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Ms. Meenu Bala, (9814466281)

S/o Sh. Sardari Lal,

R/o Village Banthanwala, PO Dodwan,

Tehsil Dinanagar, Distt Gurdaspur-143532

RTI Application No. 49713

....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o Additional Deputy Commissioner,

(Urban Development), Gurdaspur.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o Deputy Commissioner,

Gurdaspur.

...Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 6303 OF 2023

PRESENT:

Ms. Meenu Bala, Appellant.

Shri Bhupinder Kumar, Clerk (94648 64898) on behalf of the Respondents.

ORDER:

1. The RTI application is dated 01.02.2023 vide which the appellant had sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 04.03.2023 and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on 28.09.2023 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Accordingly, the notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today i.e. 03.04.2025.
2. The Appellant stated that information sought has not been provided to her.
3. The Respondent stated that the information sought by the appellant is not clear and specific. Therefore cannot be provided to the appellant and requests that if the appellant specify the exact information then only the said can be provided.
4. That after deliberations, the Appellant is advised to specify the exact information and provide the same to the Respondent. Further, the appellant handed over the required information in RTI application to the respondent, before the Bench. The Respondent also tendered his statement that he would provide the complete information within period of one month.
5. In view of the above, the PIO is directed to supply the complete information, before the next date of hearing, under intimation to the Commission, failing which strict action will be initiated against the PIO as per provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.
6. The matter is adjourned to **22.05.2025 at 11:00 AM** before the Bench in the Commission. Both the parties are directed to come to attend the hearing personally.
7. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

**Chandigarh
03.04.2025**

Sd/-
(HARPREET SINGH SANDHU)
State Information Commissioner, Punjab

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Sh. Manjit Singh Negi, (9814212010)

2207, Urban Estate , Phase II,
Dugri Road, Ludhiana.-141013.

....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Chief Engineer (HQ), PB,
PWD B&R, Patiala.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Chief Engineer (HQ), PB,
PWD B&R, Patiala.

.....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 6373 OF 2023

PRESENT: None for the parties.

ORDER:

1. The RTI application is dated 02.06.2023 vide which the appellant had sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 15.07.2023 and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on 27.09.2023 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Accordingly, the notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today i.e. 03.04.2025.
2. The Appellant is absent for today's hearing in the Court. However, the Bench has received email mentioning therein that due to ill health and old age, unable to attend hearing in the Commission.
3. In spite of the Notice of the Commission, the PIO is also absent in today's hearing, this shows his disregard to the Commission, the absence of the PIO is viewed seriously as it has also affected hearing and disposal of the case.
4. In view of the above, the PIO is directed to appear personally and provide the requisite information/reply to the appellant's RTI application, before the next hearing date, failing which **strict action** will be initiated against him/her.
5. The matter is adjourned to **22.05.2025 at 11:00 AM** before the Bench in the Commission. Both the parties are directed to come to attend the hearing personally.
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