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Sh. Prem Kumar Rattan,
H. No. 78/8,
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Dhuri, Distt. – Sangrur (Punjab)
(M.-8509580002)

....Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o The District Manager,
MARKFED, Sangrur(Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Managing Director,
MARKFED House,
Plot No.4, Dakhshin Marg,
Sector 35-B, Chandigarh – 160036

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 820 of 2024

Present : Sh. Prem Kumar Rattan, the appellant in person.
Sh. Anil Kumar(M.-8699018030), Senior Accounts Officer, attended the hearing through Webex.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 04.11.2025 and none was present. The respondent PIO sent a reply vide letter no. 6535 dated 11.09.2025 intimating that the required information along with enclosure has been sent to the appellant through registered post. An opportunity was given to the appellant to file the deficiencies, if any, to the respondent PIO within three weeks from the receipt of this order to enable the respondent to remove the same.

2. Sh. Anil Kumar, Senior Accounts Officer, who attended today's hearing through Webex, has intimated that the required information along with enclosure has already been sent to the appellant vide letter no. 6535 dated 11.09.2025 through registered post.

3. The appellant, Sh. Prem Kumar Rattan, who appeared in person in today's hearing, has intimated that he has not received reply dated 11.09.2025 sent by respondent. Accordingly, a copy of the reply dated 11.09.2025 alongwith enclosure is handed over to him during the hearing in the Commission. An opportunity is given to the appellant to file the deficiencies, if any, to the respondent PIO within fifteen days from today under intimation to the Commission. On receipt of the rebuttal, the respondent is also directed to remove the deficiencies, if any, before the next date of hearing.

4. With this, the case is **adjourned to 28th January, 2026 at 12.00 Noon** for hearing at Chandigarh. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated: 18th December, 2025

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Sh. Sarabjeet Singh Gill

S/o Sh. Amarjit Singh,
376, Street No 8,
Maha Singh Nagar, Daba- Lohara Road,
Tehsil & District – Ludhiana(Punjab)
(M: 9888098886)

RTI Application No 115984

....Appellant

V/s

i) **Public Information Officer,**
O/o The Environmental Engineer,
Punjab Pollution Control Board,
B/s CICU, Phase-V, Focal Point,
Ludhiana(Punjab)

ii) **Public Information Officer,**
O/o The Director,
Local Government, Punjab,
Municipal Bhawan, Sector-35A,
Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o The Senior Environmental Engineer,
Punjab Pollution Control Board,
B/s CICU, Phase-V, Focal Point,
Ludhiana(Punjab)

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 4031 of 2024

Present : None for the parties.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 21.03.2024 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 22.04.2024 and Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 18.06.2024 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called the RTI Act). The hearing in the instant appeal-case was fixed for 10.11.2025, which could not held and the case was postponed for today 18.12.2025.

2. Neither the appellant, Sh. Sarabjeet Singh Gill nor the respondent PIO is present at today's hearing. They have also not intimated the Commission about their non-availability for today's hearing.

3. After perusal of the case-file, it emerges that the notice of hearing issued by the Commission in the name of the Public Information Officer office of Environmental Engineer, Punjab Pollution Control Board , Ludhiana is received back in the Commission as 'undelivered'. It is taken on record.

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4. The respondent PIO concerned is directed to file the reply/supply the information to the appellant before the next date of hearing.
5. Last opportunity is granted to both the parties to be personally appeared on the next date of hearing for deliberations, failing which the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.
6. With this, the case is **adjourned to 24th February, 2026 at 12.00 Noon** for hearing at Chandigarh. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated: 18th December, 2025

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[Note: The appellant / complainant can attend the Hearing in person at the Commission or through Cisco Webex. The Cisco Webex number of this Bench is 25179803719 and password is 12345. The appellant / complainant is advised to intimate the Commission regarding the mode of Hearing, at least three weeks before the Hearing on official website i.e. psic21@punjabmail.gov.in]



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RTI Application No 116871

V/s

....Appellant

- i) **Public Information Officer,**
O/o The Civil Surgeon,
Ludhiana(Punjab)
- ii) **Public Information Officer,**
O/o The District Health Officer
O/o The Civil Surgeon,
Ludhiana(Punjab)
- Encl:RTI

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Director,
Health and Family Welfare, Punjab,
Parivar Kalyan Bhawan,
Sector 34 – A, Chandigarh

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 4114 of 2024

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.
Sh. Chandan , Clerk (M.-8427878577) on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 27.03.2024 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 21.05.2024 and Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 21.06.2024 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called the RTI Act). The hearing in the instant appeal-case was fixed for 10.11.2025, which could not held and the case was postponed for today 18.12.2025.

2. The appellant, Sh. Sarabjeet Singh Gill is not present in today's hearing. He has also not intimated the Commission about his non-availability for today's hearing.

3. Sh. Chandan , Clerk, who appeared on behalf of the respondent in today's hearing, has submitted a reply vide letter no. 571 dated 28.10.2025 and intimated that the sought information relates with District Health Officer O/o Civil Surgeon, Ludhiana and the RTI request of the appellant was transferred under 6 (3) to that office vide letter no. 1440 dated 12.04.2024.

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4. Accordingly, Public Information Officer office of District Health Officer of Civil Surgeon, Ludhiana be impleaded as necessary party in this case. A copy of this order be sent to him alongwith RTI request through registered post with the directions to file the reply/supply the information to the appellant before the next date of hearing.

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

6. With this, the case is **adjourned to 24th February, 2026 at 12.00 Noon** for hearing at Chandigarh. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated: 18th December, 2025

Encl:RTI

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RTI Application No 115993

....Appellant

V/s

- i) **Public Information Officer,**
O/o The Senior Town Planner,
O/o Chief Town Planner and Country Planning,
Ludhiana(Punjab)
- ii) **Public Information Officer,**
O/o The Director,
Local Government, Punjab,
(Town Planning Wing),
Municipal Bhawan, Sector-35A,
Chandigarh

Encl: i) RTI request

ii) letter no. 1047 dated 07.03.2024

First Appellate Authority,

O/o The Senior Town Planner,
O/o Chief Town Planner and Country Planning,
Ludhiana(Punjab)

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 4053 of 2024

Present : None on behalf of the appellant.
Sh. Amit Kashyap, Superintendent (Grade – I) (M.-9876400995) O/o Senior Town Planner, Ludhiana.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 21.03.2024 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 22.04.2024 and Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 18.06.2024 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter called the RTI Act). The hearing in the instant appeal-case was fixed for 10.11.2025, which could not held and the case was postponed for today 18.12.2025.

2. The appellant, Sh. Sarabjeet Singh Gill is not present in today's hearing. He has also not intimated the Commission about his non-availability for today's hearing.

3. Sh. Amit Kashyap, Superintendent (Grade – I) O/o Senior Town Planner, Ludhiana, who appeared in today's hearing, has submitted a reply vide letter no. 15 dated 05.08.2025 and intimated that the sought information is regarding action taken Report on a complaint vide letter no. 1046 dated 07.03.2024 alongwith complete file, which relates with office of Director, Local Government, Punjab Chandigarh and the same reply has also been sent to the appellant.

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4. None came appeared from the O/o Director, Local Government, Punjab Chandigarh but through a reply vide letter no. 2104 dated 26.08.2025 the APIO of Planning Wing has intimated that the RTI request dated 21.03.2024 was filed through RTI Portal and the letter no. 1046 dated 07.03.2024, regarding which information has been sought, was not attached with RTI request, hence, the sought information is not specifically cleared and suggestion was given to the appellant to file proper RTI application to the concerned PIO directly so that he can get the required information. The same reply has also been sent to the appellant.

5. After examining the case-file, it emerges that the letter no. 1047 dated 07.03.2024 regarding which information has been sought is placed in the case file and a copy of the same alongwith RTI request is **being sent** to the Director, Local Government (Town Planning Wing), Punjab Chandigarh through registered post with the directions to file the reply/supply the information to the appellant before the next date of hearing.

6. The parties concerned are directed to remain present on the next date of hearing, failing which the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.

7. With this, the case is **adjourned to 24th February, 2026 at 12.00 Noon** for hearing at Chandigarh. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated: 18th December, 2025

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Encl: i) RTI request ii) letter no. 1047 dated 07.03.2024

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Sh. Balvir Singh S/o Sh. Mahala Singh,
Village Sarawan, Tehsil Jaito,
District - Faridkot(Punjab) – 151204(Punjab)
(M: 9465610329)

....Appellant

V/s

- i) **Public Information Officer,**
O/o The Deputy Commissioner,
Faridkot(Punjab)
- ii) **Public Information Officer,**
O/o The Tehsildar,
Jaito, Distt. - Faridkot (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Sub-Divisional Magistrate,
Jaito, District - Faridkot(Punjab)

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 939 of 2024

Present : Sh. Balvir Singh, the appellant in person.
Sh. Sanjeev Pal Singh(M.-9872468368), Office Kanungo O/o Tehsildar, Jaito.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 18.11.2025. On that day, it emerged that the RTI request of the appellant is carrying only one point regarding cancellation of his case 17.11.2022 for 'Farmer Loan Waiver' and the respondent was submitting reply to five points which probably be of an other RTI request of the appellant, hence, a copy of the RTI request placed in the case-file was handed over to the respondent with the directions to file a proper reply to the RTI request dated 28.07.2023 to the Commission as well as to the appellant. A reply has also been sent by the PIO O/o Deputy Commissioner, Faridkot in response to the show-cause issued vide orders dated 10.09.2025.

2. Sh. Sanjeev Pal Singh, Office Kanungo O/o Tehsildar, Jaito, who appeared on behalf of the respondent in today's hearing, has submitted a reply vide letter no. 416-418 dated 02.12.2025 and intimated that the same reply has been sent to the appellant.

3. The appellant, Sh. Balvir Singh who appeared in person in today's hearing, has shown his dis-satisfaction over the reply dated 02.12.2025 and also reply given vide letter no. 393 dated 10.11.2025.

4. Accordingly, the PIO-cum-Tehsildar, Jaito is directed to remain present on the next date of hearing to clear the facts of this case.

5. A decision on the reply sent by the PIO O/o Deputy Commissioner, Faridkot in connection with the show cause issued vide orders dated 10.09.2025, will be taken later on.

6. With this, the case is **adjourned to 12th January, 2026 at 12.00 Noon** for hearing at Chandigarh. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated: 18th December, 2025

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State Information Commissioner
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