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Bench: Sh. Sanjiv Garg, State Information Commissioner, Punjab.



Sh. Ram Singh Pal, (81466-76217),
Street Number 02, Ward Number 19,
Baba Banda Bahadur Nagar, Khanna ,
District Ludhiana.

Appellant

V/s.

{Regd. Post} **Public Information Officer,**
O/o The Chief Agriculture Officer,
Fatehgarh Sahib.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o The Director Agriculture & Farmer Welfare Department,
Punjab, Mohali.

Respondent

Appeal Case No. 1232 of 2020

{Heard through CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Ram Singh is present.
Sh. Harsangeet Singh, Agriculture Officer is present from the Department.

Order:

The date of RTI Application is 03.01.2020, the date of First Appeal is 17.02.2020 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 20.04.2020.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Ram Singh states that no information has been supplied to him.

On asking the same, to the representative of Respondent/ PIO, Sh. Harsangeet Singh states that the information which relates to them has already been supplied to the Appellant and some information has to be supplied by Sh. Satish Kumar, Agriculture Development Officer, Fatehgarh Sahib and still the information has not been supplied by him. So, for intimation for the same, they had written the letter to their higher authorities i.e. Joint Director Agriculture (Extension and Training), Office of Director Agriculture and Farmers Welfare Department, Punjab, S.A.S Nagar (Mohali) that the information in relating to the RTI Application has not been supplied by Sh. Satish Kumar, ADO. The AO, Sh. Harsangeet Singh further mentions that a letter number 966 dated 07.12.2020, a letter number 4562 dated 17.12.2020, a copy of letter number 3494 dated 22.10.2020, a copy of letter number Spl – 6 dated 01.12.2020 and a copy of letter number Spl-7 dated 02.12.2020 in relating to the same has been sent to the Commission, which is taken on record.

In view of above, a copy of this order be sent to the Joint Director Agriculture (Extension and Training), Office of Director Agriculture and Farmers Welfare Department, Punjab, S.A.S Nagar (Mohali) and he is further directed to look into this matter and make assure that the remaining information should be supplied to the Appellant by the next date of hearing.

Also, a copy of this order be sent to Sh. Satish Kumar, ADO and he is further directed to supply the information to the Appellant by the next date of hearing failing which a disciplinary action would be recommended against him on the next date of hearing. Sh. Satish Kumar, ADO is also directed to appear in person on the next date of hearing positively which is going to be heard through Cisco Webex Meetings Software.

An opportunity is given to the PIO and he is directed to supply the requisite information to the Appellant **by registered post or through an email along with a copy to the Commission** relating to Appellant's RTI Application by the next date of hearing positively failing which further action would be taken against the **concerned PIO** on the next date of hearing.

The Respondent/PIO concerned is also directed to submit copy of postal receipt to the Commission, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, by the next date of hearing.

The Appellant is directed to go through the requisite information, once he receives the same from the Respondent/PIO and point out deficiencies in written, **if any**, to the Respondent/PIO through registered post or through email, with a copy to the Commission, failing which the case will be decided on merits.

This case is adjourned to 15.03.2021 at 11:00 A.M.' and all the concerned parties are directed to be present on the next date of hearing i.e. **15.03.2021** which is going to be heard through **Software/ Application Cisco Webex Meetings and the Meeting Id Number is 918782948.**

Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated: 22.12.2020

Sd/-
(Sanjiv Garg)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

CC:

(Regd. Post) **Joint Director Agriculture (Extension and Training),**
O/o Director Agriculture and Farmers Welfare Department,
Punjab, S.A.S Nagar (Mohali).

(Regd. Post) **Sh. Satish Kumar, Agriculture Development Officer**
O/o The Chief Agriculture Officer,
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First Appellate Authority,

O/o The Director Agriculture & Farmer Welfare Department,
Punjab, Mohali.

Respondent

Appeal Case No. 1231 of 2020

{Heard through CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Ram Singh is present.
Sh. Harsangeet Singh, Agriculture Officer is present from the Department.

Order:

The date of RTI Application is 03.01.2020, the date of First Appeal is 17.02.2020 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 20.04.2020.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Ram Singh states that no information has been supplied to him.

On asking the same, to the representative of Respondent/ PIO, Sh. Harsangeet Singh states that the information which relates to them has already been supplied to the Appellant and some information has to be supplied by Sh. Satish Kumar, Agriculture Development Officer, Fatehgarh Sahib and still the information has not been supplied by him. So, for intimation for the same, they had written the letter to their higher authorities i.e. Joint Director Agriculture (Extension and Training), Office of Director Agriculture and Farmers Welfare Department, Punjab, S.A.S Nagar (Mohali) that the information in relating to the RTI Application has not been supplied by Sh. Satish Kumar, ADO. The AO, Sh. Harsangeet Singh further mentions that a letter number 4559 dated 17.12.2020, a copy of letter number 4501 dated 14.12.2020, a copy of letter number Spl – 5 dated 01.12.2020, a copy of letter number Spl-6 dated 02.12.2020, a copy of letter number Spl-3 dated 01.12.2020 and a copy of letter number 275 dated 10.12.2020 in relating to the same has been sent to the Commission, which is taken on record.

In view of above, a copy of this order be sent to the Joint Director Agriculture (Extension and Training), Office of Director Agriculture and Farmers Welfare Department, Punjab, S.A.S Nagar (Mohali) and he is further directed to look into this matter and make assure that the remaining information should be supplied to the Appellant by the next date of hearing.



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O/o The Chief Agriculture Officer,
Fatehgarh Sahib.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o The Director Agriculture & Farmer Welfare Department,
Punjab, Mohali.

Respondent

Appeal Case No. 1261 of 2020

{Heard through CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Ram Singh is present.
Sh. Harsangeet Singh, Agriculture Officer is present from the Department.

Order:

The date of RTI Application is 03.01.2020, the date of First Appeal is 17.02.2020 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 20.04.2020.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Ram Singh states that no information has been supplied to him.

On asking the same, to the representative of Respondent/ PIO, Sh. Harsangeet Singh states that the information which relates to them has already been supplied to the Appellant and some information has to be supplied by Sh. Satish Kumar, Agriculture Development Officer, Fatehgarh Sahib and still the information has not been supplied by him. So, for intimation for the same, they had written the letter to their higher authorities i.e. Joint Director Agriculture (Extension and Training), Office of Director Agriculture and Farmers Welfare Department, Punjab, S.A.S Nagar (Mohali) that the information in relating to the RTI Application has not been supplied by Sh. Satish Kumar, ADO. The AO, Sh. Harsangeet Singh further mentions that a letter number 4565 dated 17.12.2020, a copy of letter number 4505 dated 14.12.2020, a copy of letter number Spl – 2 dated 01.12.2020 and a copy of letter number Spl - 9 dated 02.12.2020 in relating to the same has been sent to the Commission, which is taken on record.

In view of above, a copy of this order be sent to the Joint Director Agriculture (Extension and Training), Office of Director Agriculture and Farmers Welfare Department, Punjab, S.A.S Nagar (Mohali) and he is further directed to look into this matter and make assure that the remaining information should be supplied to the Appellant by the next date of hearing.



Also, a copy of this order be sent to Sh. Satish Kumar, ADO and he is further directed to supply the information to the Appellant by the next date of hearing failing which a disciplinary action would be recommended against him on the next date of hearing. Sh. Satish Kumar, ADO is also directed to appear in person on the next date of hearing positively which is going to be heard through Cisco Webex Meetings Software.

An opportunity is given to the PIO and he is directed to supply the requisite information to the Appellant **by registered post or through an email along with a copy to the Commission** relating to Appellant's RTI Application by the next date of hearing positively failing which further action would be taken against the **concerned PIO** on the next date of hearing.

The Respondent/PIO concerned is also directed to submit copy of postal receipt to the Commission, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, by the next date of hearing.

The Appellant is directed to go through the requisite information, once he receives the same from the Respondent/PIO and point out deficiencies in written, **if any**, to the Respondent/PIO through registered post or through email, with a copy to the Commission, failing which the case will be decided on merits.

This case is adjourned to 15.03.2021 at 11:00 A.M.' and all the concerned parties are directed to be present on the next date of hearing i.e. **15.03.2021 which is going to be heard through **Software/ Application Cisco Webex Meetings and the Meeting Id Number is 918782948.****

Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated: 22.12.2020

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O/o Director Agriculture and Farmers Welfare Department,
Punjab, S.A.S Nagar (Mohali).

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Sh. Parmod Kumar (9914922650)

S/o Sh. Hem Raj ,

House Number 2650, Ward Number 12,

Near Dusheera Ground, Kharar (Mohali)

Complainant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,

O/o The Labour Commissioner,

Phase -10, Punjab, S.A.S Nagar (Mohali)

Respondent

Complaint Case No. 780 of 2020

{Heard through CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Parmod Kumar is present.
Sh. Harpreet Singh, Labour Conciliation Officer is present from the Department.

Order:

The date of RTI Application is 04.03.2020 and the date of Complaint filed in the Commission is 12.10.2020.

In today's hearing, the Complainant, Sh. Parmod Kumar states that no information has been supplied to him.

On this, the representative of the Respondent/ PIO, Sh. Harpreet Singh states that the information has already been supplied to the Complainant but if he is still not satisfied then the Complainant could visit their office on any working and discuss about the information.

In view of above, the Complainant is advised to visit the concerned office on **22.12.2020 i.e. today at 03.00 P.M.** for collecting the requisite information as per his RTI Application. **Sh. Harpreet Singh is advised to be present there on the said date and time to facilitate the Complainant and to supply the record after discussing with him on the same.**

The Complainant is also advised after collecting the information, if he observes that as per his RTI Application **if any** information is remaining or he is not satisfied with the same, then he must write that down and supply the letter of deficiencies by hand to Sh. Harpreet Singh after the inspection along with a copy to the Commission through an email.

This case is adjourned to 15.03.2021 at 11:00 A.M.' and both the parties are directed to be present on the next date of hearing i.e. 15.03.2021 which is going to be heard through Software/ Application Cisco Webex Meetings and Meeting Id Number is 918782948.

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Sh. Parmod Kumar (9914922650)

S/o Sh. Hem Raj ,

House Number 2650, Ward Number 12,

Near Dusheera Ground, Kharar (Mohali)

Complainant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,

O/o The Labour Commissioner,

Phase -10, Punjab, S.A.S Nagar (Mohali)

Respondent

Complaint Case No. 424 of 2020

{Heard through CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Parmod Kumar is present.
Sh. Harpreet Singh, Labour Conciliation Officer is present from the Department.

Order:

The date of RTI Application is 04.03.2020 and the date of Complaint filed in the Commission is 12.10.2020.

In today's hearing, the Complainant, Sh. Parmod Kumar states that no information has been supplied to him.

On this, the representative of the Respondent/ PIO, Sh. Harpreet Singh states that the RTI Application is not clear, as the dates of information (which has been requested by the Applicant) in not matching with the letters he is asking for.

In view of above, the Complainant is advised to visit the concerned office on **22.12.2020 i.e. today at 03.00 P.M.** for clarifying the specific information to Sh. Harpreet Singh and then collecting the requisite information from him on the same date. **Sh. Harpreet Singh is advised to be present there on the said date and time to facilitate the Complainant and to supply the record after discussing with him on the same.**

The Complainant is also advised after collecting the information, if he observes that as per his RTI Application **if any** information is remaining or he is not satisfied with the same, then he must write that down and supply the letter of deficiencies by hand to Sh. Harpreet Singh after the inspection along with a copy to the Commission through an email.

This case is adjourned to 15.03.2021 at 11:00 A.M.' and both the parties are directed to be present on the next date of hearing i.e. 15.03.2021 which is going to be heard through Software/ Application Cisco Webex Meetings and Meeting Id Number is 918782948.

Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated: 22.12.2020

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Sh. Harinder Singh, S/o Sh. Nachattar Singh,
VPO Rahuriawali,
Tehsil and Distt. Sri Muktsar Sahib (152026)

Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o The District Forest Officer,
Sri Muktsar Sahib.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Conservator of Forests,
Ferozepur Circle, Ferozepur.

Respondent

Appeal Case No. 2770 of 2020

{Heard through CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Harinder Singh is present.
Sh. Vikram, Forest Guard is present from the Department.

Order:

The date of RTI Application is 11.03.2020, the date of First Appeal is 30.06.2020 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 22.09.2020.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Harinder Singh states that incomplete information has been supplied to him.

On this, the Forest Guard, Sh. Vikram states that the record which has been requested by the Appellant through his RTI Application is voluminous in nature and some information has been supplied to the Appellant as well.

On further discussion with both the parties, the Respondent/ PIO is directed to supply the requisite information to the Appellant for the year from 2015 to 2020, of the RTI Application 11.03.2020, except supplying the information relating to the address of the concerned person.

Both the parties agrees to this.

The PIO is directed to supply the requisite information (**as discussed above**) to the Appellant **by registered post or through an email along with a copy to the Commission** relating to Appellant's RTI Application by the next date of hearing positively failing which further action would be taken against the **concerned PIO** on the next date of hearing.

The Respondent/PIO concerned is also directed to submit copy of postal receipt to the Commission, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, by the next date of hearing.

The Appellant is directed to go through the requisite information, once he receives the same from the Respondent/PIO and point out deficiencies in written, **if any**, to the Respondent/PIO through registered post or through email, with a copy to the Commission, failing which the case will be decided on merits.

This case is adjourned to 16.03.2021 at 11:00 A.M.' and all the concerned parties are directed to be present on the next date of hearing i.e. 16.03.2021 which is going to be heard through Software/ Application Cisco Webex Meetings and the Meeting Id Number is 918782948.

Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated: 22.12.2020

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Sh. Gurmeet Singh (98762-69776),
S/o Sh. Lal Singh, Village Kikar Khera,
Tehsil Abohar , Distt. Fazilka.

Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o The XEN (Central Works),
PWD B & R, Malout Road, Abohar.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The XEN (Central Works),
PWD B & R, Malout Road, Abohar.

Respondent

Appeal Case No. 1396 of 2020

{Heard through CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Gurmeet Singh is present.
Sh. Rahul Sokhal, SDE is present from the Department.

Order:

The date of RTI Application is 21.01.2020, the date of First Appeal is 11.03.2020 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 03.06.2020.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Gurmeet Singh states that incomplete information has been supplied to him.

On this, the SDE, Sh. Rahul Sokhal states that the record which has been requested by the Appellant relates to 3rd party and the concerned person does not want to disclose the information.

On this, the Appellant states that this same information has been requested by some other person and the same has been supplied to him.

On further discussion with both the parties and going through the RTI Application of the Applicants', it has been found that the information does not relate with 3rd party and the Respondent/ PIO is directed to supply the requisite information to the Appellant **by registered post or through an email along with a copy to the Commission** relating to Appellant's RTI Application by the next date of hearing positively failing which further action would be taken against the **concerned PIO** on the next date of hearing.

The Respondent/PIO concerned is also directed to submit copy of postal receipt to the Commission, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, by the next date of hearing.

The Appellant is directed to go through the requisite information, once he receives the same from the Respondent/PIO and point out deficiencies in written, **if any**, to the Respondent/PIO through registered post or through email, with a copy to the Commission, failing which the case will be decided on merits.

This case is adjourned to 15.03.2021 at 11:00 A.M.' and all the concerned parties are directed to be present on the next date of hearing i.e. 16.03.2021 which is going to be heard through Software/ Application Cisco Webex Meetings and the Meeting Id Number is 918782948.

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Dated: 22.12.2020

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Sh. Gurmeet Singh (98762-69776),
S/o Sh. Lal Singh, Village Kikar Khera,
Tehsil Abohar , Distt. Fazilka.

Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o The XEN, Water Drainage Department,
Project Division Number 01, Cannal Colony, Gidderbaha.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The SE, Water Drainage Department,
Division Cannal Colony, Gidderbaha.

Respondent

Appeal Case No. 1399 of 2020

{Heard through CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Gurmeet Singh is present.
Sh. Sukhjot Singh, PIO –cum- Executive Officer is present from the Department.

Order:

The date of RTI Application is 14.10.2019, the date of First Appeal is 25.11.2019 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 03.06.2020.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Gurmeet Singh states that incomplete information has been supplied to him.

On this, the PIO, Sh. Sukhjot Singh states that the information has already been sent to the Appellant vide registered post twice and if the Appellant is still not satisfied with the supplied information then he could visit the office on any working day.

In view of above, the Appellant is directed to visit the concerned office on **23.12.2020 i.e. tomorrow at 11.00 A.M.** for collecting the requisite information as per his RTI Application. **Sh. Sukhjot Singh is directed to be present there on the said date and time to facilitate the Appellant and to supply the record after discussing with him on the same.**

The Appellant is also directed after collecting the information, if he observes that as per his RTI Application **if any** information is remaining or he is not satisfied with the same, then he must write that down and supply the letter of deficiencies by hand to Sh. Sukhjot Singh after the inspection along with a copy to the Commission through an email.

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Sh. Balbir Singh, S/o Sh. Man Singh,
R/o Village Ramgarh, Tehsil and Distt. Patiala
M: 9876876320

Complainant

V/s.

{Regd. Post} Public Information Officer,
O/o The Land Acquisition Collector,(Building and Roads),
668 –A, Model Town, Jalandhar.

Respondent

Complaint Case No. 621 of 2020

{Heard through CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}

Present : Advocate, Sh. Abhinav Sharma is present on behalf of the Appellant, Sh. Balbir Singh.
None is present from the Department.

Order:

The date of RTI Application is 09.06.2020 and the date of Complaint filed in the Commission is 07.09.2020.

In today's hearing, the representative of the Complainant, Sh. Abhinav Sharma states that no information has been supplied to them. He further mentions about his authority letter relating to this case which has been received in the Commission vide email dated 22.12.2020 and the same is taken on record.

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

After going through the case file, it has been observed that a letter number 183 dated 01.07.2020 purportedly written by the Department has been found in the file (was attached by the Complainant in the file while filing this case before the Commission) and the same is taken on record.

The Respondent/ PIO is advised to clear the facts of the case and explain about the letter number 183 dated 01.07.2020. Commission takes a very serious view of the casual approach of the PIO, as the information relating to the concerned RTI is still pending.

In view of the above, a show cause notice under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act is issued to the 'concerned' PIO O/o The Land Acquisition Collector,(Building and Roads), Jalandhar. as to why penalty be not imposed upon him for willful delay in supplying the information to the RTI Appellant and as to why the compensation be not awarded to the information-seeker 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 concerned PIO is advised to supply the requisite information to the Complainant by hand or through registered post before the next date of hearing, failing which an action would be taken against the PIO and if the information is not available with them then the



PIO is advised to file a proper reply in the form of an affidavit explaining with the reason, why the information could not be supplied to the Complainant till date. **A copy of this order be sent to the concerned PIO through registered post.**

The Complainant is advised to go through the supplied information, once he receives the same from the Respondent/PIO and point out deficiencies in written, if any, to the Respondent/PIO through registered post or through email, with a copy to the Commission, failing which the case will be decided on merits.

This case is adjourned to 15.03.2021 at 11:00 A.M.’ and both the parties are directed to be present on the next date of hearing i.e. 15.03.2021 which is going to be heard through Video Conference Software/ Application Cisco Webex Meetings.

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Dated: 22.10.2020

Show Cause:

**{Regd. Post} Public Information Officer,
O/o The Land Acquisition Collector,
(Building and Roads),
668 –A, Model Town, Jalandhar.**

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Sh. Jasbir Singh, (9888296107)

Village Bolapur, Jhabewal, PO Ramgarh,
District Ludhiana.

Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,

O/o The Principal Secretary,
Agriculture Department Punjab,
Punjab Government, Mini Secretariat, Chandigarh.

Public Information Officer,

O/o The Director,
Agriculture & Farmer Welfare Department,
Punjab, S.A.S Nagar, Phase -6, (Mohali) 160055

First Appellate Authority,

O/o The Director,
Agriculture & Farmer Welfare Department,
Punjab, S.A.S Nagar, Phase -6, (Mohali)

Respondent

Appeal Case No. 2511 of 2020

{Heard through CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Jasbir Singh is absent.
Sh. J.D.S. Gill, Agriculture Officer is present from the Department.

Order:

The date of RTI Application is 08.06.2020, the date of First Appeal is 20.07.2020 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 07.09.2020.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Jasbir Singh is absent without any intimation to the Commission.

On the other side, the Agriculture Officer, Sh. J.D.S Gill states that the information has been supplied to the Appellant and he further mentions about an email dated 22.12.2020 which has been sent to the Commission relating to the information as well as relating to the registered postal receipt (vide which information has been sent to the Appellant) which is taken on record.

Last opportunity is given to the Appellant and he is directed to go through the supplied information, once he receives the same from the Respondent/PIO and point out deficiencies in written, **if any**, to the Respondent/PIO through registered post or through an email, with a copy to the Commission, failing which it will be presumed that the Appellant would be satisfied and the case will be decided on merits.

This case is adjourned to '16.03.2021 at 11:00 A.M.' and both the parties are directed to be present on the next date of hearing i.e. **16.03.2021** which is going to be heard through **Video Conference Software/ Application Cisco Webex Meetings.**

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Dated: 22.10.2020

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Sh. Baldev Singh, S/o Sh. Sawran Singh,

R/o B – 1- 933 / 7-A, Street Number 05, New Deep Nagar,
Civil Lines, Ludhiana (98147-15043)

Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,

O/o The XEN, Construction Division Number 01,
PWD B & R, Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o The SE, PWD B & R, Ludhiana Circle, Ludhiana.

Respondent

Appeal Case No. 1443 of 2020

{Heard through CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Baldev Singh is present.
Sh. Sehaj Preet Singh, SDE is present from the Department.

Order:

The date of RTI Application is 18.11.2019, the date of First Appeal is 05.12.2019 and the date of Appeal filed in the Commission is 09.06.2020.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Baldev Singh states that incomplete information has been supplied to him. He further states that the information after 29.06.2009 has been supplied to him and information before 29.06.2009 is pending.

On the other side, the SDE, Sh. Sehaj Preet Singh states that the information has been supplied to the Appellant.

In view of above, the concerned PIO is directed to supply the requisite information to the Appellant through registered post before the next date of hearing, failing which an action would be taken against the PIO **and if** the information is not available with them then the PIO is directed to file a proper reply in the form of an affidavit explaining with the reason, why the information could not be supplied to the Appellant till date.

The Appellant is directed to go through the supplied information, once he receives the same from the Respondent/PIO and point out deficiencies in written, if any, to the Respondent/PIO through registered post or through email, with a copy to the Commission, failing which the case will be decided on merits.

This case is adjourned to 15.03.2021 at 11:00 A.M.' and both the parties are directed to be present on the next date of hearing i.e. 15.03.2021 which is going to be heard through Video Conference Software/ Application Cisco Webex Meetings.

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Sh. Rakesh Kumar Gupta,

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Distt. Ludhiana (141101) Punjab

Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,

O/o The Executive Officer,

Nagar Council, Mullanpur Dakha, District Ludhiana (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,

O/o The Regional Deputy Director,

Urban Local Bodies, Punjab, Ludhiana.

Respondent

Appeal Case No. 4703 of 2019

{Heard through CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Rakesh Kumar Gupta is present.
Sh. Manohar Singh, Executive Officer is present from the Department.

Order:

This case was last heard on 29.09.2020 vide which the Appellant was directed to visit the concerned office on 26.10.2020 for collecting the records after inspecting the same.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Rakesh Kumar Gupta states that an email relating to information has been received by him today morning from the Department and he seeks some time to go through the supplied information. He further mentions about his email dated 22.12.2020 which has been sent to the Commission relating to this case and the same is taken on record.

On the other side, the Executive Officer, Sh. Manohar Singh states that the information has been sent to the Appellant as well as a copy of the same has been sent to the Commission through an email dated 21.12.2020, which is taken on record. He further mentions about a letter dated 1409 dated 18.12.2020 which has also been sent to the Commission vide email dated 22.12.2020.

After going through supplied information and discussing with both the parties, an opportunity is given to the Appellant and he is directed to visit the concerned office on **24.12.2020 i.e. Thursday at 11.00 A.M.** for submitting the deficiencies letter by hand to the EO, Sh. Manohar Singh. **Sh. Manohar Singh, E.O. is directed to be present there on the said date and time to facilitate the Appellant and to supply the certified attested copies of information to the Appellant at the time of his visit by hand (if possible) else Sh. Manohar Singh, EO is directed to supply the remaining information (after removing the deficiencies) to the Appellant vide registered post within 20 days from today along with a copy to the Commission.**

If the Appellant doesn't visit on the said date and time then it will be presumed that the Appellant is satisfied and he doesn't require the information anymore and the case will be decided on merits.

This case is adjourned to 15.03.2021 at 11:00 A.M.' and both the parties are directed to be present on the next date of hearing i.e. 15.03.2021 which is going to be heard through Software/ Application Cisco Webex Meetings and Meeting Id Number is 918782948.

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Public Information Officer,

O/o The Executive Officer,

Nagar Council, Mullanpur Dakha, District Ludhiana (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,

O/o The Regional Deputy Director,

Urban Local Bodies, Punjab, Ludhiana.

Respondent

Appeal Case No. 4637 of 2019

{Heard through CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Rakesh Kumar Gupta is present.

Sh. Manohar Singh, Executive Officer is present from the Department.

Order:

This case was last heard on 29.09.2020 vide which the Appellant was directed to visit the concerned office on 26.10.2020 for collecting the records after inspecting the same.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Rakesh Kumar Gupta states that an email relating to information has been received by him today morning from the Department and he seeks some time to go through the supplied information. He further mentions about his email dated 22.12.2020 which has been sent to the Commission relating to this case and the same is taken on record.

On the other side, the Executive Officer, Sh. Manohar Singh states that the information has been sent to the Appellant as well as a copy of the same has been sent to the Commission through an email dated 21.12.2020, which is taken on record. He further mentions about a letter dated 1412 dated 18.12.2020 which has also been sent to the Commission vide email dated 22.12.2020.

After going through supplied information and discussing with both the parties, an opportunity is given to the Appellant and he is directed to visit the concerned office on **24.12.2020 i.e. Thursday at 11.00 A.M.** for submitting the deficiencies letter by hand to the EO, Sh. Manohar Singh. **Sh. Manohar Singh, E.O. is directed to be present there on the said date and time to facilitate the Appellant and to supply the certified attested copies of information to the Appellant at the time of his visit by hand (if possible) else Sh. Manohar Singh, EO is directed to supply the remaining information (after removing the deficiencies) to the Appellant vide registered post within 20 days from today along with a copy to the Commission.**

If the Appellant doesn't visit on the said date and time then it will be presumed that the Appellant is satisfied and he doesn't require the information anymore and the case will be decided on merits.

This case is adjourned to 15.03.2021 at 11:00 A.M.' and both the parties are directed to be present on the next date of hearing i.e. 15.03.2021 which is going to be heard through **Software/ Application Cisco Webex Meetings and Meeting Id Number is 918782948.**

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Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Executive Officer, Nagar Council,
Mullanpur Dakha, District Ludhiana (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Regional Deputy Director,
Urban Local Bodies, Punjab, Ludhiana.

Respondent

Appeal Case No. 4638 of 2019

{Heard through CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Rakesh Kumar Gupta is present.
Sh. Manohar Singh, Executive Officer is present from the Department.

Order:

This case was last heard on 29.09.2020 vide which the Appellant was directed to visit the concerned office on 26.10.2020 for collecting the records after inspecting the same.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Rakesh Kumar Gupta states that no information has been supplied to him and also mentions about his email dated 22.12.2020 which has been sent to the Commission relating to this case and the same is taken on record.

On the other hand, the Executive Officer, Sh. Manohar Singh states that the information has been sent to the Appellant as well as a copy of the same has been sent to the Commission through an email dated 21.12.2020. He further mentions about a letter dated 1415 dated 18.12.2020 which has also been sent to the Commission vide email dated 22.12.2020.

After going through supplied information and discussing with both the parties, the EO, Sh. Manohar Singh states that there is no slum area at the location mentioned in the RTI Application.

On the above said statement given by Sh. Manohar Lal, an opportunity is given to the PIO to look into this once again and supply the information to the Appellant by registered post along with a copy to the Commission **else**, the PIO is directed to submit the same in the writing that 'there is no slum area' along with name of the mentioned location (as per RTI) and also mention the definition of 'slum area' in written signed by the PIO, to be supplied to the Appellant along with a copy to the Commission by the next date of hearing.

The Respondent/PIO concerned is also directed to submit a copy of postal receipt to the Commission, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, by the next date of hearing.

The Appellant is directed to go through the requisite information, once he receives the same from the Respondent/PIO and point out deficiencies in written, **if any**, to the Respondent/PIO through registered post or through email, with a copy to the Commission, failing which the case will be decided on merits.

This case is adjourned to 15.03.2021 at 11:00 A.M.' and both the parties are directed to be present on the next date of hearing i.e. 15.03.2021 which is going to be heard through **Software/ Application Cisco Webex Meetings and Meeting Id Number is 918782948.**

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Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Executive Officer, Nagar Council,
Mullanpur Dakha, District Ludhiana (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Regional Deputy Director,
Urban Local Bodies, Punjab, Ludhiana.

Respondent

Appeal Case No. 3471 of 2019

{Heard through CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Rakesh Kumar Gupta is present.
Sh. Manohar Singh, Executive Officer is present from the Department.

Order:

This case was last heard on 29.09.2020 vide which the Appellant was directed to visit the concerned office on 27.10.2020 for collecting the records after inspecting the same.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Rakesh Kumar Gupta states that he had only received two complaints from the department relating to information as per his RTI but this is an incomplete information as there are so many complaints which he know that are pending at the concerned office. He further mentions about his email dated 22.12.2020 which has been sent to the Commission relating to this case and the same is taken on record.

On the other hand, the Executive Officer, Sh. Manohar Singh states that there are two complaints which he has received from the higher authorities and the copy of same had been given to the Appellant.

To which, the Appellant, Sh. Rakesh Gupta states that there are more than two complaints.

In view of above said statement given by Sh. Manohar Lal, an opportunity is given to the PIO to look into this once again and supply the information to the Appellant by registered post along with a copy to the Commission **else**, the PIO is directed to submit the same in written as mentioned by the EO, Sh. Manohar Lal **above** signed by the PIO, to be supplied to the Appellant along with a copy to the Commission by the next date of hearing.

The Respondent/PIO concerned is also directed to submit a copy of postal receipt to the Commission, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, by the next date of hearing.

The Appellant is directed to go through the requisite information, once he receives the same from the Respondent/PIO and point out deficiencies in written, **if any**, to the Respondent/PIO through registered post or through email, with a copy to the Commission, failing which the case will be decided on merits.

This case is adjourned to 15.03.2021 at 11:00 A.M.' and both the parties are directed to be present on the next date of hearing i.e. 15.03.2021 which is going to be heard through **Software/ Application Cisco Webex Meetings and Meeting Id Number is 918782948.**

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Appellant

V/s.

Public Information Officer,

O/o The Executive Officer,

Nagar Council, Mullanpur Dakha, District Ludhiana (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,

O/o The Regional Deputy Director,

Urban Local Bodies, Punjab, Ludhiana.

Respondent

Appeal Case No. 3472 of 2019

{Heard through CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Rakesh Kumar Gupta is present.

Sh. Manohar Singh, Executive Officer is present from the Department.

Order:

This case was last heard on 29.09.2020 vide which the Appellant was directed to visit the concerned office on 27.10.2020 for collecting the records after inspecting the same.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Rakesh Kumar Gupta states that an email relating to information has been received by him today morning from the Department and he seeks some time to go through the supplied information. He further mentions about his email dated 22.12.2020 which has been sent to the Commission relating to this case and the same is taken on record.

On the other side, the Executive Officer, Sh. Manohar Singh states that the information has been sent to the Appellant as well as a copy of the same has been sent to the Commission through an email dated 21.12.2020, which is taken on record. He further mentions about a letter dated 1420 dated 18.12.2020 which has also been sent to the Commission vide email dated 22.12.2020.

After going through supplied information and discussing with both the parties, an opportunity is given to the Appellant and he is directed to visit the concerned office on **24.12.2020 i.e. Thursday at 11.00 A.M.** for submitting the deficiencies letter, if any, by hand to the EO, Sh. Manohar Singh. **Sh. Manohar Singh, E.O. is directed to be present there on the said date and time to facilitate the Appellant and to supply the certified attested copies of information to the Appellant at the time of his visit by hand (if possible) else Sh. Manohar Singh, EO is directed to supply the remaining information (after removing the deficiencies) to the Appellant vide registered post within 20 days from today along with a copy to the Commission.**

The Respondent/PIO concerned is also directed to submit a copy of postal receipt to the Commission, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, by the next date of hearing.

If the Appellant doesn't visit on the said date and time then it will be presumed that the Appellant is satisfied and he doesn't require the information anymore and the case will be decided on merits.

This case is adjourned to 15.03.2021 at 11:00 A.M.' and both the parties are directed to be present on the next date of hearing i.e. 15.03.2021 which is going to be heard through Software/ Application Cisco Webex Meetings and Meeting Id Number is 918782948.

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First Appellate Authority,

O/o The Regional Deputy Director,
Urban Local Bodies, Punjab, Ludhiana.

Respondent

Appeal Case No. 2610 of 2019

{Heard through CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Rakesh Kumar Gupta is present.
Sh. Manohar Singh, Executive Officer is present from the Department.

Order:

This case was last heard on 29.09.2020 vide which the Appellant was directed to visit the concerned office on 27.10.2020 for collecting the records after inspecting the same.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Rakesh Kumar Gupta states that no information has been supplied to him. He further mentions about his email dated 16.12.2020 and 22.12.2020 which has been sent to the Commission relating to this case and the same is taken on record.

On the other side, the Executive Officer, Sh. Manohar Singh states that there is a confusion between AC 2610 of 2019 (i.e. present case) and AC: 2609 of 2019 (heard today after this), as he further states that both the RTI's are same in nature in both the above mentioned cases (i.e. AC: 2610 / 2019 and AC: 2609 / 2019).

After going through both the RTI's and discussing with both the parties, it has been observed that both the RTI's are different in nature, last opportunity is given to the Respondent/ PIO to look into this and further PIO is directed to supply the requisite information to the Appellant vide registered post within 20 days from today along with a copy to the Commission positively failing which an action would be taken against the PIO.

The Appellant is directed to visit the concerned office on **24.12.2020 i.e. Thursday at 11.00 A.M.** for submitting the RTI Application by hand to the EO, Sh. Manohar Singh. **Sh. Manohar Singh, E.O. is directed to be present there on the said date and time to facilitate the Appellant and to supply the certified attested copies of information to the Appellant at the time of his visit by hand (if possible) else Sh. Manohar Singh, EO is directed to supply the requisite information to the Appellant vide registered post within 25 days from today along with a copy to the Commission.**

If the Appellant doesn't visit on the said date and time then it will be presumed that the Appellant is satisfied and he doesn't require the information anymore and the case will be decided on merits.

The Respondent/PIO concerned is also directed to submit a copy of postal receipt to the Commission, through which information would be sent (**if sent**) to the Appellant, by the next date of hearing.

This case is adjourned to 15.03.2021 at 11:00 A.M.' and both the parties are directed to be present on the next date of hearing i.e. 15.03.2021 which is going to be heard through **Software/ Application Cisco Webex Meetings and Meeting Id Number is 918782948.**

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First Appellate Authority,

O/o The Regional Deputy Director,
Urban Local Bodies, Punjab, Ludhiana.

Respondent

Appeal Case No. 2609 of 2019

{Heard through CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Rakesh Kumar Gupta is present.
Sh. Manohar Singh, Executive Officer is present from the Department.

Order:

This case was last heard on 29.09.2020 vide which the Appellant was directed to visit the concerned office on 02.11.2020 for collecting the records after inspecting the same.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Rakesh Kumar Gupta states that no information has been supplied to him. He further mentions about his email dated 16.12.2020 and 22.12.2020 which has been sent to the Commission relating to this case and the same is taken on record.

On the other side, the Executive Officer, Sh. Manohar Singh states that there is a confusion between AC 2609 of 2019 (i.e. present case) and AC: 2610 of 2019 (heard today before this), as he further states that both the RTI's are same in nature in both the above mentioned cases (i.e. AC: 2609 / 2019 and AC: 2610 / 2019).

After going through both the RTI's and discussing with both the parties, it has been observed that both the RTI's are different in nature, last opportunity is given to the Respondent/ PIO to look into this and further PIO is directed to supply the requisite information to the Appellant vide registered post within 20 days from today along with a copy to the Commission positively failing which an action would be taken against the PIO.

The Appellant is directed to visit the concerned office on **24.12.2020 i.e. Thursday at 11.00 A.M.** for submitting the RTI Application by hand to the EO, Sh. Manohar Singh. **Sh. Manohar Singh, E.O. is directed to be present there on the said date and time to facilitate the Appellant and to supply the certified attested copies of information to the Appellant at the time of his visit by hand (if possible) else Sh. Manohar Singh, EO is directed to supply the requisite information to the Appellant vide registered post within 25 days from today along with a copy to the Commission.**

If the Appellant doesn't visit on the said date and time then it will be presumed that the Appellant is satisfied and he doesn't require the information anymore and the case will be decided on merits.

The Respondent/PIO concerned is also directed to submit a copy of postal receipt to the Commission, through which information would be sent (**if sent**) to the Appellant, by the next date of hearing.

This case is adjourned to 15.03.2021 at 11:00 A.M.' and both the parties are directed to be present on the next date of hearing i.e. 15.03.2021 which is going to be heard through **Software/ Application Cisco Webex Meetings and Meeting Id Number is 918782948.**

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Appellant

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O/o The Executive Officer,

Nagar Council, Mullanpur Dakha, District Ludhiana (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,

O/o The Regional Deputy Director,

Urban Local Bodies, Punjab, Ludhiana.

Respondent

Appeal Case No. 4516 of 2019

{Heard through CISCO WEBEX MEETINGS Software}

Present : The Appellant, Sh. Rakesh Kumar Gupta is present.

Sh. Manohar Singh, Executive Officer is present from the Department.

Order:

This case was last heard on 29.09.2020 vide which the Appellant was directed to visit the concerned office on 02.11.2020 for collecting the records after inspecting the same.

In today's hearing, the Appellant, Sh. Rakesh Kumar Gupta states that no information has been supplied to him. He further mentions about his email dated 21.12.2020 which has been sent to the Commission relating to this case and the same is taken on record.

On the other hand, the Executive Officer, Sh. Manohar Singh states that information has been sent to the Appellant as well as to the Commission vide email dated 21.12.2020 and he further requested the Appellant to go through his email once again.

After discussing with both the parties and going through the case file, the Appellant is directed to visit the concerned office on **24.12.2020 i.e. Thursday at 11.00 A.M.** for collecting the information by hand to the EO, Sh. Manohar Singh. **Sh. Manohar Singh, E.O. is directed to be present there on the said date and time to facilitate the Appellant and to supply the certified attested copies of information to the Appellant at the time of his visit by hand (if possible) else Sh. Manohar Singh, EO is directed to supply the requisite information to the Appellant vide registered post within 25 days from today along with a copy to the Commission.**

If the Appellant doesn't visit on the said date and time then it will be presumed that the Appellant is satisfied and he doesn't require the information anymore and the case will be decided on merits.

The Respondent/PIO concerned is also directed to submit a copy of postal receipt to the Commission, through which information would be sent **(if sent)** to the Appellant, by the next date of hearing.

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