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Shri Jasbir Singh, (9888296107)
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PO Ramgarh, District Ludhiana-141123

....Appellant

VERSUS

Public Information Officer,
O/o Executive Officer,
Nagar Council, Morinda, Roopnagar.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Executive Officer,
Nagar Council, Morinda, Roopnagar.

...Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 6230 OF 2023

PRESENT: Shri Jasbir Singh, Appellant
Shri Inder Mohan, S.D.O., (9876274874), on behalf of the Respondent.

ORDER:

The appellant had sought information as enumerated in his RTI application dated 22.06.2023 and First appeal filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 28.07.2023 and the Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on 25.09.2023 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Accordingly, notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today i.e. 09.06.2025.

2. The respondent stated that the information sought has already been sent to the appellant vide letter dated 01.08.2023, whereas the appellant has acknowledged the receipt of information to his satisfaction and consented to close the case.

3. Keeping in view of the above, no cause of action is left in this case. Hence, the instant Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed.**

09.06.2025

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O/o State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,
Sector 17, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,
Sector 17, Chandigarh.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 6231 OF 2023

PRESENT: Shri Jasbir Singh, Appellant
Ms Raj Kumari, Sr. Assistant (9815045082) on behalf of the Respondents.

ORDER:

The appellant had sought information as enumerated in his RTI application dated 23.06.2023 and First appeal filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 28.07.2023 and the Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on 25.09.2023 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Accordingly, notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today i.e. 09.06.2025.

2. The respondent stated that the information sought has already been sent to the appellant vide letter dated 26.06.2024, whereas the appellant has acknowledged the receipt of information to his satisfaction and consented to close the case.

3. Keeping in view of the above, no cause of action is left in this case. Hence, the instant Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed.**

09.06.2025

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Public Information Officer,
O/o Executive Officer,
Nagar Council, Samrala, Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Executive Officer,
Nagar Council, Samrala, Ludhiana.

..Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 6232 OF 2023

PRESENT: Shri Jasbir Singh, Appellant
Shri Jagroop Singh, Clerk (6239218086), on behalf of the Respondent.

ORDER:

The appellant had sought information as enumerated in his RTI application dated 23.06.2023 and First appeal filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 28.07.2023 and the Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on 25.09.2023 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Accordingly, notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today i.e. 09.06.2025.

2. The respondent stated that the information sought has already been sent to the appellant vide letter dated 28.06.2023, whereas the appellant has acknowledged the receipt of information to his satisfaction and consented to close the case.

3. Keeping in view of the above, no cause of action is left in this case. Hence, the instant Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed.**

09.06.2025

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O/o State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,
Sector 17, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,
Sector 17, Chandigarh.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 6233 OF 2023

PRESENT: Shri Jasbir Singh, Appellant
Ms Raj Kumari, Sr. Asstt., (9815045082), on behalf of the Respondent.

ORDER:

The appellant had sought information as enumerated in his RTI application dated 23.06.2023 and First appeal filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 28.07.2023 and the Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on 25.09.2023 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Accordingly, notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today i.e. 09.06.2025.

2. The appellant stated that the direction may be issued to the PIO to provide the complete information, whereas the respondent stated that information sought by the appellant is readily available on the official website i.e. www.punjabtransport.org and the appellant download the same.

3. After deliberation, the Bench do not agree with the contention of the appellant due to following provisions of the RTI Act and decisions of the Commission and the Delhi High Court.

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Section 4(2) of the RTI Act read as follows:-

“It shall be a constant endeavour of every public authority to take steps in accordance with the requirement of clause (b) of sub section (1) to provide as much information suo motu to the public at regular intervals through various means of communications, including internet, so that the public have minimum resort to the use of this Act to obtain information”.

4. The Hon'ble Central Information Commission has held in the case CIC/AT/A/2007/00112 dated 12.04.2007 that once the information is brought in to the public domain it is excluded from the purview of the RTI Act. The Hon'ble High Court of Delhi in the case of Registrar of Companies and others Vs. Dharmendra Kumar Garg and others decided on 01.06.2012 has held that Right to Information is specifically conferred by the RTI Act is that information which “is held by or under the control of any public authority”.

5. In the light of the above, the Bench cannot accept the contention of the appellant relating to the information available on the website be provided in hard copy.

6. Keeping in view of the above, the Bench concurs with the submission made by the respondent and is of the view that no further action is required to be taken in this case. Hence, the Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed**.

Sd/-

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Nagar Council, Doraha, Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Executive Officer,
Nagar Council, Doraha, Ludhiana.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 6326 OF 2023

PRESENT: Shri Jasbir Singh, Appellant
Shri Lakhmi Chand, Clerk (9872689328), on behalf of the Respondent.

ORDER:

The appellant had sought information as enumerated in his RTI application dated 23.06.2023 and First appeal filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 28.07.2023 and the Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on 03.10.2023 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Accordingly, notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today i.e. 09.06.2025.

2. The respondent appeared along with the information and stated that the information has already been sent to the appellant vide letter dated 25.07.2023, copy handed over to the appellant.

3. After going through information, the appellant has expressed satisfaction and consented to close the case.

4. Keeping in view the above, no cause of action is left in this case. Hence, the instant Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed.**

09.06.2025

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....Appellant

VERSUS

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O/o Executive Officer,
Nagar Council, Khanna, Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Executive Officer,
Nagar Council, Khanna, Ludhiana.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 6327 OF 2023

PRESENT: Shri Jasbir Singh, Appellant
Shri Jagjit Singh, PIO, (9878829916), on behalf of the Respondent.

ORDER:

The appellant had sought information as enumerated in his RTI application dated 23.06.2023 and First appeal filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 28.07.2023 and the Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on 03.10.2023 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Accordingly, notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today i.e. 09.06.2025.

2. The respondent appeared along with the information and stated that the information has already been sent to the appellant vide letter dated 04.09.2023, copy handed over to the appellant.

3. After going through information, the appellant has expressed satisfaction and consented to close the case.

4. Keeping in view the above, no cause of action is left in this case. Hence, the instant Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed.**

09.06.2025

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....Appellant

VERSUS

Public Information Officer,
O/o Executive Officer,
Nagar Council, Doraha, Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Additional Deputy Commissioner (UD)
Ludhiana.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 6463 OF 2023

PRESENT: Shri Jasbir Singh, Appellant
Shri Lakhmi Chand, Clerk (9872689328), on behalf of the Respondent.

ORDER:

The appellant had sought information as enumerated in his RTI application dated 11.07.2023 and First appeal filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 12.08.2023 and the Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on 06.10.2023 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Accordingly, notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today i.e. 09.06.2025.

2. The respondent appeared along with the information and stated that the information has already been sent to the appellant vide letter dated 22.08.2023, copy handed over to the appellant.

3. After going through information, the appellant has expressed satisfaction and consented to close the case.

4. Keeping in view the above, no cause of action is left in this case. Hence, the instant Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed.**

09.06.2025

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....Appellant

VERSUS

Public Information Officer,
O/o Executive Officer,
Nagar Council, Machhiwara, Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Additional Deputy Commissioner (UD)
Ludhiana.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 6464 OF 2023

PRESENT: Shri Jasbir Singh, Appellant
Shri Rohit Jain, Jr. Assistant (9877381717) on behalf of the Respondents.

ORDER:

The appellant had sought information as enumerated in his RTI application dated 11.07.2023 and First appeal filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 12.08.2023 and the Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on 06.10.2023 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Accordingly, notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today i.e. 09.06.2025.

2. The respondent appeared along with the information and stated that the information has already been sent to the appellant vide letter dated 07.08.2023, copy handed over to the appellant.

3. After going through information, the appellant has expressed satisfaction and consented to close the case.

4. Keeping in view the above, no cause of action is left in this case. Hence, the instant Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed.**

09.06.2025

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....Appellant

VERSUS

Public Information Officer,
O/o Executive Officer,
Nagar Council, Chamkaur Sahib, Roopnagar.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Additional Deputy Commissioner (UD)
Roopnagar.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 6465 OF 2023

PRESENT: Shri Jasbir Singh, Appellant
Shri Parveen Kumar, Inspector (9464688234) and Shri Pawan Kumar, Clerk &
Shri Harjit Singh, Clerk on behalf of the Respondents.

ORDER: The appellant had sought information as enumerated in his RTI application dated 11.07.2023 and First appeal filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 12.08.2023 and the Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on 06.10.2023 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Accordingly, notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today i.e. 09.06.2025.

2. The respondent appeared along with the information and stated that the information has already been sent to the appellant vide letter dated 25.06.2024, copy handed over to the appellant.

3. After going through information, the appellant has expressed satisfaction and consented to close the case.

4. Keeping in view the above, no cause of action is left in this case. Hence, the instant Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed.**

09.06.2025

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.....Appellant

VERSUS

Public Information Officer,
O/o Executive Officer,
Nagar Council, Zirakpur.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Additional Deputy Commissioner (UD)
Mohali.

...Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 6466 OF 2023

PRESENT: Shri Jasbir Singh, Appellant
Shri Pankaj Singla, Draftsman (7009962008) on behalf of the Respondents.

ORDER:

The appellant had sought information as enumerated in his RTI application dated 11.07.2023 and First appeal filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 12.08.2023 and the Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on 06.10.2023 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Accordingly, notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today i.e. 09.06.2025.

2. The respondent appeared along with the information and stated that the information has already been sent to the appellant vide letter dated 16.07.2024, copy handed over to the appellant.

3. After going through information, the appellant has expressed satisfaction and consented to close the case.

4. Keeping in view the above, no cause of action is left in this case. Hence, the instant Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed.**

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....Appellant

VERSUS

Public Information Officer,
O/o Sub Divisional Magistrate,
Jaito, District Faridkot.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Sub Divisional Magistrate,
Jaito, District Faridkot.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 6461 OF 2023

PRESENT: None on behalf of the Appellant
Shri Harmeet Singh, Sr.Asstt.,(9878364300) and harpreet Singh,Clerk,
(8289034031) on behalf of the Respondent.

ORDER:

The appellant had sought information as enumerated in his RTI application dated 27.05.2023 and First appeal filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 14.08.2023 and the Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on 06.10.2023 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Accordingly, notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today i.e. 09.06.2025.

2. The appellant remained absent in court, however, an email was received with request for adjournment, whereas, the respondent stated that the appellant has sought voluminous information and asked to deposit documentation fee of Rs. 11742/- vide letter dated 06.06.2023, but the appellant did not turn up.

3. In view of the above, the appellant is directed to deposit the amount of Rs. 11742/- as a documentation fee and obtain the information. The PIO is directed to provide the information duly attested and legible, as per the guidelines of the RTI Act, 2005.

4. With these directions, the Bench observes that no need for further intervention in this case. Hence, the instant Appeal Case is **disposed of and closed**.

Sd/-

(HARPREET SINGH SANDHU)
State Information Commissioner, Punjab

09.06.2025