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Sh. Tejinder Singh, Advocate
Civil Court, Tehsil Complex,
Backside Sanjh Kender, Phillaur - 144410

..... Appellant

.Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o MC, Amritsar

First Appellate Authority
O/o MC, Amritsar

.....Respondent

AC No. 2399 of 2023

Present :- None for the parties.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 009.09.2025 vide which both the parties were absent and one last and final opportunity was given to them to appear before the Commission.

2. Today again neither the appellant the respondent is present. An email has been received from the appellant that he is unable to attend today's hearing and incomplete information has been given to him so far. Respondent has not informed the Commission about his absence.

3. The perusal of the case file shows that the respondent has not attended any hearing in the Commission. This shows that he has no regard for the orders issued by the Commission. The Commission observed that there is complete negligence and laxity in the public authority in dealing with the RTI application. This is indeed a serious matter. However, before taking any penal proceedings against the Respondent PIO, the Commission wishes to give **one last opportunity** to him to appear before the Commission on the next date of hearing. Both the parties are directed to appear, in person, on the next date of hearing for deliberations, failing which the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.

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AC No. 2399 of 2023

4. To come up on **28.04.2026 at 11.30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission.
Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

(Dr. Bhupinder S Batth)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Date :20.01.2026

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Sh Pawan Kumar, S/o ShRajinder Singh,
R/o VPO Arno, Tehsil- Pattran,
Distt- Patiala-147105
(M-9876029531)

..... Appellant

.Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Panchayat Secretary,
Gram Panchayat, Arno,
Block Pattran, Distt Patiala

First Appellate Authority
O/o DDPO, Patiala

.....Respondent

AC No.3198 of 2024

Present :- None for the parties.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 19.11.2025 vide which neither the appellant nor the respondent was absent.

2. Today again both the parties are not present. The appellant Sh. Pawan Kumar has informed that he is unable to attend the hearing. Respondent has not informed the Commission about his absence.

3. The perusal of the case file shows that the respondent is absent for second consecutive hearing today in the Commission without any intimation. This shows that the respondent has no regard for the orders issued by the Commission. The Commission observed that there is complete negligence and laxity in the public authority in dealing with the RTI application. This is indeed a serious matter. However, before taking any penal proceedings against the Respondent PIO, the Commission wishes to give **one last opportunity** to him to appear before the Commission on the next date of hearing. Both the parties are directed to appear, in person, on the next date of hearing for deliberations, failing which the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.

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AC No.3198 of 2024

4. To come up on **19.03.2026** at **11.30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

(Dr. Bhupinder S Batth)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Dated :20.01.2026

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Sh. Sukhmander Singh,
S/o Sh. Gurmail Singh,
VPO Wahabwala, Tehsil Abohar,
Distt Fazilka-152118

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer
O/o Block Development and Panchayat Officer,
Abohar, Fazilka.

First Appellate Authority
O/o District Development and Panchayat Officer,
Fazilka.

Public Information Officer
O/o BDPO, Baluana, Distt. Abohar

Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 1531 OF 2023

Present :- None for the parties

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 18.11.2025 vide which PIO, o/o DDPO, Baluana, Distt. Abohar was impleaded as respondent no. 2.

2. Today neither the appellant nor the respondent is present. They have even not informed the Commission about their absence for today's hearing. Taking a lenient view **one last and final opportunity** is given to both the parties to appear before the Commission and state their case. *It is made clear that in case both the parties do not appear on the next date of hearing, appropriate order in their absence shall be passed.*

3. To come up on **17.03.2026 at 11.30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

(Dr. Bhupinder S Batth)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Date :20.01.2026

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Madan Lal S/o Sh. Om Parkash,
Jain Niwas, MCB Zone – 2, H. No. 10803, Street No 18,
Guru Teg Bahadur Nagar, Parinda Road 18,
Bathinda-151001 (Punjab)(M.-9872367068)

....Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Addl. Civil Judge(Sr. Divn.),
Gidderbha, Distt. – Sri Muktsar Sahib (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The Addl. Civil Judge(Sr. Divn.),
Gidderbha, Distt. – Sri Muktsar Sahib (Punjab)

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 4794 of 2023

Present :- (i) Sh. Madan Lal the appellant
(ii) For the respondent: None for the respondent

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 02.12.2025 vide which neither the appellant nor the respondent was present and one last and final opportunity was given to them to appear before the Commission.

2. Today Sh. Madan Lal the appellant stated that no response whatsoever has been received from the respondents till date. No one has put in appearance on behalf of the respondents nor has any communication been received from them. In the interest of justice, Respondent PIO is afforded one more opportunity to provide the appellant point-wise complete specific information, duly attested, free of cost, by registered post, in accordance with his RTI application dated 01.04.2023 and present a photocopy of the relevant postal receipt along with a copy of the information provided, before the Commission on the next date fixed, for its perusal and records. Respondents to note that in case no one comes present on their behalf on the next date fixed, punitive provisions of the RTI Act, 2005 may be invoked against the erring officer(s).

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Appeal Case No. 4794 of 2023

3. To come up on **30.04.2026 at 11.30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission.
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Sd/-

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Punjab

Date :20.01.2026

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Sh.Yogesh Mahajan, S/o Late ShKuldip Raj Mahajan,
President of Anti Corruption Council,
Opp. Water Tank, Municipal Market,
Mission Road, Pathankot

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
PIO O/o XEN, Provincial Division,
PWD B&R, Amritsar

First Appellate Authority
O/o SE, Construction Division,
PWD B&R, Amritsar

Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 3011 OF 2024

Present :- (i) Sh. Yogesh Mahajan the appellant
(ii) For the respondent: None for the respondent

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 03.12.2025 vide which the respondent was absent and one last and final opportunity was given.

2. Today the appellant states that no information has been given to him so far.
3. Respondent is again absent today. He has not informed the Commission about his absence for today's hearing.
4. The perusal of the case file shows that the respondent is absent for fourth consecutive hearing today in the Commission. This shows that he has no regard for the orders issued by the Commission. After hearing the appellant, it is observed that the appellant filed RTI with the department on 06.01.2024, but after lapse of more than two years no information has been given to him so far. This is indeed a serious matter. Therefore, the Commission deem it appropriate to issue show cause notice under section 20 (1) of the RTI Act, 2005, to PIO, o/o XEN, Provincial Division, PWD B&R, Amritsar as to why penalty be not imposed upon him for willful delay / denial in providing the information to the RTI applicant. He is directed to file reply to the show cause notice in writing before the next date of hearing.



APPEAL CASE NO. 3011 OF 2024

In addition to his submission, the PIO is also hereby given an opportunity under Section 20(1) proviso thereto, for a personal hearing before the imposition of such penalty on the next date of hearing. He may note that in case he does not file his submission and does not avail himself of the opportunity of personal hearing on the next date fixed, it will be presumed that he has nothing to say and the Commission shall proceed to take further proceedings against him ex-parte.

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

6. To come up on **22.04.2026 at 11.30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

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Municipal Market, Mission Road,
Pathankot

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o XEN, Provincial Division, PWD B&R, Amritsar

First Appellate Authority
O/o SE, Construction Division, PWD B&R, Amritsar

Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 3012 OF 2024

Present :- (i) Sh. Yogesh Mahajan the appellant
(ii) For the respondent: None for the respondent .

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 03.12.2025 vide which the respondent was absent and one last and final opportunity was given.

2. Today the appellant states that no information has been given to him so far.
3. Respondent is again absent today. He has not informed the Commission about his absence for today's hearing.
4. The perusal of the case file shows that the respondent is absent for fourth consecutive hearing today in the Commission. This shows that he has no regard for the orders issued by the Commission. After hearing the appellant, it is observed that the appellant filed RTI with the department on 06.01.2024, but after lapse of more than two years no information has been given to him so far. This is indeed a serious matter. Therefore, the Commission deem it appropriate to issue show cause notice under section 20 (1) of the RTI Act , 2005, to PIO , o/o XEN, Provincial Division, PWD B&R, Amritsar as to why penalty be not imposed upon him for willful delay / denial in providing the information to the RTI applicant. He is directed to file reply to the show cause notice in writing before the next date of hearing.



APPEAL CASE NO. 3012 OF 2024

In addition to his submission, the PIO is also hereby given an opportunity under Section 20(1) proviso thereto, for a personal hearing before the imposition of such penalty on the next date of hearing. He may note that in case he does not file his submission and does not avail himself of the opportunity of personal hearing on the next date fixed, it will be presumed that he has nothing to say and the Commission shall proceed to take further proceedings against him ex-parte.

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

6. To come up on **22.04.2026 at 11.30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

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Sh.Yogesh Mahajan, S/o Late Sh
Kuldip Raj Mahajan, President of Anti
Corruption Council, Opp. Water Tank,
Municipal Market, Mission Road,
Pathankot

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o XEN (C), Mandi Board, Sangrur

First Appellate Authority
O/o Chief Engineer, Mandi Board, Punjab
Mohali

Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 3013 OF 2024

Present :- (i) Sh. Yogesh Mahajan the appellant
(ii) For the respondent: Sh. Deepak Rana, Advocate (9888310997) without vakalatnama

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 03.12.2025 vide which the respondent was not present and one last and final opportunity was given.

2. Today the appellant Sh.Yogesh Mahajan states that no information has been given to him so far.

3. Sh. Deepak Rana Counsel for the respondent has sought some time to provide the information to the appellant.

4. Considering the request of the respondent the above said appeal case is adjourned to **22.04.2026 at 11.30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Date :20.01.2026

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Kuldip Raj Mahajan, President of Anti
Corruption Council, Opp. Water Tank,
Municipal Market, Mission Road,
Pathankot

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o XEN (C), Mandi Board, Sangrur

First Appellate Authority
O/o Chief Engineer, Mandi Board, Punjab
Mohali

Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 3015 OF 2024

Present :- (i) Sh. Yogesh Mahajan the appellant
(ii) For the respondent: Sh. Deepak Rana, Advocate (9888310997) without vakalatnama

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 03.12.2025 vide which the respondent was not present and one last and final opportunity was given.

2. Today the appellant Sh.Yogesh Mahajan states that no information has been given to him so far.

3. Sh. Deepak Rana counsel for the respondent has sought some time to provide the information to the appellant.

4. Considering the request of the respondent the above said appeal case is adjourned to **22.04.2026 at 11.30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

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Date :20.01.2026

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Corruption Council, Opp. Water Tank,
Municipal Market, Mission Road,
Pathankot

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o XEN, Drainage cum Mining & Geology
Division, Gurdaspur

First Appellate Authority
O/o SE, Drainage cum Mining & Geology Circle,
Water Resource Department, Amritsar

Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 5571 OF 2024

Present :- (i) Sh. Yogesh Mahajan the appellant
(ii) For the respondent: None for the respondent

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 03.12.2025 vide which the respondent was not present and the copy of the deficiencies, was sent to the respondent along with the orders with these directions to remove the same before the next date of hearing.

2. Today the appellant states that no information has been given to him after removal of deficiencies.

3. Respondent is again absent today. He has not informed the Commission about his absence for today's hearing.

4. The perusal of the case file shows that the respondent is absent for second consecutive hearing today in the Commission. This shows that he has no regard for the orders issued by the Commission. After hearing the appellant, it is observed that the appellant filed RTI with the department on 27.03.2024, but after lapse of more than one and a half year no information has been given to him so far. This is indeed a serious matter.



APPEAL CASE NO. 5571 OF 2024

Therefore, the Commission deem it appropriate to issue show cause notice under section 20 (1) of the RTI Act , 2005, to PIO , o/o XEN Drainage cum Mining and Geology Division, Gurdaspur as to why penalty be not imposed upon him for willful delay / denial in providing the information to the RTI applicant. He is directed to file reply to the show cause notice in writing before the next date of hearing.

In addition to his submission, the PIO is also hereby given an opportunity under Section 20(1) proviso thereto, for a personal hearing before the imposition of such penalty on the next date of hearing. He may note that in case he does not file his submission and does not avail himself of the opportunity of personal hearing on the next date fixed, it will be presumed that he has nothing to say and the Commission shall proceed to take further proceedings against him ex-parte.

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

6. To come up on **22.04.2026 at 11.30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

(Dr. Bhupinder S Batth)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Dated :20.01.2026

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Municipal Market, Mission Road,
Pathankot

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o XEN, Drainage cum Mining and Geology Division,
Gurdaspur

First Appellate Authority
O/o SE, Draining cum Mining and Geology
Circle WRD, Amritsar

Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 61 OF 2025

Present :- (i) Sh. Yogesh Mahajan the appellant
(ii) For the respondent: None is present on behalf of the respondent

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 03.12.2025 vide which the respondent was not present and the copy of the deficiencies, was sent to the respondent along with the orders with these directions to remove the same before the next date of hearing.

2. Today the appellant states that no information has been given to him after removal of deficiencies.

3. Respondent is again absent today. He has not informed the Commission about his absence for today's hearing.

4. The perusal of the case file shows that the respondent is absent for second consecutive hearing today in the Commission. This shows that he has no regard for the orders issued by the Commission. After hearing the appellant, it is observed that the appellant filed RTI with the department on 01.08.2024, but after lapse of more than one year no information has been given to him so far. This is indeed a serious matter. Therefore, the Commission deem it appropriate to issue show cause notice under section



APPEAL CASE NO. 61 OF 2025

20 (1) of the RTI Act , 2005, to PIO , o/o XEN, Drainage cum Mining and Geology Division, Gurdaspur as to why penalty be not imposed upon him for willful delay / denial in providing the information to the RTI applicant. He is directed to file reply to the show cause notice in writing before the next date of hearing.

In addition to his submission, the PIO is also hereby given an opportunity under Section 20(1) proviso thereto, for a personal hearing before the imposition of such penalty on the next date of hearing. He may note that in case he does not file his submission and does not avail himself of the opportunity of personal hearing on the next date fixed, it will be presumed that he has nothing to say and the Commission shall proceed to take further proceedings against him ex-parte.

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

6. To come up on **22.04.2026 at 11.30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

(Dr. Bhupinder S Batth)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Date :20.01.2026

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Corruption Council, Opp. Water Tank,
Municipal Market, Mission Road,
Pathankot

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o XEN, Construction Division,
PWD B&R, Fatehgarh Sahib

First Appellate Authority
O/o SE Construction, PWD B&R
Circle No. 2, Patiala

Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 502 OF 2025

Present :- (i) Sh. Yogesh Mahajan the appellant
(ii) For the respondent: Sh. Gagandeep Singh, SDO (8283824471) and Sh.
Ram Singh, SA (9301520003)

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 03.12.2025 passed by the Commission vide which deficiencies sent by the appellant was handed over to the respondent with these directions to remove the same.

2. Today Sh. Yogesh Mahajan the appellant states that no information has been given to him after removal of deficiencies.

3. Respondent Sh. Gagandeep Singh, SDO states that he has not received any deficiencies so far.

4. Copy of deficiencies is again handed over to the respondent with these directions to remove the same before the next date of hearing. The respondent may take note that this is the last opportunity given to him to remove the deficiencies, failing which action under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act will be initiated. Both the parties are directed to appear, in person, on the next date of hearing for deliberations, failing which the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.

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APPEAL CASE NO. 502 OF 2025

5. To come up on **22.04.2026 at 11.30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission.
Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Date :20.01.2026

Sd/-
(Dr. Bhupinder S Batth)
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Sh. Sanjeev Kumar, # 10493,
Street no. 5/6, Janta Nagar
Bhagwam, Chowk, Ludhiana

.....Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer
O/o Chairman, PPCB, Patiala

First Appellate Authority
O/o Chairman, PPCB, Patiala

.....Respondent

Appeal Case No. 5726 of 2024

Present : (i) Sh. Sanjeev Kumar, appellant

(ii) For the respondent- Sh Ishmanjot Singh, AEE (89685-01155)

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 14.04.2024 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 05.09.2024 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 20.01.2026 in the Commission i.e. today.

3. Today the respondent states that the he has brought the information pertaining to point no. 4 of the RTI application, to be provided to the appellant. Rest of the information has already been provided to him. Copy of the information, pertaining to point no. 4 is handed over to the appellant today.

4. The appellant has gone through the same and states that he is satisfied with it. He adds that the information pertaining to point no. 1 and 3 has not been provided to him and the information provided at point no. 2, 5 and 6 is not certified.

5. After hearing both the parties and perusing the documents placed on record, the respondent is directed to provide information pertaining to point no. 1 and 3, to the appellant and also file their reply on the next date of hearing. Further, the respondent is



Appeal Case No. 5726 of 2024

also directed to provide attested copies of information pertaining to point no's 2, 5 and 6, to the appellant before the next date of hearing.

6. Both the parties are directed to appear, in person, on the next date of hearing for deliberations, failing which the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte. To come up on **21.04.2026 at 11.30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Date :20.01.2026

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ShKamalpreet Singh, (M-7719791331)
134, Basant City,
Pakhawal Road, Ludhiana-142022
(RTI Application no.90859)

....Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o Directorate, Health and Family Welfare, Pb
ParivarKalyanBhawan, Sector-34A, Chandigarh

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Principal Secretary, Health and Family Welfare, Pb
Punjab Civil Secretariat, Sector-1, Chandigarh

...Respondents

AC.No. 6240 of 2023

Present :- (i) None for the appellant
(ii) For the respondent: Ms Sonia, Sr Asstt. (9888853947)

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 23.09.2025 vide which the respondent had brought information in the Commission but the appellant was absent hence the respondent was directed to send the same to the appellant. Further the appellant was asked to point out deficiencies if any.

2. Today the respondent states that the information has been provide to the appellant.
3. The appellant is not present today. However, an email has been received from the appellant Sh. Kamalpreet Singh through which he has sought an exemption from today's hearing. Further, he also submitted that incomplete information regarding point no. 4 (a) has been provided to him. Copy of the same is taken on record.

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AC.No. 6240 of 2023

4. In view of the above, an opportunity is given to the respondent to provide complete information to the appellant regarding point no. 4(a) and also file their reply, on the next date of hearing.

5. To come up on **21.04.2026 at 11.30 AM** through CISCO Webex (the meeting no. of the Bench is 25154060883 and the password is 12345). Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

(Dr. Bhupinder S Batth)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Date :20.01.2026

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Shri Manjeet Singh, M:-78888 65424
S/o Shri Balvir Singh, R/o Village Khanpur,
Tehsil & District Ferozepur.

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Block Development and Panchayat Officer,
Ferozepur.

2.Public Information Officer
O/o BDPO,Ghall Khurd, Ferozepur

First Appellate Authority,
O/o District Development and Panchayat Officer,
Ferozepur.

Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 56 OF 2023

Present :- (i) Shri Manjeet Singh, appellant
(ii) None for the respondent

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 03.12.2025 vide which a show cause notice was issued to the respondent PIO.

2. No one has appeared on behalf of the respondent today.

3. The appellant states that no information has been provided to him till date. Further, the appellant informs that the information sought by him is related to PIO O/o BDPO, Ghall Khurd, Ferozepur.

4. After hearing the appellant and perusing the documents placed on record, it is ascertained that no one has appeared on behalf of the respondent. They have not even filed any reply to the show cause notice. It has also been observed that the respondent has not even appeared before the First appellate Authority on 07.12.2022. Further, the appellant has informed today that his information relates to PIO O/o BDPO, Ghall Khurd, Ferozepur.

Hence, the Commission order that PIO O/o BDPO, Ghall Khurd, Ferozepur is impleaded as a necessary party in this case. Further, he is directed to be present on the next date of hearing along with the complete information and point-wise specific reply. ***Copy of the RTI application is sent herewith.***

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5. Both the parties are directed to appear, in person, on the next date of hearing for deliberations, failing which the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte. To come up on **19.03.2026 at 11.30 AM** through video-conferencing facility in the O/o DC, Ferozepur. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Date :20.01.2026

**Sd/-
(Dr. Bhupinder S Batth)
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Sh. Jasbir Singh,
Guru Nanak Nagar, Village Bholapur
Jhabewal, PO Ramgarh, Distt. Ludhiana

..... Appellant

.Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o The Food Safety Officer,
O/o Civil Surgeon, Sr. Mukatsar Sahib

First Appellate Authority

O/o Civil Surgeon, Sr. Mukatsar Sahib

.....Respondent

AC No. 1154 of 2024

Present :- (i) None for the appellant
(ii) For the respondent: Ms Gagandeep Kaur, FSO (98760-11228)

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 09.09.2025 vide which the respondent was not present and one last and final opportunity was given to him.

2. The appellant is not present today.
3. The respondent states that she has brought her reply along with the demand draft of compensation to be provided to the appellant.
4. The perusal of the case file shows that the appellant is not present today. He has not informed the Commission about his absence. The respondent has brought her reply along with the DD of compensation. Hence, the copy of reply, as brought by the respondent, is sent to the appellant along with these orders. Further, the respondent is also directed to send the Demand draft of compensation to the appellant, within one week of receiving these orders. The appellant is also given an opportunity to appear before the Commission and state his case, failing which appropriate orders in his absence shall be passed.
5. Both the parties are directed to appear, in person, on the next date of hearing for deliberations, failing which the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte. To come up on **21.04.2026 at 11.30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Date :20.01.2026

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Sh Rajesh Kumar, (M-9815148139)
S/o ShKewal Kumar, Flat No 11A,
SrideviJi Residency, Kishanpura,
Dhakoli, Zirakpur

.....Appellant .

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o SSP, Mohali

First Appellate Authority
O/o SSP, Mohali

.Respondent

AC No. 2903 of 2023

Present :- (i) Sh. Rajesh kumar, Appellant
(ii) For the respondent: Sh. Maninder Singh, HC (78377-41687)

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 02.12.2025 vide which the appellant was not present and one last and final opportunity was given to him to appear before the Commission.

2. Today the respondent states that till date the appellant has not pointed out any deficiencies in the information provided.

3. The appellant states that he has not brought the documents related to this case hence, he has sought some time to go through this case. Further, he also requests that the attested copy of the information be provided to him again.

4. In view of the above, the respondent is directed to again send the copy of information, duly certified, again to the appellant. Further, the appellant is also given an opportunity to file deficiencies, if any, before the next date of hearing.

5. Both the parties are directed to appear, in person, on the next date of hearing for deliberations, failing which the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte. To come up on 12.05.2026 at **11.30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Date :20.01.2026

(Dr. Bhupinder S Batth)
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