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Sh. Ashwani Chawla, Bureau Chief, Sach Kahoon, r/o House No. 2872, B, Sector 42, Chandigarh.

....Appellant

Public Information Officer, o/o General Administration, Punjab Civil Secretariat-1, Accounts – 1 Branch, Chandigarh.

Under Secretary (Accounts) (By name) o/o General Administration, Punjab Civil Secretariat-1, Accounts – 1 Branch, Chandigarh.

....Respondent

Complaint Case No. 122 of 2020

Vs

Present:- Shri Ashwani Chawla, complainant, in person. Smt. Gurdip Kaur, Public Information Officer-cum-Superintendent and Shri Maninderjit Singh, Sr. Assistant on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

Regd.

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This order may be read with the previous order dated 5.3.2020.

2. The complainant states that no information has been provided to him since last hearing. However, the respondent-Public Information Officer submits the memo no. 381 dated 20.3.2020, copy of which is taken on record, and requests for the next date due to the reason that work of I.F.M.S. developed by the N.I.C is in progress and to look into the complaint of the appellant afresh. The respondent-Public Information Officer further states that the Under Secretary (Accounts) is the D.D.O. concerned. In addition, the respondent-Public Information Officer states that the complainant must establish the larger public interest in getting the same.

3. According to the submissions of the respondent-Public Information Officer, one more opportunity is granted to respondent-Public Information Officer to file the submissions before the next date of hearing and the Under Secretary (Accounts) is impleaded as necessary party in this case. Also the directions are given to the complainant to file his response regarding the larger public interest before the next date of hearing.

4. To come up on 4.5.2020 at 11.00 A.M.

Dated: 20.3.2020

Sd/-(Suresh Arora) Chief Information Commissioner, Punjab.