavit to this effect and original Affidavit be send to the Appellant, under intimation to the Bench, failing which strict action will be initiated against him as per provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

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APPEAL CASE NO. 2916 OF 2022

5. With the aforesaid directions, the Bench does not feel need for further intervention in the matter. Hence, the instant Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed**.

Chandigarh
20.09.2022

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