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APPEAL CASE NO. 0093 OF 2020

Sh. Sanjeev Goyal, (9814197689)
S/o Sh. Ashok Kumar,
H. No. 148 Model Town,
Phase-I, Bathinda-151001

...Appellant

Versus

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

First Appellate Authority
O/o The Commissioner,
Municipal Corporation,
Bathinda.

...Respondents

HEARD THROUGH CISCO WEBEX/TELEPHONE

PRESENT: None on behalf of the Appellant.
Sh. Gurpreet Singh, XEN-cum-PIO on behalf of the Respondent.

ORDER:

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 10.11.2020.

2. The appellant is absent today. He emailed to Commission his son is admitted in DMC Ludhiana, his appearance in today's hearing be exempted and case be adjourned to another date.

3. The Respondent states that the Appellant has been called 2-3 times for inspection of record in regard to information of point No.1 but he did not turn up. In view of this, last and final opportunity is provided to the Appellant with direction to contact the Respondents over phone to fix a date and time for inspection of record to identify the demanded information and get the same on the spot under intimation to the Commission failing which it will be presumed that he is satisfied with the supplied information and the case will be decided accordingly. The Respondent is also directed to be present on the fixed date and time for inspection and supply duly attested information on the spot under intimation to the Commission failing which penal proceedings will follow.

4. In case no more information is available, the Respondent – PIO is directed to file point-wise-reply in the shape of an Affidavit duly attested by the Notary indicating that whatever information available in their record has already been supplied and no more information relating to the instant RTI application is not available in their record. He is further directed to inform the concerned PIO to supply the information of point 1 duly attested by registered post before the next date of hearing with a copy to Commission.

5. The case is adjourned to **03.03.2021 at 01.00PM through CISCO WEBEX MEETING ID No. 913428845**. Both the parties are directed to present their case accordingly. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Chandigarh
24.12.2020

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Shri Gurpreet Singh,
XEN-cum-PIO
Municipal Corporation,

Bathinda.

Sd/-
(Hem Inder Singh)
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APPEAL CASE NO. 0094 OF 2020

Sh. Sanjeev Goyal, (9814197689)
S/o Sh. Ashok Kumar,
H. No. 148 Model Town,
Phase-I, Bathinda-151001

...Appellant

Versus

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

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

...Respondents

HEARD THROUGH CISCO WEBEX/TELEPHONE

PRESENT: None on behalf of the Appellant.
Sh. Rajinder Kumar, SDO, on behalf of the Respondents.

ORDER:

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 10.11.2020.

2. The appellant is absent today. He has emailed to Commission that his son is admitted in DMC Ludhiana, his appearance in today's hearing be exempted and case be adjourned to another date.
3. The Respondent states that the Appellant did not visit their office to get the information attested as directed him in the previous order dated 10.11.2020.
4. In view of the above, last & final opportunity is offered to the Appellant to visit the office of the Respondents to get the remaining information certified/attested. In case of non-compliance of Commission order it will be presumed that he is satisfied with the supplied information and the case will be decided accordingly.
5. The case is adjourned to **03.03.2021 at 01.00PM through CISCO WEBEX MEETING ID No. 913428845**. Both the parties are directed to present their case accordingly. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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APPEAL CASE NO. 0214 OF 2020

Sh. Sukhchain Singh, (9463518565)
Sonam Mohalla,
Fatehgarh Churian, Tehsil Batala,
District Gurdaspur.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Principal Secretary,
Local Government, Punjab,
Municipal Bhawan, Sector-35, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Principal Secretary,
Local Government, Punjab,
Municipal Bhawan, Sector-35, Chandigarh.

...Respondents

HEARD THROUGH CISCO WEBEX – VIDEO CONFERENCE

PRESENT: Sh. Sukhchain Singh, Appellant.
Sh. Satwinder Singh, Superintendent –cum- PIO along with Ms. Sandeep Kaur
Sr. Assistant for the Respondents.

ORDER:

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 10.11.2020.

2. The respondent that states all the relevant information has already been supplied to the appellant.
3. The Appellant states that information supplied by the respondents is incorrect and incomplete.
4. The Respondent-PIO is directed to file point-wise reply in the shape of proper affidavit duly attested by public notary stating that whatever information available in their record has already been supplied and no more information is available in their record relating to this RTI. In case of non-compliance, penal proceedings as per the provisions of RTI 2005 shall be initiated against him.
5. Adjourned. To come up on **09.02.2021 at 11:00 AM** for further hearing **through CISCO WEBEX MEETING ID No. 913428845**. Both the parties are directed to be present on the next date of hearing to present their case accordingly. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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APPEAL CASE NO.0921 OF 2020

Shri Sohan Singh (9872573505)
S/o Shri Pala Singh
Village Khasi Khurd,
PO Kandiana Kalan,
Tehsil & District Ludhiana.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Principal,
Shri Shankar Das Government
Senior Secondary School, (Boys)
Machhiwara, Distt. Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority
O/o Director,
Public Instructions (Secondary),
Punjab School Education Board Complex,
Phase-8, S.A.S. Nagar (Mohali).

...Respondents

HEARD Through CISCO WEBEX – VC/TELEPHONE

PRESENT: Shri Sohan Singh, the Appellant.
Ms. Davinder Pal Kaur, Prncipal-cum-PIO, Ms. Manpreet Kaur, Clerk, O/o Principal, SSS(Boys)
Machhiwara.

ORDER:

This order may be read with the previous order dated 10.11.2020.

2. The Respondent – PIO orally reiterates her earlier version that the requisite information, as available in their office record, has already been provided to the appellant. She further states that RTI of the appellant from point No.1 to 20 is in questionnaire form.

3. The Appellant orally states that information provided by the Respondents is incomplete.

4. In view of the above, the Respondent-PIO is directed to file a proper affidavit duly attested by the Public Notary stating that information as available in their office record has already been supplied to the appellant and no more information regarding this RTI is available in their office record. She is further directed to send the **original affidavit** to the appellant by registered post and copy of the same be emailed to Commission before the next date of hearing.

5. The case is adjourned to **03.03.2021 at 01.00PM through CISCO WEBEX MEETING ID No. 913428845**. Both the parties are directed to be present on the next date of hearing to present their case accordingly. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

(Hem Inder Singh)
State Information Commissioner

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Copy to Intimation and Necessary action:-

The Public Information Officer,
O/o District Education Officer(SE),
Ludhiana.

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APPEAL CASE NO.1022 OF 2020

Shri Sukhwinder Singh (9465650001)
Parents Association (Regd)
MACHHIWARA,
District Ludhiana.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Secretary,
School Education Department, Punjab,
Punjab Civil Secretariat-II,
Sector -9, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority
O/o The Secretary,
School Education Department, Punjab,
Punjab Civil Secretariat-II,
Sector -9, Chandigarh.

...Respondents

HEARD THROUGH CISCO WEBEX – VC/TELEPHONE

PRESENT: Shri Sukhwinder Singh, the appellant
None on behalf of both the parties.

ORDER:

This order may be read with the previous order dated 10.11.2020.

2. The Appellant orally states that the demanded information not been provided by the Respondents till date.
3. The Respondent-PIO is absent for the 04th time consecutively without any intimation to the Commission. On the previous date of hearing i.e. 10.11.2020 a **Show Cause Notice** under Section 20(1) of the RTI Act 2005, was issued to him (by name) to explain the reasons through a duly attested affidavit as to why a penalty at the rate of Rs.250/- per day subject to maximum of Rs.25000/- be not imposed upon him for the delay in the supply of information. Last and final opportunity is afforded to him for personal hearing on the next date of hearing. He is also directed to supply the requisite information (readable and duly attested) to the appellant by registered post with a copy to Commission before the next date of hearing and in case of non-compliance, penalty will be imposed under the provisions of the RTI Act 2005.
4. The appellant is advised to be present personally on the next date of hearing to present his case failing which appropriate decision will be taken in his absence.
5. The case is adjourned to **03.03.2021 at 01.00PM** through **CISCO WEBEX meeting ID No. 913428845**. Both the parties are directed to present their case accordingly. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

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State Information Commissioner

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Education Branch-3,
Mini Secretariat, Sector 9,
CHANDIGARH.

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COMPLAINT CASE NO. 0833 OF 2020

Sh. Ashwani Chawla, (9914405765)
Bureau Chief, Sach Kahoon,
2872-B, Sector-42-C, Chandigarh.

...Complainant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Punjab School Education Board,
Vidya Bhawan, PSEB Complex,
Phase-8, S.A.S. Nagar (Mohali).

...Respondent

HEARD THROUGH CISCO WEBEX/VC/TELEPHONE

Present None on behalf of the Complainant
Shri Avinder Singh, SA, on behalf of the Respondents.

ORDER

The RTI is dated 10.08.2020 whereof the complainant has demanded information from the PIO O/o Punjab School Education Board, SAS Nagar(Mohali). He has filed his complaint in the Commission on 03.11.2020.

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 24.12.2020.

3. The Respondent states that reply, stating the information demanded by the Complainant relates to third party, has already been sent to the Complainant on 13.10.2020 and hence, information cannot be provided.

4. The Complainant is absent today without any intimation to the Commission. He is directed to be present on the next date of hearing to present his case.

5. The case is adjourned to **03.03.2021 at 01.00PM** for hearing through **CISCO WEBEX** meeting **ID No.913428845**. Copies of order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

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COMPLAINT CASE NO. 0834 OF 2020

Sh. Yashpal, (9463519980)
Retd. Sr. Asstt. Pb. Roadways Pathankot,
S/o Sh. Kishan Chand,
V.P.O. Gharota Kalan, Jandi Road,
Tehsil & District Pathankot.

...Complainant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Director,
State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,
Jeevan Deep Building, Sector-17,
Chandigarh.

...Respondent

HEARD THROUGH CISCO WEBEX/VC/TELEPHONE

Present None on behalf of both the parties.

ORDER

The RTI is dated 12.06.2020 whereof the complainant has demanded information from the PIO O/o The Director, State Transport Commissioner, Punjab, Chandigarh. He has filed his complaint in the Commission on 03.11.2020.

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 24.12.2020.

3. Both the parties are absent today without any intimation to the Commission. Both the parties are directed to be present on the next date of hearing to present their case.

4. The case is adjourned to **03.03.2021 at 01.00PM** for hearing through **CISCO WEBEX** meeting **ID No.913428845**. Copies of order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

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24.12.2020

(Hem Inder Singh)
State Information Commissioner, Punjab

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COMPLAINT CASE NO. 0841 OF 2020

Sh. Naresh Dilawri, (9814033593)
R/o # 3440, Sector-35-D,
Chandigarh.

...Complainant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Secretary,
Regional Transport Authority, Punjab,
Sector-76, Mini Secretariat,
S.A.S. Nagar (Mohali).

...Respondent

HEARD THROUGH CISCO WEBEX/VC/TELEPHONE

Present Shri Naresh Dilawari, the Complainant
None on behalf of the Respondents

ORDER

The RTI is dated 03.10.2020 whereof the complainant has demanded information from the PIO O/o The Secretary, RTA, SAS Nagar(Mohali). He has filed his complaint in the Commission on 06.11.2020.

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 24.12.2020.

3. The complainant states that the Respondents has got receipt from him having received the demanded information by misrepresenting the facts. He further requests the Commission not to take into account receipt as he intends to plead the case for getting the demanded information. The complainant is directed to be present on the next date of hearing to plead his case.

4. The Respondent-PIO is absent today without any intimation to the Commission. In view of above, he is directed to be present on the next date of hearing to present their case.

5. The case is adjourned to **03.03.2021 at 01.00PM** for hearing through **CISCO WEBEX** meeting **ID No.913428845**. Copies of order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Chandigarh
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APPEAL CASE NO. 3051 OF 2020

Sh. Abhishek Sharma, (9416690380)
S/o Sh. Chandgi Ram Sharma,
C/o Chamber No. 104, District Court Complex,
Sector-43, Chandigarh.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Municipal Council,
Zirakpur, District S.A.S. Nagar (Mohali).

First Appellate Authority
O/o Municipal Council,
Zirakpur, District S.A.S. Nagar (Mohali).

...Respondents

HEARD THROUGH CISCO WEBEX – VIDEO CONFERENCE

PRESENT: Advocate Rubi Sharma (9416690380) on behalf of the Appellant.
None on behalf of the Respondents

ORDER:

The RTI is dated 28.11.2019 whereof the appellant has demanded information, as enumerated in his RTI application, from the PIO O/o Municipal Council, Zirakpur. First appeal is filed on 22.01.2020 with FAA. He filed his second appeal to Commission on 14.10.2020.

2. Notice to both the parties was issued for hearing on 24.12.2020.

3. The representative of the appellant orally states that the sought for information has not been supplied by the Respondents till date.

4. The Respondent-PIO is absent today without any intimation to the Commission. He is directed to supply the demanded information by registered post to the Appellant with a copy to Commission before the next date of hearing. He is further directed to be present on the next date of hearing to present the case.

5. The case is adjourned to **03.03.2021 at 01.00PM** for hearing through **CISCO WEBEX** meeting **ID No.913428845**. Copies of order be sent to the parties.

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COMPLAINT CASE NO.0349 OF 2020

Shri Manjeet Singh (9888486861)
Vocational Teacher (Retd.)
166, Ward No.13-B,
Backside Old Jain Mandir,
DHURI, District Sangrur-148024

...Complainant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Principal,
Govt. Senior Secondary School,
BALIAN Via Longowal,
District Sangrur-1480024

...Respondent

HEARD THROUGH CISCO WEBEX/TELEPHONE

PRESENT: None on behalf of both the parties.

ORDER:

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 10.11.2020.

2. The Complainant is absent today without any intimation to the Commission.
3. The Respondent-PIO is also absent today. However, he has sent written reply vide letter No.534/2000, dated 07.12.2020 stating that the Complainant is demanding the information of Shri Chaman Lal, Teacher, who has refused not to provide his information the complainant. Thus, being a third party information the same cannot be provided.
4. While examining the above written reply submitted by the respondents, it is observed that demanded information is relating to third party and no larger public interest seems to be involved, **the case is disposed of and closed.** The letter/reply submitted by the respondents is taken on record.
5. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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(Hem Inder Singh)
State Information Commissioner

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APPEAL CASE NO. 606 OF 2020

Sh. Sukhchain Singh, (9463518565)
Sonam Mohalla, Fatehgarh Churian,
Tehsil Batala, District Gurdaspur.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Deputy Director,
Urban Local Bodies,
Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Deputy Director,
Urban Local Bodies,
Amritsar.

...Respondents

HEARD THROUGH CISCO WEBEX – VIDEO CONFERENCE

PRESENT: Sh. Sukchain Singh, Appellant.
Sh. Ramesh Kumar, E.O. O/o Municipal Council, Fatehgarh Churian.

ORDER:

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 10.11.2020.

2. The Respondent states that in pursuant to the previous order dated 10.11.2020, original affidavit on non-judicial stamp paper of Rs.50/- has been sent to the appellant by registered post vide letter No.1276-77, dated 22.12.2020 stating that all the relevant information relating to the instant RTI has already been supplied to the appellant and no more information is available in their record. He further states that a Copy the affidavit is emailed to Commission which is received in the Commission and taken on record.

4. In view of the above no more action is called for in this RTI **and hence the case is disposed of and closed.**

5. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Chandigarh
24.12.2020

Sd/-
(Hem Inder Singh)
State Information Commissioner

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APPEAL CASE NO. 3037 OF 2020

Sh. Ravinder Singh Gill, (9417533942)
986, Near Dev Hotel,
Main Bazar, Moga.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Excise & Taxation Commissioner,
Hoshiarpur.

First Appellate Authority
O/o The Excise & Taxation Commissioner,
Hoshiarpur.

...Respondents

HEARD THROUGH CISCO WEBEX – VIDEO CONFERENCE

PRESENT: None on behalf of the Appellant.
Sh. Brij Mohan Singh, Excise Inspector, on behalf of the Respondents

ORDER:

The RTI is dated 27.06.2020 whereof the appellant has demanded information, as enumerated in his RTI application, from the PIO O/o the Excise and Taxation Commissioner, Hoshiarpur. First appeal is filed on 04.08.2020 with FAA. He filed his second appeal to Commission on 14.10.2020.

2. Notice to both the parties was issued for hearing on 24.12.2020.

3. The Respondent states that the sought for information has already been supplied to the appellant vide letter No.213-214/E&T, dated 17.12.2020 and copy of the same is forwarded to Commission.

4. The appellant is absent for today's hearing without any intimation to the Commission. He is contacted over his Mobile regarding receipt of demanded information, who, in turn, has informed that he has received the asked for information from the Respondents and he is satisfied with the same. He has further requested the court to close the case.

5. In view of the above, no more action is called for in this RTI, as the requisite information stands supplied. **Hence the case is disposed of and closed.** Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Chandigarh
24.12.2020

Sd/-
(Hem Inder Singh)
State Information Commissioner