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Sh. J.K. Pal

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Panchkula- 134112
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....Complainant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o Senior Superintendent of Police,
SAS Nagar

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Inspector General of Police,
Roopnagar Range,
Roopnagar

.... Respondent

Complaint Case No. 620 of 2023

Present: Sh. J.K. Pal, the appellant.
Sh. Maninder Singh, HC (7837741687) on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 15.05.2023 vide which the complainant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application and complaint was filed in the Commission on 19.10.2023 under Section 18 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing for today i.e. 29.04.2026.

2. After having detailed deliberations with both the parties, the order in this case is '**Reserved**', which will be pronounced later on. Both the parties are at liberty to make their final submissions, if any, within 30 days from the issue of this order.

Dated: 29.04.2026

(Inderpal Singh)
Chief Information Commissioner,
Punjab.

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Sh. Satwinder Singh

S/o Sh. Arjan Singh,
311, Gali No. 11,
Amritsar- II- 143001
M: 8437683200

RTI Application No. 93123

....Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,

**O/o Senior Superintendent of Police,
Batala, Distt. Gurdaspur**

First Appellate Authority,

**O/o Deputy Inspector General of Police,
Border Range, Amritsar**

.... Respondent

Appeal Case No. 775 of 2024

Present: Sh. Satwinder Singh, the appellant.
Ms. Renu Bala (9876380322) on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 06.10.2023 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 19.11.2023 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 08.01.2024 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing for today i.e. 29.04.2026.

2. The respondent submits that the challan in the FIR no. 35 of 2023, PS Sekhwan, Police Station, Batala has been presented in the Court. However, the appellant submits that he has sought the inquiry report so conducted by the Deputy Superintendent of Police (Special Branch), Batala. Accordingly, the PIO is directed to look into the matter and supply the inquiry report and in case no inquiry report is available in the office then the specific undertaking be submitted to the commission with a copy to the appellant in advance.

3. To come up on **15.07.2026 at 11:30 A. M. at Chandigarh.**

Dated: 29.04.2026

**(Inderpal Singh)
Chief Information Commissioner,
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Sh. Baljit Singh

S/o Sh. Harjeet Singh,
133, Urban Estate,
Ram Teerth Road,
Amritsar-143105
M: 9814809717

....Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,

O/o Superintendent of Police (Industrial Security),
District Administrative Complex, Sector- 76,
SAS Nagar

First Appellate Authority,

O/o Senior Superintendent of Police,
District Administrative Complex, Sector- 76,
SAS Nagar

.... Respondent

Appeal Case No. 3991 of 2024

Present: Sh. Harjeet Singh (through VC) on behalf of the appellant.
Sh. Maninder Singh, HC (7837741687) on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 22.12.2023 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 16.02.2024 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 12.06.2024 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing for today i.e. 29.04.2026.

2. The respondent requested for an adjournment. Accordingly, the request is accepted and the case is adjourned.

3. To come up on **15.07.2026 at 11:30 A. M. at Chandigarh.**

Dated: 29.04.2026

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Sh. Satvinder Singh

S/o Sh. Hardyal Singh,

Village Nurpur urf Bakipur,

Tehsil & Distt. Hoshiarpur-144204

M: 6283473218

RTI Application No. 118257

....Appellant

V/s

Sh. Sandeep Singh (M: 7889027899)

DDPO-cum

-Public Information Officer,

O/o District Development &

Panchayat Officer,

Hoshiarpur

Encl. RTI application

First Appellate Authority,

O/o District Development &

Panchayat Officer,

Hoshiarpur

.... Respondent

Appeal Case No. 4000 of 2024

Present: None on behalf of the appellant.

None on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 06.04.2024 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 25.04.2024 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 12.06.2024 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing for today i.e. 29.04.2026.

2. The appellant is absent but after going through the RTI application, it is ascertained that the presence of the District Development and Panchayat Officer is very essential to meet the ends of justice. Since, the respondent District Development and Panchayat Officer is absent without intimation, it appears that his absence is intentional and willful.

3. Viewing the attitude in dealing with the RTI application by the respondent casually, **Sh. Sandeep Singh, District Development and Panchayat Officer, Hoshiarpur** is, thus, issued a show cause notice to explain in a self-attested affidavit as to why a penalty @ Rs.250/- per day of delay subject to a maximum of Rs.25000/- till the complete information is furnished, be not imposed under Section 20(1) of RTI Act, 2005 on him for causing willful delay/denial of the information to the RTI applicant and to show cause why a compensation under section 19(8) of the RTI Act,2005, may not be paid to the appellant for causing willful delay/denial of the information for detriment suffered by him.

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Appeal Case No. 4000 of 2024

In addition to the written reply, the Public Information Officer is also 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 take a note that in case he does not file his written reply and does not avail himself of the opportunity of personal hearing on the next date, it will be presumed that he has nothing to say and the Commission will proceed ex-parte.

5. It is appropriate to mention the judgment passed by the Hon'ble Madras High Court in W.P.No.17677 of 2010 and M.P.No.1 of 2010 and the relevant portion of the same is reproduced below:

"10.Such Officers must be taught a lesson and in my view, they are unfit to hold the post of Public Information Officer or any other post in connection with the discharge of duties under RTI Act and they should be shown the doors, so that it will be a lesson for other Officers to act in accordance with the terms of the Act, failing which they may also face the similar or more consequences."

6. Also a copy of this order is **being sent** to the Financial Commissioner, Rural Development and Panchayats, Punjab to ensure the presence of the concerned PIO.

7. To come up on **28.05.2026 at 11:30 A. M. at Chandigarh.**

Dated: 29.04.2026

(Inderpal Singh)
Chief Information Commissioner,
Punjab

CC:

Financial Commissioner (by name)
Rural Development and Panchayats, Punjab
Vikas Bhawan, Sector 62,
S.A.S. Nagar(Mohali)

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M: 9814809717

....Appellant

V/s

Station House Officer (by name)

-cum-Public Information Officer

Police Station Phase- 8,
Mohali

Encl. RTI application

First Appellate Authority,

O/o Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Mohali

.... Respondent

Appeal Case No. 3990 of 2024

Present: Sh. Harjeet Singh (Through VC) on behalf of the appellant.
Sh. Maninder Singh, HC (7837741687) on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 22.12.2023 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 16.02.2024 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 12.06.2024 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing for today i.e. 29.04.2026.

2. After having detailed deliberations with both the parties, the SHO, Phase-8, Mohali is implicated as a necessary party in this case. Accordingly, a copy of this order is **being sent** to him along with RTI application to file the reply on the next date of hearing. He is also directed to remain present on the next date of hearing.

3. Also, a copy of this order is **being sent** to the Senior Superintendent of Police, Mohali to ensure the presence of the concerned SHO on the next date of hearing.

4. To come up on **15.07.2026 at 11:30 A. M. at Chandigarh.**

Dated: 29.04.2026

(Inderpal Singh)
Chief Information Commissioner,
Punjab

CC:

Sh. Harmandeep Singh Hans, IPS
Senior Superintendent of Police
Mohali

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Sh. Lalpat Rai Garg

S/o Sh. Harbans Lal,
Romana Street, Jaito,
Tehsil – Jaiton,
Distt. Faridkot
M: 9814230616

.....Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,

O/o Advocate General, Punjab,
O/o Punjab & Haryana High Court,
Sector- 1, Chandigarh

First Appellate Authority,

O/o Advocate General, Punjab,
O/o Punjab & Haryana High Court,
Sector- 1, Chandigarh

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 6422 of 2024

Present: Sh. Lajpat Rai Garg, the appellant.
None on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 26.07.2024 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 28.08.2024 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 25.10.2024 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Thereafter, this case was fixed for hearing on 24.12.2025 but was postponed due to administrative reasons and fixed for hearing for today i.e. 29.04.2026.

2. The appellant submits that the direction may be issued to the respondent PIO to supply the complete sought information. However, the respondent PIO is absent but a written request has been received requesting therein for an adjournment. Accordingly, the request is accepted and the case is adjourned.

3. To come up on **15.07.2026 at 11:30 A. M. at Chandigarh.**

Dated: 29.04.2026

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Sh. Lalpat Rai Garg

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...Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,

O/o Advocate General, Punjab,
O/o Punjab & Haryana High Court,
Sector- 1, Chandigarh

First Appellate Authority,

O/o Advocate General, Punjab,
O/o Punjab & Haryana High Court,
Sector- 1, Chandigarh

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 6423 of 2024

Present: Sh. Lajpat Rai Garg, the appellant.
None on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 26.07.2024 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 28.08.2024 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 25.10.2024 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Thereafter, this case was fixed for hearing on 24.12.2025 but was postponed due to administrative reasons and fixed for hearing for today i.e. 29.04.2026.

2. The appellant submits that the direction may be issued to the respondent PIO to supply the complete sought information. However, the respondent PIO is absent but a written request has been received requesting therein for an adjournment. Accordingly, the request is accepted and the case is adjourned.

3. To come up on **15.07.2026 at 11:30 A. M. at Chandigarh.**

Dated: 29.04.2026

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Ms. Kiran Sharma,

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Phase 2, Urban Estate,
Dugri Road, Ludhiana-141013
M: 7973081420

....Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o District & Sessions Judge,
Ludhiana

First Appellate Authority,
O/o District & Sessions Judge,
Ludhiana

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 6357 of 2024

Present: None on behalf of the appellant.

Sh. Pamilpreet, Clerk (9888044094) on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 10.07.2024 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 10.08.2024 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 23.10.2024 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Thereafter, this case was fixed for hearing on 29.04.2026 but was postponed due to administrative reasons and fixed for hearing for today i.e. 29.04.2026.

2. The respondent present submits that he is present on behalf of the PIO. On asking why the PIO is not present as his presence is essential to meet the ends of justice. Therefore, a copy of this order is **being sent** to the District & Session Judge, Ludhiana to ensure the presence of the concerned PIO in this case.

3. Also, **last opportunity** is given to the appellant to remain present on the next date of hearing as the presence of both the parties is essential to take the matter to its logical end.

4. It is further clarified that in case of absence of any party, the case will be decided as per the record available in the case file, on merit.

5. To come up on **08.07.2026 at 11:30 A. M. at Chandigarh.**

Dated: 29.04.2026

(Inderpal Singh)
Chief Information Commissioner,
Punjab

CC:

District & Session Judge (by name)
Ludhiana

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M: 7973081420

....Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o District & Sessions Judge,
Ludhiana

First Appellate Authority,
O/o District & Sessions Judge,
Ludhiana

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 6356 of 2024

Present: None on behalf of the appellant.
Sh. Pamilpreet, Clerk (9888044094) on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 24.07.2024 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 10.08.2024 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 23.10.2024 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). The case was earlier fixed for hearing on 29.04.2026 but was postponed due to administrative reasons and fixed for hearing today i.e. 29.04.2026.

2. The respondent present submits that he is present on behalf of the PIO. On asking why the PIO is not present as his presence is essential to meet the ends of justice. Therefore, a copy of this order is **being sent** to the District & Session Judge, Ludhiana to ensure the presence of the concerned PIO in this case.

3. Also, **last opportunity** is given to the appellant to remain present on the next date of hearing as the presence of both the parties is essential to take the matter to its logical end.

4. It is further clarified that in case of absence of any party, the case will be decided as per the record available in the case file, on merit.

5. To come up on **08.07.2026 at 11:30 A. M. at Chandigarh.**

Dated: 29.04.2026

(Inderpal Singh)
Chief Information Commissioner,
Punjab

CC:
District & Session Judge (by name)
Ludhiana

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Sh. Navdeep Gupta

S/o Sh. Deputy Chand Gupta,
K No. 455, Gilco Valley
Sector-127, Tehsil Kharar,
Distt. SAS Nagar- 140301
M: 9888364580

RTI Application No. 164618

Encl.

V/s

....Appellant

Public Information Officer,

O/o Assistant Inspector General of Police,
Security, PB,
Police Headquarters, Sector- 9,
Chandigarh

First Appellate Authority,

O/o Additional Director General of Police,
Security, PB.,
Police Headquarters, Sector- 9,
Chandigarh

.... Respondent

Appeal Case No. 2096 of 2025

Present: Sh. Navdeep Gupta (through Cisco Webex), of the appellant.
Sh. Subhash Chand, DSP (9878902500) and Sh. Rajeshwar Prashad, ASI
(9463715097) on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 26.01.2025 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 08.02.2025 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 01.04.2025 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing for today i.e. 29.04.2026.

2. The respondent made the written submissions. A copy of which is **being sent** to the appellant to file the counter submissions, if any, to take the matter to its logical end.
3. To come up on **20.05.2026 at 11:30 A. M. at Chandigarh.**

Dated: 29.04.2026

(Inderpal Singh)
Chief Information Commissioner,
Punjab.

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Sh. Karan Preet Singh

S/o Sh. Prem Singh,
316, Abadpura,
Jalandhar- 144003
M: 9877726116

RTI Application No. 179281

....Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,

O/o Deputy Commissioner of Police,
Jalandhar

First Appellate Authority,

O/o Commissioner of Police,
Master Tara Singh Nagar,
Jalandhar

.... Respondent

Appeal Case No. 3804 of 2025

Present: Sh. Karanpreet Singh, the appellant.
Sh. Mangat Singh, SI (9876622088) on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 11.04.2025 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 11.05.2025 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 01.07.2025 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing for today i.e. 29.04.2026.

2. The appellant submits that he has filed a complaint but no action taken has been supplied by the respondent as has been sought by him. However, the respondent submits the office is unable to trace the record concerning his complaint and requested that the appellant is directed to submit a copy of complaint so that the sought information in this case can be supplied.

3. Accordingly, the appellant is directed to send a copy of his complaint to the respondent PIO, O/o Deputy Commissioner of Police, Jalandhar, with a copy to the Commission.

4. Also the respondent PIO is directed submit the point-wise reply on a complaint, if so received from the appellant.

5. To come up on **06.08.2026 at 11:30 A. M. at Chandigarh.**

Dated: 29.04.2026

(Inderpal Singh)
Chief Information Commissioner,
Punjab.

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Sh. Sandeep Dhammi

S/o Sh. Sushil Kumar,
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M: 9465958747

RTI Application No. 152570

V/s

....Appellant

Public Information Officer,

O/o Deputy Commissioner of Police,
Jalandhar

First Appellate Authority,

O/o Commissioner of Police,
Master Tara Singh Nagar,
Jalandhar

.... Respondent

Appeal Case No. 1161 of 2025

Present: None on behalf of the appellant.

Sh. Mangat Singh, SI (9876622088) on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 05.11.2024 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 13.12.2024 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 17.02.2025 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing for today i.e. 29.04.2026.

2. The respondent denied the information as per Section 8 (1) (a) and 8 (1) (g) of the RTI Act, 2005.

3. After going through the case file and hearing the contentions made by the respondent, the presence of the Deputy Commissioner of Police, Jalandhar, Sh. Parminder Singh Heer, is very essential to meet the ends of justice. As such a copy of this order is **being sent** to him to remain present on the next date of hearing.

4. To come up on **28.05.2026 at 11:30 A. M. at Chandigarh.**

Dated: 29.04.2026

(Inderpal Singh)
Chief Information Commissioner,
Punjab

CC:

Sh. Parminder Singh Heer
Deputy Commissioner of Police,
Jalandhar

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Sh. Jasvinder Singh Sammi

S/o Sh. Mohan Singh Sammi,

H. No. 14, Gurmeet Nagar,

Mithapur Road,

Tehsil & Distt. Jalandhar- I- 144003

M: 9811920773

RTI Application No. 153793

V/s

....Appellant

Public Information Officer,

O/o Deputy Commissioner of Police,

Jalandhar

First Appellate Authority,

O/o Commissioner of Police,

Master Tara Singh Nagar,

Jalandhar

.... Respondent

Appeal Case No. 1005 of 2025

Present: None on behalf of the appellant.

Sh. Mangat Singh, SI (9876622088) on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 12.11.2024 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 14.12.2024 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 05.02.2025 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Thereafter, a Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing for today i.e. 29.04.2026.

2. The appellant is absent but has requested for the video conferencing which was allowed today but he is not present. In the interest of natural justice, he is directed to remain present, on the next date of hearing for deliberations to take the matter to its logical end.

3. To come up on **12.08.2026 at 11:30 A. M. at Chandigarh.**

Dated: 29.04.2026

(Inderpal Singh)
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Sh. Vikram Vaid

H. No. 1527, Gali No. 2,
Bagh Rama Nand,
Amritsar
M: 9855032897

....Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o Station House Officer,
Police Station Mehatpur,
Jalandhar

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Inspector General of Police,
Jalandhar Range,
Jalandhar

.... Respondent

Appeal Case No. 1977 of 2025

Present: Sh. Vikram Vaid, the appellant.
Ms. Gurpreet Kaur, Computer Operator (9501945843) and Sh. Davinder Singh,
ASI (9888599842) on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 20.08.2024 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 28.10.2024 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 25.03.2025 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing for today i.e. 29.04.2026.

2. The appellant submits that the directions may be issued to the respondent PIO to supply the complete sought information. However, the respondent submits that the information sought relates to third party which cannot be supplied to the appellant as neither the appellant is accused nor he is a complainant. Also, the respondent handed over a copy of the FIR along with the written submissions to the appellant during the course of hearing. A copy of the same is also taken on record.

3. Accordingly, the appellant is directed to file the counters submissions, if any, well before the next date of hearing.

4. To come up on **01.07.2026 at 11:30 A. M. at Chandigarh.**

Dated: 29.04.2026

(Inderpal Singh)
Chief Information Commissioner,
Punjab.

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Sh. Jasbir Singh

R/o Guru Nanak Nagar,
Village Bholapur,
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Distt. Ludhiana-141010
M: 9888296107

....Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,

O/o State Transport Commissioner, PB.,
Sector- 17, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o State Transport Commissioner, PB.,
Sector- 17, Chandigarh

.... Respondent

Appeal Case No. 559 of 2025

Present: None on behalf of the appellant.

Ms. Sukhveer Kaur Gill, ADTO (9501299330) on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 09.10.2024 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 11.11.2024 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 15.01.2025 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing for today i.e. 29.04.2026.

2. The appellant requested for an adjournment. Accordingly, the requested is accepted and the case is adjourned.
3. To come up on **12.08.2026 at 11:30 A. M. at Chandigarh.**

Dated: 29.04.2026

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First Appellate Authority,

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....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 5345 of 2022

Present: Sh. Rakesh Kumar Gupta, the appellant.
Sh. Mohit Sharma (PIO), EO MC, Jagraon (9356344527) on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 07.01.2026.

2. The respondent, Sh. Mohit Sharma assured the court that he will cooperate with the appellant to bring the case to its logical end. The respondent also submitted that the appellant can verify the facts to his satisfaction. However, the appellant is at the liberty to file ambiguities, if any, within 28 days from the issue of this order.

3. It is appropriate to mention that a show cause notice was issued to Sh. Harnarinder Jeet Singh, Executive Officer and Sh. Harjeet Singh, the then PIO but neither they are present nor filed reply to the show cause notice issued to them vide order dated 07.01.2026. Accordingly, **one opportunity** is given to them to remain present, in person, on the next date of hearing along with reply to the show cause notice is used to them.

4. A copy of this order is **being sent** to the Administrative Secretary, Local Government, Punjab, to ensure the presence of the concerned Executive Officers i.e. Sh. Harnarinder Jeet Singh, Executive Officer and Sh. Harjeet Singh on the next date of hearing.

5. To come up on **15.07.2026 at 11:30 A. M. at Chandigarh.**

Dated: 29.04.2026

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First Appellate Authority,

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....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 5362 of 2022

Present: Sh. Rakesh Kumar Gupta, the appellant.
Sh. Mohit Sharma (PIO), EO MC, Jagraon (9356344527) on behalf of the
respondent.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 07.01.2026.

2. The respondent, Sh. Mohit Sharma assured the court that he will cooperate with the appellant to bring the case to its logical end. The respondent also submitted that the appellant can verify the facts to his satisfaction. However, the appellant is at the liberty to file ambiguities, if any, within 28 days from the issue of this order.

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5. To come up on **15.07.2026 at 11:30 A. M. at Chandigarh.**

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....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 6239 of 2022

Present: Sh. Rakesh Kumar Gupta, the appellant.
Sh. Mohit Sharma (PIO), EO MC, Jagraon (9356344527) on behalf of the
respondent

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 07.01.2026.

2. The respondent, Sh. Mohit Sharma assured the court that he will cooperate with the appellant to bring the case to its logical end. The respondent also submitted that the appellant can verify the facts to his satisfaction. However, the appellant is at the liberty to file ambiguities, if any, within 28 days from the issue of this order.

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First Appellate Authority,

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....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 6240 of 2022

Present: Sh. Rakesh Kumar Gupta, the appellant.
Sh. Mohit Sharma (PIO), EO MC, Jagraon (9356344527) on behalf of the
respondent

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 07.01.2026.

2. The respondent, Sh. Mohit Sharma assured the court that he will cooperate with the appellant to bring the case to its logical end. The respondent also submitted that the appellant can verify the facts to his satisfaction. However, the appellant is at the liberty to file ambiguities, if any, within 28 days from the issue of this order.

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5. To come up on **15.07.2026 at 11:30 A. M. at Chandigarh.**

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....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 6247 of 2022

Present: Sh. Rakesh Kumar Gupta, the appellant.
Sh. Mohit Sharma (PIO), EO MC, Jagraon (9356344527) on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 07.01.2026.

2. The respondent, Sh. Mohit Sharma assured the court that he will cooperate with the appellant to bring the case to its logical end. The respondent also submitted that the appellant can verify the facts to his satisfaction. However, the appellant is at the liberty to file ambiguities, if any, within 28 days from the issue of this order.

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First Appellate Authority,

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....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 6248 of 2022

Present: Sh. Rakesh Kumar Gupta, the appellant.
Sh. Mohit Sharma (PIO), EO MC, Jagraon (9356344527) on behalf of the
respondent.

ORDER

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2. The respondent, Sh. Mohit Sharma assured the court that he will cooperate with the appellant to bring the case to its logical end. The respondent also submitted that the appellant can verify the facts to his satisfaction. However, the appellant is at the liberty to file ambiguities, if any, within 28 days from the issue of this order.

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....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 6242 of 2022

Present: Sh. Rakesh Kumar Gupta, the appellant.
Sh. Mohit Sharma (PIO), EO MC, Jagraon (9356344527) on behalf of the
respondent.

ORDER

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....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 6241 of 2022

Present: Sh. Rakesh Kumar Gupta, the appellant.
Sh. Mohit Sharma (PIO), EO MC, Jagraon (9356344527) on behalf of the
respondent.

ORDER

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....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 6249 of 2022

Present: Sh. Rakesh Kumar Gupta, the appellant.
Sh. Mohit Sharma (PIO), EO MC, Jagraon (9356344527) on behalf of the
respondent.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 07.01.2026.

2. The respondent, Sh. Mohit Sharma assured the court that he will cooperate with the appellant to bring the case to its logical end. The respondent also submitted that the appellant can verify the facts to his satisfaction. However, the appellant is at the liberty to file ambiguities, if any, within 28 days from the issue of this order.

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....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 6237 of 2022

Present: Sh. Rakesh Kumar Gupta, the appellant.
Sh. Mohit Sharma (PIO), EO MC, Jagraon (9356344527) on behalf of the
respondent.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 07.01.2026.

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5. To come up on **15.07.2026 at 11:30 A. M. at Chandigarh.**

Dated: 29.04.2026

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