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Sh. Nitin Kumar Garg, C/o
Police Public Diary 15 A, Shastari Nagar
Model Town, Ludhiana

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o XEN, Construction Division No.2,
PWD B&R, Bathinda

First Appellate Authority
O/o SE PWD B&R, Construction Circle
Bathinda

Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 4947 of 2025

Present :- (i) Sh. Nitin Kumar Garg the appellant
(ii) For the respondent- None for the respondent

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 23.12.2024 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 25.08.2025 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 28.04.2026 in the Commission.

3. Sh. Nitin Kumar Garg 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 23.12.2024 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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4. To come up on **13.05.2026 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 :28.04.2026

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Police Public Diary 15 A, Shastari Nagar
Model Town, Ludhiana

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o XEN, Construction Division No. 1,
PWD B&R, Ferozepur

First Appellate Authority
O/o SE PWD, B&R, Construction Circle
Ferozepur

Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 4952 of 2025

Present :- (i) Sh.Nitin Kumar Garg the appellant
(ii) For the respondent- None for the respondent

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 23.12.2024 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 25.08.2025 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 28.04.2026 in the Commission.

3. Sh. Nitin Kumar Garg 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 23.12.2024 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. 4952 of 2025

4. To come up on **13.05.2026 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
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Date :28.04.2026

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Sh. Rajnish Bharara,
520, Preet Colony, Zirakpur-140603
(M-9918896100)

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Addl. SE, PSPCL, Zirakpur

First Appellate Authority
O/o Chief Engineer,
(South Zone) PSPCL, Patiala

Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 188 OF 2024

Present :- None for the parties.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 18.12.2025 vide which an opportunity was given to the respondent to appear before the Commission and state his case.

2. Today neither the appellant nor the respondent is present. The appellant has sent his submission that he is unable to attend today's hearing, hence he has sought another date. Respondent has not informed the Commission about his 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. 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.

3. To come up on **09.07.2026 at 11.30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Date :28.04.2026

Sd/-
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Sh.Tejinder Singh, Advocate
Civil Court, Tehsil Complex,
Backside SanjhKender, 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 20.01.2026 vide which an opportunity was given to the respondent to appear before the Commission and state his case.

2. Today neither the appellant nor the respondent is present. The appellant has sent his submissions via mail which is taken on record. Respondent has not informed the Commission about his absence for today's hearing. The perusal of the case file shows that the respondent has not attended any hearing in the commission. This shows that the respondent has no regard for the orders issued by the Commission. This is indeed a serious matter. The Commission observed that there is complete negligence and laxity in the public authority in dealing with the RTI application. It is abundantly clear that such matters are being ignored and set aside without application of mind which reflects disrespect towards that RTI act 2005 itself.

3. In view of the above, bailable warrant be issued to the respondent-PIO through Commissioner, Amritsar so that he should appear before the Commission to present his case personally.

4. To come up **16.07.2026 at 11.30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

(Dr. Bhupinder S Bath)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Date :28.04.2026

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BAILABLE WARRANT OF PRODUCTION

BEFORE Dr. BHUPINDER SINGH BATTH, STATE INFORMATION COMMISSIONER, PUNJAB

In case of Tejinder Singh vs. PIO, o/o MC, Amritsar FAA ,o/o MC,Amritsar

Complaint/Appeal No. : AC : 2399/2023

UNDER SECTION 18 OF THE RIGHT TO INFORMATION ACT, 2005.

NEXT DATE OF HEARING : 16.07.2026

To

Commissioner, Amritsar

Whereas the Public Information Officer, O/o Commissioner, MC, Amritsar has failed to appear before the State Information Commissioner despite the issuance of repeated notices/directions in the above mentioned appeal case. Therefore, you are hereby directed to serve this bailable warrant on Public Information Officer, O/o Commissioner, MC, Amritsar to appear before the undersigned at Red Cross Building, Near Rose Garden, Sector 16, Chandigarh on 16.07.2026 at 11.30 AM and submit his written submissions.

Sd/-

Chandigarh
28.04.2026

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Sh Sukhpal Nahar, (M-9915494191)
S/o Sh Joginder Singh,
Village Surkha, Tehsil-Bhulath,
Distt- Kapurthala

..... Appellant

.Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o BDPO, Nadala,
DisttKapurthala
First Appellate Authority
O/o ADC(RD) Kapurthala

.....Respondent

APPEAL CASE NO. 469 OF 2025

Present :- (i) Sh Sukhpa INahar, appellant
(ii) For the respondent :- ShSukhdev Singh, Panchayat secy (6280325167)

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 15.01.2026 vide which an opportunity was given to both the parties to appear before the Commission and state his case. Accordingly, the case was adjourned to be heard on 25.03.2026. However, on 25.03.2026 the case could not be heard and hence, was postponed to be heard on 28.04.2026, ie. today.

2. Today the appellant states that the information has not been provided to him till date.

3. The respondent states that the he has brought the original record pertaining to Year 2019 to Year 2024 today. However, the record prior to Year 2019 is not available in their record.

4. After hearing both the parties and perusing the documents placed on record, it has been ascertained that the information has not been provided to the appellant till date. Further, the respondent has appeared today with incomplete information. In view of the above, **Sh Kulwinder Singh Randhawa, BDPO, Nadala, Distt Kapurthala**, is directed to be present on the next date of hearing along with complete information and file his reply, *failing which action u/s 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. To come up on **25.05.2026 at 11:30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission office. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

sd/-

Dated :28.04.2026

(Dr. Bhupinder S Bathh)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

CC: Sh. Kulwinder Singh Randhawa, BDPO, Nadala, Distt Kapurthala (for compliance)

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Ms.JyotiBala, (M-9465741041)
D/o ShSatpal, Ward 16, Motia Bazar, Samana
Distt. Patiala – 147101
(RTI application no. 187226)

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Civil Surgeon, Patiala

First Appellate Authority
O/o Civil Surgeon, Patiala

Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 4584 OF 2025

Present :- (i) Ms JyotiBala, Appellant along with ShVansh Bajaj
(ii) For the respondent- Dr SubhamSingla, MO (94646-46916)

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 24.02.2026 vide which the appellant was directed to inspect the record in the O/o respondent and obtain the information.

2. Today the respondent states that as directed, the appellant has inspected the record.
3. The appellant states that she has inspected the record in the O/o respondent but the complete information has not been provided. She adds that only information pertaining to point no. four (4) of the RTI application has been provided. She has also filed her written submissions vide Commission diary no. 6687 dated 06.04.2026, which is taken on record.
4. After hearing both the parties and perusing the documents placed on record, the appellant is advised to point out deficiencies in the information provided, to the respondent under intimation to the Commission. On receipt of the deficiencies, the respondents are directed to remove the same 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 **14.05.2026 at 11:30AM** for further proceedings in the Commission office. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

Date :28.04.2026

Sd/-
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Sh Gurmukh Singh, (M-98555-39303)
S/o Sh Sawran Singh,
R/o Niyamatpur, PO Rahon,
Tehsil & Distt- SBS Nagar-144517

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o BDPO, Distt SBS Nagar

First Appellate Authority
O/o DDPO, SBS Nagar

Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 267 OF 2024

Present :- (i) Sh Gurmukh Singh, appellant
(ii) For the respondent: None

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 15.01.2026 vide which one last and final opportunity was given to Ms Manjit Kaur, BDPO, Block Nawanshaher, to appear before the Commission along with the information or furnish an affidavit.

2. The appellant Sh Gurmukh Singh states that no information has been provided to him.
3. No one has appeared on behalf of the respondent today.
4. The perusal of the case file shows that the respondent-PIO is not present today. She has neither informed the Commission about her absence nor provided the information to the appellant. Looking at the lackadaisical attitude of the respondent, the Commission, the Commission deem it appropriate to issue show cause notice under section 20 (1) of the RTI Act, 2005, to **PIO, O/o Ms Manjit Kaur, BDPO, Block Nawanshaher** as to why penalty be not imposed upon her for willful delay / denial in providing the information to the RTI applicant. She 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. She may note that in case she does not file her submission and does not avail herself of the opportunity of personal hearing on the next date fixed, it will



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be presumed that she has nothing to say and the Commission shall proceed to take further proceedings against him ex-parte. *The respondent may take note that this is the last opportunity given to her to appear failing which penalty proceedings will be initiated.*

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 **09.06.2026 at 11:30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission office. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

(Dr. Bhupinder S Batth)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Date :28.04.2026

THROUGH REGISTERED POST

CC: (i) Director, Rural Development & Panchayats, Pb VikasBhawan, Sector-62, SAS Nagar : *It is brought to his/her personal notice that in spite of repeated directions, the PIO is not appearing before the Commission. The Commission has taken a very serious view of this deliberate and disrespectful action of the PIO. It is therefore recommended that necessary action may be taken, under intimation to the Commission.*

(ii) Ms Manjit Kaur, BDPO, Block Nawanshaher (for necessary compliance)

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Sh.Ankit Grover, S/o Sh. Ashok Kumar Grover
29, Vijay colony, JandwalaBhimeshah,
Tehsil and Distt.Fazilka - 152123

Complainant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o XEN, Drainage cum Mining and Geology Division
WRD Punjab, Fazilka

First Appellate Authority
O/o SE, Drainage cum Mining and Geology Division
Water Resource Punjab Chandigarh

Respondents

COMPLAINT CASE NO.148 of 2025

Present :- None for the parties.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 30.03.2025 whereby the information-seeker has sought information as mentioned in his RTI application. He filed complaint in the Commission on 04.06.2025 under Section 18 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice was issued to the parties for hearing for 28.04.2026 in the Commission.
3. Today neither the complainant nor the respondent is present. However, the complainant has sent an e-mail through which he has sought exemption from today's hearing. Further, he has also mentioned that action be taken against the respondent PIO for not providing the information within the stipulated time.

5. In view of the above, the respondent-PIO is given an opportunity to appear before the Commission on the next date of hearing and file his reply, detailing the reasons responsible for the delay in providing the information to the Complainant. 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 **15.07.2026 at 11:30AM** in the Commission office. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

sd/-

Dated :28.04.2026

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Sh.Ankit Grover, S/o Sh. Ashok Kumar Grover
29, Vijay colony, JandwalaBhimeshah,
Tehsil and Distt.Fazilka- 152123
(RTI application no. 164375)

Complainant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o XEN, Drainage cum Mining and Geology Division
WRD Punjab, Ludhiana

First Appellate Authority
O/o SE, Drainage cum Mining and Geology Division
Water Resource Punjab Jalandhar

Respondents

COMPLAINT CASE NO.146 of 2025

Present :- (i) None for the complainant
(ii) For the respondent :-ShVikasArora, Clerk (95010-15987)

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 25.01.2025 whereby the information-seeker has sought information as mentioned in his RTI application. He filed complaint in the Commission on 27.05.2025 under Section 18 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice was issued to the parties for hearing for 28.04.2026 in the Commission.
3. The respondent states that the complete information has been provided to the complainant.
4. The Complainant is not present today. However, he has filed an e-mail through which he has sought exemption from today's hearing. Further, he has also mentioned that the complete reply has been furnished to him but much beyond the statutory period, as determined under the RTI Act.

5. In view of the above, the respondent-PIO is given an opportunity to appear before the Commission on the next date of hearing and file his reply, detailing the reasons responsible for the delay in providing the information to the Complainant. 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 **15.07.2026 at 11:30AM** in the Commission office. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

sd/-

Dated :28.04.2026

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Sh.Nitin Kumar Garg, C/o
Police Public Diary 15 A, Shastri Nagar
Model Town, Ludhiana

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o XEN, Construction Division No. 1,
PWD B&R, Hoshiarpur

First Appellate Authority
O/o SE PWD, B&R, Construction Circle
Hoshiarpur

Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 4951 of 2025

Present :- (i) Sh.Nitin Kumar Garg, appellant
(ii) For the respondent- Sh Jagdip Singh, SDE (82890-05578)

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 05.04.2025 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 25.08.2025 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 28.04.2026 in the Commission.
3. The respondent states that the appellant has not deposited the requisite fee, as demanded from him. Hence, the information has not been provided.
4. The appellant states that he has not received the letter vide which the respondent has demanded the fee. Hence, the copy of letter through which the respondent has demanded the requisite fee is handed over to the appellant today. The appellant has agreed to deposit the said fee to the respondent within a week.
5. In view of the above, the respondent is directed to provide complete information to the appellant, after receiving the requisite fee, under intimation to the Commission office. 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

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APPEAL CASE NO. 4951 of 2025

26.05.2026 at 11:30AM in the Commission office. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties. sd/-

Date :28.04.2026

(Dr. Bhupinder S Batth)
State Information Commissioner
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Sh.Harish Kumar Sharma, EO(Retd)
O/o Registrar Coop Socs, Punjab
94, Sector 23A, Chandigarh -160023

Complainant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o ACS, Financial Commissioner Cooperation, Punjab
Civil Sectt-2, Chandigarh

Respondents

COMPLAINT CASE NO.159 of 2025

Present :- (i) None for the complainant

(ii) For the respondent :- Ms Anu Rani, Supdt, Sh Ravinder Singh, SrAsstt. (96465-16762) ShSatnam Singh, Clerk (98148-08327)

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 27.03.2025 whereby the information-seeker has sought information as mentioned in his RTI application. He filed complaint in the Commission on 12.06.2025 under Section 18 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice was issued to the parties for hearing for 28.04.2026 in the Commission.
3. The respondent states that they have brought the information to be provided to the Complainant.
4. The Complainant is not present today. However, he has filed a letter vide Commission diary no. 7398 dated 13.04.2026, through which he has sought exemption from today's hearing. Further, he has also mentioned that action be taken against the respondent for deliberate delay.
5. In view of the above, the respondent-PIO is given an opportunity to appear before the Commission on the next date of hearing and file his reply, detailing the reasons responsible for the delay in providing the information to the Complainant. Both the parties are directed to appear, in person, on the next date of hearing for deliberations, failing

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COMPLAINT CASE NO.159 of 2025

which the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte. To come up on **10.06.2026 at 11:30AM** in the Commission office. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

sd/-

(Dr. Bhupinder S Batth)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Dated :28.04.2026

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Sh Arvind Sharma, (M-9041477777)
S/o ShIsh Narayan, F-808, Jalandhar Height-I,
Jalandhar-144001
(RTI application no. 48152)

.....Appellant

.Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Jalandhar Development Authority, Jalandhar

First Appellate Authority
O/o Jalandhar Development Authority, Jalandhar

.....Respondent

APPEAL CASE NO. 456 OF 2024

Present :- (i) None for the appellant
(ii) For the respondent- Sh.Davinderpal Singh, JE (8437553361)

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 18.12.2025 vide which an opportunity was given to both the parties to appear before the Commission and state their case. Accordingly, the case was adjourned to be heard on 25.03.2026. However, on 25.03.2026 the case could not be heard and hence, was postponed to be heard on 28.04.2026, ie. today.

2. The appellant is not present today. He has not even informed the Commission about his absence.

3. The respondent states that the information demanded by the appellant cannot be provided as the same is third-party information and the so-called third party has given in writing that his personal information shall not be shared with anyone else. He adds that their reply, regarding the same has already been provided to the appellant.

4. Since the appellant is not present, one last and final opportunity is given to him to appear before the Commission and state his case, failing which appropriate orders shall be passed. Both the parties are directed to appear, in person, on the next date of hearing for

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APPEAL CASE NO. 456 OF 2024

deliberations, failing which the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte. To come up on **04.06.2026 at 11:30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission office. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

sd/-

Date :28.04.2026

(Dr. Bhupinder S Batth)
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Ms Kanwaljit Kaur, (M-8283810814)
W/o Sh Daljit Singh, R/o Shingar Avenue,
Chheratta, Amritsar-143105

..... Appellant

.Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o SSP, Tarn Taran

First Appellate Authority
O/o DIGP, Ferozepur Range, Ferozepur

.....Respondent

AC No.1103 of 2025

Present :- (i) Sh Daljit Singh, on behalf of the appellant along with Sh Jaideep Singh
(ii) For the respondent- Sh Satnam Singh, SI (98889-21104) and Sh Mangat Singh,
ASI

ORDER

The RTI application is dated NIL 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 13.02.2025 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 28.04.2026 in the Commission.
3. Sh Daljit Singh, is appearing on behalf of the appellant with authority letter. He states that no information has been provided.
4. The respondent states that the information demanded by the appellant cannot be provided as the same is under enquiry. He has also filed his reply regarding the same.
5. After hearing both the parties and perusing the documents placed on record, it is ascertained that the information sought by the appellant is under enquiry. However, the appellant has requested some time to file his rejoinder/response. Hence, considering the request of the appellant, an opportunity is given to him to file his rejoinder/response regarding the reply of the respondent.

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AC No.1103 of 2025

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 **08.07.2026 at 11:30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission office. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

(Dr. Bhupinder S Batth)
State Information Commissioner
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Date :28.04.2026

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Sh Khairati Lal Narang, House No. B XXI-12066,
Street no.26, Ram Nagar,
MainMarket, Near Sangeet Cinema,
Ludhiana-141003
(M-9878058314)

..... Appellant

.Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o SSP, Ferozepur

First Appellate Authority
O/o SSP, Ferozepur

.....Respondent

APPEAL CASE NO. 612 OF 2024

Present :- (i) Sh Khairati Lal Narang, appellant
(ii) None for the respondent

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 14.01.2026 vide which an opportunity was given to the appellant to appear before the Commission and state his case. Accordingly, the case was adjourned to be heard on 25.03.2026. However, on 25.03.2026 the case could not be heard and hence, was postponed to be heard on 28.04.2026, i.e. today.

2. No one has appeared on behalf of the respondent. However, they have sent their reply vide Commission diary no. 5147 dated 10.03.2026, mentioning that information running into 10 pages has already been sent to the appellant.

3. The appellant states that he is not satisfied with the information provided by the respondent.

4. After hearing the appellant and examining the case file, it is observed that the appellant has not pointed out deficiencies so far. Hence, the appellant is directed to point out deficiencies to the respondent under intimation to the Commission. Since the respondent is not present, an opportunity is given to him to appear before the Commission and state their case, failing which appropriate orders shall be passed. Both the parties are

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APPEAL CASE NO. 612 OF 2024

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 **16.07.2026 at 11:30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission office. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

sd/-

Date :28.04.2026

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Ms. KamaldeepKaur, W/o Sh. Ajaipal Singh,
VPO Gumtala, Near Govt Dispensary,
Amritsar. (M: 9872139640)

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Commissioner,
Municipal Corporation,
Amritsar (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Commissioner,
Municipal Corporation,
Amritsar (Punjab)

Respondents

AC.No. 2085 of 2023

Present :- (i) Ms. Kamaldeep Kaur, appellant
(ii) For the respondent :-None

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 15.01.2026 vide which the respondent had sought some time.

2. The appellant Ms. Kamaldeep Kaur states that the incomplete and unattested information has been provided to her till date.

3. No one has appeared on behalf of the respondent today. They have neither informed the Commission about their absence nor filed any reply.

4. In view of the above, *last and final opportunity* is given to the respondent to provide complete information, duly certified, to the respondent, before the next date of hearing and also to file their reply to the show-cause notice failing which, appropriate orders 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 **02.07.2026 at 11:30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission office. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

sd/-

Dated :28.04.2026

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VPO Gumtala, Near Govt Dispensary,
Amritsar. M: 9872139640

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Commissioner,
Municipal Corporation,
Amritsar (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Commissioner,
Municipal Corporation,
Amritsar (Punjab)

Respondents

AC.No. 2087 of 2023

Present :- (i) Ms. Kamaldeep Kaur, appellant
(ii) For the respondent :-None

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 15.01.2026 vide which the respondent had sought some time.

2. The appellant states that neither the complete information nor the amount of compensation has been provided to her till date.

3. No one has appeared on behalf of the respondent today. They have neither informed the Commission about their absence nor filed any reply.

4. In view of the above, *last and final opportunity* is given to the respondent to provide complete information, duly certified, to the respondent, before the next date of hearing along with the amount of compensation failing which, appropriate orders 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 **02.07.2026 at 11:30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission office. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

sd/-

Dated :28.04.2026

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Sh. Manpreet Singh, (6280356564)
S/o Sh. Gurdit Singh, R/o Darbar Sahib Gate No. 2,
Tehsil & Distt Sri Muktsar Sahib.

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Block Development and Panchayat Officer,
Sri Muktsar Sahib.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o District Development and Panchayat Officer,
Sri Muktsar Sahib.

Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 5255 of 2022

Present :- (i) Sh Manpreet Singh, appellant
(ii) For the respondent: Sh Shinder Pal Singh, Panchayat Secy (94653-78836)

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 28.01.2026 vide which the respondent was directed to file an affidavit.

2. As directed, the respondent has brought their reply on affidavit today. The same is handed over to the appellant.

3. The appellant has gone through the same and states that he is not satisfied with the affidavit of the respondent-PIO. Hence, the affidavit is returned to the respondent today.

4. In view of the above, **PIO-Sh Borh Singh, BDPO, Sri Mukatsar Sahib** is again directed to file his specific point-wise detailed reply, on affidavit failing which, appropriate orders shall be passed. The affidavit should be on a stamp paper duly signed by the PIO and notarized by the notary public. Sh. Borh Singh, BDPO may take note that this is the last opportunity is given to him. 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 **25.06.2026 at 11:30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission office.

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Date :28.04.2026

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Sh. Raman Kumar, (M; 9988900339)
H No 186 A, Street No 6, Arman Nagar,
Near New Water Tanki Dakoha,
Ramamandi, Jalandhar-144023.

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer
O/o Sub Registrar, Pathankot,
DAC Malikpur, Pathankot.

First Appellate Authority
O/o Sub Registrar, Pathankot,
DAC Malikpur, Pathankot.

Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 6067 OF 2022

Present: None for the parties.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 15.01.2026 vide which the respondent was not present and the appellant stated that no information has been given to him. Accordingly the case was adjourned on 25.03.2026. However, on 25.03.2026 the case could not be heard and hence, was postponed to be heard on 28.04.2026, ie. today.

2. Today again the respondent is not present. Since both the parties are not present hence one last opportunity is given to them to appear before the Commission and state their case. 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.

3. To come up on **03.06.2026 at 11.30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission.
Copy of the order be sent to the parties. sd/-

Date :28.04.2026

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