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FINAL ORDER

Shri V.K. Bansal, (93571-15757)

S/o Shri R.P. Aggarwal,
R/o N B 31/A, Tanda Road,
Jalandhar.

....Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer,
O/o Jalandhar Improvement Trust,
Jalandhar.**

**First Appellate Authority,
O/o ADC (UD),
Jalandhar.**

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 958 OF 2023

PRESENT: Appellant: Absent
Respondent: Absent

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference to the previous order dated **03.09.2025**.

2. The respondent PIO is absent. However, the appellant is absent consecutively without intimation for the third successive hearing of this appeal case. It is also a fact that copy of previous order was sent to him through registered post but even though he is absent, which seems his absence is intentional and willful. The appellant has not submitted any written submission and nor has he opted to be present at today's hearing. The *prima facie* appears that the appellant does not intend to pursue the case and he has nothing to say in this regard.
3. The appeal is accordingly **disposed of and closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Date: 28.01.2026

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FINAL ORDER

Shri Hardeep Singh, (81674-04851)

Sergeant, S/o Shri Krishan Singh,
Village Mastiwal, P.O Garhdiwal,
Tehsil Dasuya, Distt Hoshiarpur - 144207

....Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer,
O/o SDO, PSPCL, Garhdiwal,
Distt Hoshiarpur.**

**First Appellate Authority,
O/o SDO, PSPCL, Garhdiwal,
Distt Hoshiarpur.**

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 2241 OF 2024

PRESENT: Appellant: Absent

Respondent: Shri Darshvir Singh, PIO-cum-SDO (96461-16099)

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference to the previous order dated **10.09.2025**.

2. The appellant is absent, but he has submitted a letter which was received in the Commission vide diary no. 1356 dated 19.01.2026 mentioning therein that he is unable to attend the hearing due to working in the army and he also mentioned that he has not received any reply from the respondent.
3. The respondent PIO-cum-SDO, Shri Darshvir Singh, states that a letter has already been sent to the appellant to list the specific information that he requested in his RTI application, but the appellant has not responded to said letter till date.
4. However, the appellant mentioned that he has not received a reply from the respondent. After having detailed deliberations with the respondent and examining the case file, the Commission notes that this is a case of grievance of the appellant who has attempted to find redressal thereof by filing second appeal in the Commission. The perception of the appellant that filing of second appeal under RTI Act can be used as a mechanism for redressal of his grievance is beyond the paradigm of the Act. The Commission advises the appellant to approach the competent forum or Court for redressal of his grievance as it is unable to go outside the jurisdiction stipulated by the RTI Act, 2005.
5. In wake of aforementioned, this appeal case is hereby devoid of merit and hence **disposed of and closed**. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

Date: 28.01.2026

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FINAL ORDER

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Tehsil Dasuya, Distt Hoshiarpur - 144207

....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o District Forest Range Officer,
Hoshiarpur.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o District Forest Range Officer,
Hoshiarpur.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 2242 OF 2024

PRESENT: Appellant: Absent
Respondent: Shri Satwant Singh, Forester (94170-32117)

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference to the previous order dated **10.09.2025**.

2. The appellant is absent, but he has submitted a letter which was received in the Commission vide diary no. 1357 dated 19.01.2026 mentioning therein that he is unable to attend the hearing due to working in the army and he also mentioned that he has not received any reply / information from the respondent.
3. The respondent PIO, represented by Shri Satwant Singh, Forester, states that as directed at the last hearing point wise reply was sent to the appellant, but the appellant has refused to accept said reply. The respondent has also submitted a copy of the same reply to the Commission vide diary no. 1923 dated 27.01.2026, which is taken on record.
4. After having detailed deliberations with the respondent and the Commission has examined the RTI application alongside the reply submitted by the respondent PIO and is of the view that this adequately addresses the RTI application. A copy of reply submitted by respondent vide Commission diary no. 1923 dated 27.01.2026 sent to the appellant along with this order.
5. This appeal case is accordingly **disposed of and closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Date: 28.01.2026

Encl: Letter dated 27.01.2026 sent to the appellant.

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FINAL ORDER

Shri Sarbjit Singh, (98146-91777)

S/o Shri Jagir Singh,
298, Sector - 15, Adarsh Colony, Sarna,
Tehsil & Distt Pathankot.

....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o Directorate of Technical Education & Industrial Training, Punjab,
Chandigarh.

Public Information Officer,

O/o Technical Education and Industrial Training Department,
(Technical Education, Branch – 1), Punjab Civil Sectt. – 2,
Sector – 9, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o Directorate of Technical Education & Industrial Training, Punjab,
Chandigarh.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 5821 OF 2022

PRESENT: Appellant: Absent

Respondent: Shri Manga Singh PIO-cum-Assistant Director (90233-12473)

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference to the previous order dated **03.09.2025**.

2. The appellant is absent, but an email dated 27.01.2026 has been received from him mentioning therein that he has received incomplete and misleading information from the respondent. Further, he requested to hear the case through online mode.
3. The respondent PO-cum-Assistant Director, Shri Manga Singh, states that the information sought in this RTI application has already been provided to the appellant. Further, he states that the complete information as available on record has already been supplied to the appellant and nothing more is available on record which could be supplied to him.
4. After having detailed deliberations with the respondent and perusing the documents placed on record, it has been observed that the appellant was directed to point out deficiency in writing to the respondent's PIO, instead of pointing out deficiency the appellant mentioned that he has received incomplete and misleading information. The Commission notes that this RTI application does not have any 'Larger Public Interest' in seeking the information by the appellant. Therefore, no further directions can be given to the respondent PIO to furnish any information.
5. Keeping in view the above, the Commission is of the view that no further action is required to be taken in this case. Hence, this case is **disposed of & closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Date: 28.01.2026

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FINAL ORDER

Shri Sarbjit Singh, (98146-91777)

S/o Shri Jagir Singh,
House No. 298, Sector - 15, Adarsh Colony, Sarna,
Tehsil & Distt Pathankot - 145025

....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o Director,
Technical Education and Industrial Training,
Sector - 36 A, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o Director,
Technical Education and Industrial Training,
Sector - 36 A, Chandigarh.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 4008 OF 2023

PRESENT: Appellant: Absent

Respondent: Shri Manga Singh PIO-cum-Assistant Director (90233-12473)

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference to the previous order dated **03.09.2025**.

2. The appellant is absent, but an email dated 27.01.2026 has been received from him mentioning therein that he has received incomplete and misleading information from the respondent. Further, he requested to hear the case through online mode.
3. The respondent PO-cum-Assistant Director, Shri Manga Singh, states that the reply along with information has already been sent to the appellant vide letter no. 05-06 dated 27.01.2026.
4. After having detailed deliberations with the respondent and perusing the documents placed on record, it has been observed that the reply has already been sent to the appellant by the respondent. The Commission notes that this RTI application does not have any 'Larger Public Interest' in seeking the information by the appellant. Therefore, no further directions can be given to the respondent PIO to furnish any information. A copy of reply submitted by respondent vide letter vide Commission diary no. 05-06 dated 27.01.2026 sent to the appellant along with this order.
5. This appeal case is accordingly **disposed of and closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Date: 28.01.2026

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Encl: Letter no. 05-06 dated 27.01.2026 (along with (2 Pages) information) sent to the appellant.

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FINAL ORDER

Shri Ravinder Kataria (94631-33590),
64, New Sant Fateh Singh Nagar,
Dugri Road, Ludhiana.

...Appellant

Versus

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

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Secretary,
Regional Transport Authority,
Patiala.

...Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 3555 OF 2023

PRESENT: Appellant: Shri Ravinder Kataria (94631-33590)
Respondent: Shri Tirath Singh, JA (94647-45370)

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference to the previous order dated **21.08.2025**.

2. The appellant states that he has received the requested information from the respondent and is satisfied with it, but the same is not attested.
3. The respondent PIO, represented by Shri Tirath Singh, JA, states that the sought information has already been provided to the appellant after the inspection of the official record.
4. Since, the appellant has received the information and the appellant agreed to close this present case, no further cause of action is left, hence the above said appeal case filed by the appellant is **disposed of and closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Date: 28.01.2026

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