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Sh. Gurdarshan Singh,

S/o Sh. Jaswant Singh, R/o Village

Gobindpura, Presently R/o village

Baksiwala, Tehsil Budhlada, Distt Mansa

....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o DC, Mansa.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o DC, Mansa.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 2240/2023, 2241/2023, 2811/2023, 2814/2023

Appellant: Sh. Gurdarshan Singh

Respondent: Smt. Shakuntala Rani (Superintendent-cum- APIO), Sh. Mandeep Singh (Clerk)
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FINAL ORDER (3rd Hearing) :

1. This Order may be read with the reference of previous order of the Commission dated 13.11.2024.
2. Both parties are present. The respondent PIO is represented by **Smt. Shakuntala Rani**, Superintendent-cum-APIO, and **Sh. Mandeep Singh**, Clerk. The respondent stated that, in compliance with the previous order, the appellant inspected the records on **11.12.2024**, and the requisite information was provided in all the above-mentioned cases. The necessary submissions were made case-wise and taken on record.
3. The appellant acknowledged that he had received most of the requested information but pointed out some discrepancies. However, he expressed overall satisfaction with the information provided.
4. Considering the extensive nature of the information sought, involving various records (some of which fall under third-party information exempted under **8(1)(j)** of the RTI Act, 2005), the Commission directed the appellant to submit a **written list of specific discrepancies** to the respondent PIO within **10 days**. The discrepancies should be clearly specified and should not include third-party information. Upon receipt of this submission, the respondent PIO is directed to address and resolve these discrepancies accordingly.
5. The appellant agreed with this decision and raised no objections to the closure of all his cases. The PIO is directed to submit a **compliance report** to the Commission.

The above-mentioned cases are **disposed of** accordingly.

(Sandeep Singh Dhaliwal)

State Information Commissioner, Punjab.

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APPEAL CASE NO. 2809/2023, 2810/2023

Appellant: Sh. Gurdarshan Singh
Respondent: Sh. Gurbans Singh(Naib Tehsildar),
Sh. Gurmeet Singh (Patwari) 9682156271

FINAL ORDER (3rd Hearing) :

1. This Order may be read with the reference of previous order of the Commission dated 13.11.2024.
2. **Both parties are present.** The respondent PIO is represented by **Sh. Gurbans Singh**, Naib Tehsildar, and **Sh. Gurmeet Singh**, Patwari. The respondent stated that, in compliance with the previous order of the Commission, the sought information had already been supplied to the appellant on different occasions. In support of this, the respondent submitted a letter (**Ref. No. 164, dated 16.12.2024**) detailing a **point-wise and case-wise reply**, which is taken on record.
3. The appellant expressed satisfaction with the information provided but noted that he had previously filed a **complaint** and requested a copy of it. The respondent PIO denied having the complaint, stating that the record was **missing**.
4. In light of this, the Commission directs the appellant to submit a **written description of the said complaint** to the respondent PIO. Upon receiving this description, the respondent PIO is directed to **conduct a thorough search** and provide a proper response addressing the issue.

A **compliance report** should be submitted to the Commission within **15 days** after addressing the discrepancies raised by the appellant.
5. The above mentioned cases are **closed** with these observations and directions.

(Sandeep Singh Dhaliwal)
State Information Commissioner, Punjab.
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Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o SSP, Mansa.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o DIG, Bathinda Range
Bathinda.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 2109/2023

Appellant: Sh. Gurdarshan Singh
Respondent: ASI Kamal Singh.

FINAL ORDER:

1. The above mentioned Appeal Case was fixed for hearing before the Bench of Hon'ble State Information Commissioner, Punjab Shri Anumit Singh Sodhi. The Registry Branch vide his office order no. PSIC/Legal/2024/480, dated 04.09.2024 has re-allocated the above mentioned case to the undersigned bench. ***The hearing for this case was initially scheduled for 24.12.2024. However, it was preponed to 17.12.2024 to align with other cases of the appellant on similar matters, which were also scheduled for this date. Accordingly, the hearing for this case is being conducted today.***

2. Both the parties are present and heard. The respondent PIO, represented by **ASI Kamal Singh**, stated that the information sought in the RTI application has already been provided to the appellant. The respondent also presented the **complete record** related to the case before the Commission and offered the appellant an opportunity to **inspect the record** again, if desired.

3. The appellant expressed **satisfaction** with the information and reply provided. In light of this, the Commission directed the appellant to inspect the record presented by the respondent for his complete satisfaction.

The case is **Disposed of and closed** accordingly.

(Sandeep Singh Dhaliwal)

State Information Commissioner, Punjab.

Chandigarh

17.12.2024