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**Shri Manjinder Singh (9872015069),**  
#2469, Sunny Enclave,  
Sector 125, Kharar,  
District Mohali - 140301

....Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer,**  
**O/o** Secretary,  
Regional Transport Authority,  
Amritsar.

**First Appellate Authority,**  
**O/o** Secretary,  
Regional Transport Authority,  
Amritsar.

....Respondents

## APPEAL CASE NO. 796 OF 2023

**PRESENT:** Appellant: Shri Manjinder Singh (9872015069)  
Respondent: Absent

### **ORDER:**

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated **23.10.2024**.

2. The appellant states that he has not received any reply / information from the respondent till date and further, he states that directions may be issued to the respondent to supply the sought information pertaining to his RTI application.

3. The respondent is absent without intimation for the second successive hearing of this appeal case, which shows his carelessness and casual attitude towards the notices / orders of the Commission. It is also a fact that notice of hearing / order was sent to the PIO through registered post in spite of that, he is absent. The perusal of the case file shows that the respondent has not submitted a single reply to this RTI application, which was filed on 16.10.2022.

4. After having detailed deliberations with the appellant and examining the case file, **one last opportunity** is awarded to the respondent to supply the sought information to the appellant through registered post within 15 days after receipt of this order, under intimation to the Commission. Both parties are directed to remain present on the next date of hearing for deliberations, failing which the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.

5. **To come up on 24.09.2025 at 11.00 A.M. at Chandigarh.**

**Date: 05.03.2025**

**Sd/-**  
**(Virinderjit Singh Billing)**  
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## APPEAL CASE NO. 5324 OF 2022

**PRESENT:** Appellant: Shri Manjinder Singh (9872015069)  
Respondent: Absent

**ORDER:**

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated **16.03.2023** passed by Former SIC, Sh. Anumit Singh Sodhi, State Information Commissioner Punjab who has demitted the office on 20.10.2023, thereafter, this case was allocated to the undersigned bench. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today i.e. **05.03.2025**.

2. The appellant states that he has not received any reply / information from the respondent till date and further, he states that directions may be issued to the respondent to supply the sought information pertaining to his RTI application.

3. The respondent is absent without intimation, which shows his carelessness and casual attitude towards the notices / orders of the Commission. It is also a fact that notice of hearing / order was sent to the PIO through registered post in spite of that, he is absent. The perusal of the case file shows that the respondent has not submitted a single reply to this RTI application, which was filed on 12.08.2022.

4. After having detailed deliberations with the appellant and examining the case file, **one opportunity** is awarded to the respondent to supply the sought information to the appellant through registered post within 15 days after receipt of this order, under intimation to the Commission. Both parties are directed to remain present on the next date of hearing for deliberations, failing which the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.

5. **To come up on 24.09.2025 at 11.00 A.M. at Chandigarh.**

**Date: 05.03.2025**

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**First Appellate Authority,**

O/o Secretary, Regional Transport Authority,  
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....Respondents

## APPEAL CASE NO. 5429 OF 2022

**PRESENT:** Appellant: Shri Manjinder Singh (9872015069)

Respondent: Absent

**ORDER:**

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated **16.03.2023** passed by Former SIC, Sh. Anumit Singh Sodhi, State Information Commissioner Punjab who has demitted the office on 20.10.2023, thereafter, this case was allocated to the undersigned bench. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today i.e. **05.03.2025**.

2. The appellant states that he has not received any reply / information from the respondent as directed at the last hearing and further, he states that directions may be issued to the respondent to supply the sought information pertaining to his RTI application.

3. The respondent is absent without intimation, which shows his carelessness and casual attitude towards the notices / orders of the Commission. It is also a fact that notice of hearing / order was sent to the PIO through registered post in spite of that, he is absent. The perusal of the case file shows, at the last hearing the respondent was directed to supply the pending information in connection with point no. 1 to the appellant within ten days of that order.

4. After having detailed deliberations with the appellant and examining the case file, **one opportunity** is awarded to the respondent to supply the pending information in connection with point no. 1 to the appellant within 15 days after receipt of this order, under intimation to the Commission. Both parties are directed to remain present on the next date of hearing for deliberations, failing which the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.

5. **To come up on 24.09.2025 at 11.00 A.M. at Chandigarh.**

**Date: 05.03.2025**

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....Respondents

## APPEAL CASE NO. 5430 OF 2022

**PRESENT:** Appellant: Shri Manjinder Singh (9872015069)  
Respondent: Absent

**ORDER:**

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated **16.03.2023** passed by Former SIC, Sh. Anumit Singh Sodhi, State Information Commissioner Punjab who has demitted the office on 20.10.2023, thereafter, this case was allocated to the undersigned bench. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today i.e. **05.03.2025**.

2. The appellant states that he has not received any reply / information from the respondent till date and further, he states that directions may be issued to the respondent to supply the sought information pertaining to his RTI application.

3. The respondent is absent without intimation, which shows his carelessness and casual attitude towards the notices / orders of the Commission. It is also a fact that notice of hearing / order was sent to the PIO through registered post in spite of that, he is absent. The perusal of the case file shows that the respondent has not submitted a single reply to this RTI application, which was filed on 25.07.2022.

4. After having detailed deliberations with the appellant and examining the case file, **one opportunity** is awarded to the respondent to supply the sought information to the appellant through registered post within 15 days after receipt of this order, under intimation to the Commission. Both parties are directed to remain present on the next date of hearing for deliberations, failing which the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.

5. **To come up on 24.09.2025 at 11.00 A.M. at Chandigarh.**

**Date: 05.03.2025**

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## **APPEAL CASE NO. 1211 OF 2023**

**PRESENT:** Appellant: Shri Manjinder Singh (9872015069)  
Respondent: Absent

### **ORDER:**

The above said appeal case was earlier allocated to Shri Anumit Singh Sodhi, State Information Commissioner. After his retirement, the said appeal case was allocated to the undersigned Bench. The RTI application is dated **07.11.2022** vide which the appellant has sought the information as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **12.12.2022** and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on **07.02.2023** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of Hearing was issued to the parties for today i.e. **05.03.2025**.

2. The appellant states that he has not received any reply / information from the respondent till date and further, he states that directions may be issued to the respondent to supply the sought information pertaining to his RTI application.

3. The respondent is absent without intimation, which shows his carelessness and casual attitude towards the notices / orders of the Commission. It is also a fact that notice of hearing / order was sent to the PIO through registered post in spite of that, he is absent. The perusal of the case file shows that the respondent has not submitted a single reply to this RTI application, which was filed on 07.11.2022.

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## APPEAL CASE NO. 1211 OF 2023

4. After having detailed deliberations with the appellant and examining the case file, **one opportunity** is awarded to the respondent to supply the sought information to the appellant through registered post within 15 days after receipt of this order, under intimation to the Commission. Both parties are directed to remain present on the next date of hearing for deliberations, failing which the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.

5. **To come up on 24.09.2025 at 11.00 A.M. at Chandigarh.**

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....Respondents

## APPEAL CASE NO. 8086 OF 2023

**PRESENT:** Appellant: Shri Manjinder Singh (9872015069)  
Respondent: Absent

**ORDER:**

The RTI application is dated **21.08.2023** vide which the appellant has sought the information as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **03.10.2023** and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on **04.12.2023** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of Hearing was issued to the parties for today i.e. **05.03.2025**.

2. The appellant states that he has not received any reply / information from the respondent till date and further, he states that directions may be issued to the respondent to supply the sought information pertaining to his RTI application.

3. The respondent is absent without intimation, which shows his carelessness and casual attitude towards the notices / orders of the Commission. It is also a fact that notice of hearing / order was sent to the PIO through registered post in spite of that, he is absent. The perusal of the case file shows that the respondent has not submitted a single reply to this RTI application, which was filed on 2.08.2023.

4. After having detailed deliberations with the appellant and examining the case file, **one last opportunity** is awarded to the respondent to supply the sought information to the appellant through registered post within 15 days after receipt of this order, under intimation to the Commission. Both parties are directed to remain present on the next date of hearing for deliberations, failing which the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.

5. **To come up on 24.09.2025 at 11.00 A.M. at Chandigarh.**

**Date: 05.03.2025**

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Bathinda.

**First Appellate Authority,**  
**O/o** Secretary,  
Regional Transport Authority,  
Bathinda.

....Respondents

## APPEAL CASE NO. 3244 OF 2023

**PRESENT:** Appellant: Shri Manjinder Singh (9872015069)  
Respondent: Shri Harivansh, DEO (7986129504) and  
Shri Rajib Kumar, JA (9023909696)

### **ORDER:**

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated **23.10.2024**.

2. The respondent submits his written submission during the hearing, which is taken on record.
3. The appellant states that he has not received any reply / information from the respondent till date. Further, he states that directions may be issued to the respondent to supply the sought information.
4. After having detailed deliberations with both the parties and examining the case file, **one last opportunity** is awarded to the respondent to supply the sought information to the appellant through registered post within 15 days after receipt of this order, under intimation to the Commission. Both parties are directed to remain present on the next date of hearing for deliberations, failing which the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.
5. Both parties are directed to attend the next hearing **on 30.09.2025 at 11.00 A.M. through cisco webex. (Webex Meeting Number : 25180667401 and Password : 12345.)**

Date: 05.03.2025

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....Respondents

## APPEAL CASE NO. 3253 OF 2022

**PRESENT:** Appellant: Shri Manjinder Singh (9872015069)  
Respondent: Shri Harivansh, DEO (7986129504) and  
Shri Rajib Kumar, JA (9023909696)

### **ORDER:**

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated **25.05.2023** passed by Former SIC, Sh. Anumit Singh Sodhi, State Information Commissioner Punjab who has demitted the office on **20.10.2023**, thereafter, this case was allocated to the undersigned bench. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today i.e. **05.03.2025**.

2. The respondent states that information has already been supplied to the appellant. Further, he submits his written submission during the hearing, which is taken on record.

3. The appellant states that he has not received any reply / information from the respondent till date and requests the court for sort information.

4. After having detailed deliberations with both the parties and examining the case file, **one opportunity** is awarded to the respondent to supply the sought information to the appellant through registered post within 15 days after receipt of this order, under intimation to the Commission. The respondent PIO is hereby reminded that he is still under the Show Cause Notice issued to him vide this Commission's Order of 25.01.2023.

5. Both parties are directed to remain present on the next date of hearing for deliberations, failing which the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.

6. Both parties are directed to attend the next hearing **on 30.09.2025 at 11.00 A.M. through cisco webex. (Webex Meeting Number : 25180667401 and Password : 12345.)**

**Date: 05.03.2025**

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**First Appellate Authority,**  
**O/o Secretary,**  
Regional Transport Authority,  
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....Respondents

## APPEAL CASE NO. 3543 OF 2022

**PRESENT:** Appellant: Shri Manjinder Singh (9872015069)  
Respondent: Shri Harivansh, DEO (7986129504) and  
Shri Rajib Kumar, JA (9023909696)

### **ORDER:**

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated **20.11.2024**.

2. The respondent states that information has already been supplied to the appellant. Further, he submits his written submission during the hearing, which is taken on record.

3. The appellant states that the directions may be issued to the respondent PIO to supply the information with regard to point no. 5 of the RTI application.

4. After having detailed deliberations with both the parties and examining the case file, **one last opportunity** is awarded to the respondent to **supply the information with regard to point no. 5** to the appellant through registered post within 15 days after receipt of this order, under intimation to the Commission. The respondent PIO is hereby reminded that he is still under the Show Cause Notice issued to him vide this Commission's Order of 25.01.2023.

5. Both parties are directed to remain present on the next date of hearing for deliberations, failing which the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.

6. Both parties are directed to attend the next hearing **on 30.09.2025 at 11.00 A.M. through cisco webex. (Webex Meeting Number : 25180667401 and Password : 12345.)**

**Date: 05.03.2025**

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**First Appellate Authority,**  
**O/o Secretary,**  
Regional Transport Authority,  
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....Respondents

## APPEAL CASE NO. 5426 OF 2022

**PRESENT:** Appellant: Shri Manjinder Singh (9872015069)  
Respondent: Shri Harivansh, DEO (7986129504) and  
Shri Rajib Kumar, JA (9023909696)

### **ORDER:**

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated **16.03.2023** passed by Former SIC, Sh. Anumit Singh Sodhi, State Information Commissioner Punjab who has demitted the office on **20.10.2023**, thereafter, this case was allocated to the undersigned bench. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today i.e. **05.03.2025**.

2. The respondent PIO submits his written submission during the hearing, which is taken on record.
3. The appellant states that he has not received any reply / information from the respondent as directed at the last hearing and further, he states that directions may be issued to the respondent to supply the sought information pertaining to his RTI application.
4. After having detailed deliberations with both the parties and examining the case file, **one last opportunity** is awarded to the respondent to supply the sought information to the appellant through registered post within 15 days after receipt of this order, under intimation to the Commission. Both parties are directed to remain present on the next date of hearing for deliberations, failing which the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.
5. Both parties are directed to attend the next hearing **on 30.09.2025 at 11.00 A.M. through cisco webex. (Webex Meeting Number : 25180667401 and Password : 12345.)**

**Date: 05.03.2025**

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