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Sh. Mukhtiar Singh, S/o Sh. Santokh Singh,
Ward No. 4, Village Ferozepur (Rural)-142060.
(M.9417842163) RTI Application No 98571.

....Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o Deputy Commissioner,
Sri Muktsar Sahib.
First Appellate Authority,
O/o Deputy Commissioner,
Sri Muktsar Sahib.

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 699 of 2024

Present: None for the parties.

ORDER:

1. The RTI application is dated 10.11.2023 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 12.12.2023 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 05.01.2024 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today i.e.30.04.2025.
2. Neither the respondent nor the appellant is present at today's hearing. However, an email dated 28.04.2025 has been received from the respondent PIO that information as per RTI application dated 10.11.2023 has been supplied to the appellant. He has also mentioned the Commission that due to wheat season and awareness campaigns against drugs in the field and other office engagements, most of the staff is busy in the field and requested that adjournment may please be given.
3. The appellant has informed the Commission telephonically that he has received the information with which he is satisfied and requested to close the case.
4. Keeping in view of the above, the Commission is of the view that no further action is required to be taken in this case. Hence, the case is **disposed of and closed.** Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Dated: 30th April, 2025

Sd/-
(Pooja Gupta)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab



Sh. Gurmail Singh, S/o Sh. Deputy Singh,
R/o Maur Mandi, Tehsil Maur, District Bathinda.
(M.9876851008).

....Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o Executive Engineer (XEN), Provincial Division,
B&R, Bathinda.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Superintending Engineer,
Public Works Department (PWD), B&R,
Bathinda.

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 832 of 2024

Present: (i) None is present on behalf of the appellant.
(ii) Sh. Manpreet Singh, Clerk (M.98767-83469) on behalf of the respondent PIO.

ORDER:

1. The RTI application is dated 11.10.2023 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 20.11.2023 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 10.01.2024 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today i.e. 30.04.2025.

2. At today's hearing, the appellant is absent. It is also a fact that a copy of Commission's notice of hearing was sent to him through registered post even though, he is absent.

3. The respondent PIO has authorized Sh. Manpreet Singh, Clerk to appear on his behalf for today's hearing. The representative of the PIO, states that desired information has been sent to the appellant vide letter No.842 dated 25.04.2025 by registered post. Copy of the same is taken on record.

4. Accordingly, the appellant was contacted on telephone and he confirmed the Commission that he has received the information but the same is not legible and requested that legible copy of the information be supplied to him.

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5. Having gone through the written reply, submitted by the respondent PIO, during the course of hearing, the Commission concurs with the appellant that the provided information is not legible. Accordingly, the respondent PIO is directed to send a legible copy of the information to the appellant, within a week by registered post, under intimation to the Commission, failing which penal consequences shall follow, as per the provisions of Section 20 of the RTI Act, 2005.

6. With the aforesaid directions, the case is **disposed of and closed**. In case, the appellant fails to get the legible copy of the information, he is at liberty to approach the Commission, after one month.

Dated: 30th April, 2025

Sd/-
(Pooja Gupta)
State Information Commissioner
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