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Sh. Rajwinder Singh, S/o Sh. Kuldeep Singh,
Nagar Nigam Colony O/o Gilwali Gate, Amritsar-1,
(M.9872821947) RTI application No.116580.

….Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o DCP Law & Order,
Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Commissioner of Police,
Amritsar.

…Respondents

Appeal Case No.4462 of 2024

Present: (i) The appellant is absent.
(ii) ASI Surinder Singh on behalf of the respondent PIO.

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 25.03.2024 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 19.04.2024 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 08.07.2024 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.02.11.2026.

2. At today's hearing, the appellant is absent. However, an email dated 01.11.2026 has been received from the appellant, wherein he has alleged that incomplete information has been furnished to him by the respondent PIO.

3. The respondent PIO, represented by ASI Surinder Singh, submits that the information sought by the appellant has already been furnished to him vide letter dated 27.06.2024 which was received by the appellant by hand on 08.07.2024. In support of his submission, the respondent PIO has also produced the acknowledgment bearing the appellant's signatures as proof of receipt of the information.

4. In view of the above, a copy of the deficiencies pointed out by the appellant is handed over to the respondent PIO, with the directions to examine the same and remove the deficiencies, if any, before the next date of hearing. The appellant is also advised to carefully examine the information upon receipt and, in case any deficiency still persists, submit his specific objections/point-wise deficiencies to the respondent PIO within fifteen days from the receipt of this order, under intimation to the Commission, so that the matter may be appropriately examined and taken to its logical conclusion.

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5. Both the parties are also directed to remain present for delibertaions to take the matter to its logical end. It is also clarified that in case of defiance of this order, the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.

6. With this, the case is **adjourned to 02nd February, 2027 at 12.00 Noon for hearing at Chandigarh.** Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

(Pooja Gupta)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Dated: 02nd November, 2026

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Sh. Sumit Kumar, S/o Sh. Karam Chand,
Time TV Punjab Office No.1, Latifpura Model Town,
Tehsil and District Jalandhar. (M.8360895224)
RTI application No.446924. **….Appellant**

V/s

Public Information Officer,
Drug Inspector,
O/o Civil Surgeon,
Jalandhar.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Director,
Health and Family welfare, Punjab,
Chandigarh. **…Respondents**

Appeal Case No.4464 of 2024

Present: None for the parties.

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 27.03.2024 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 20.04.2024 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 08.07.2024 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.02.11.2026.

2. At today's hearing, neither the appellant nor the respondent PIO is present. No intimation regarding their non-availability has been received by the Commission from either side. The absence of the respondent PIO is viewed seriously.

3. In the interest of justice, **last opportunity** is granted to both the parties to appear personally before the Commission on the next date of hearing and to state the facts and circumstances of the case. The respondent PIO shall also ensure compliance with the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005, if not already done. It is made clear that in case of failure to appear on the next date of hearing without sufficient cause, the Commission shall be constrained to proceed further in accordance with law.

4. With this, the case is **adjourned to 02nd February, 2027 at 12.00 Noon for hearing at Chandigarh.** Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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Sh. Jagdev Singh, S/o Sh. Bikkar Singh,
Ghudda Near Shaheed Bhagat Singh Library,
Tehsil and District Bathinda. (M.7696853153)
RTI application No.117426. **….Appellant**

V/s

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

First Appellate Authority,
O/o District Development and Panchayat Officer,
Bathinda. **…Respondents**

Appeal Case No.4465 of 2024

PRESENT: (i) The appellant is absent.
(ii) Sh. Gurpreet Singh, Panchayat secretary on behalf of the respondent PIO.

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 31.03.2024 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 04.05.2024 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 08.07.2024 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.02.11.2026.

2. At today's hearing, the appellant is not present. No intimation regarding his non-availability has been received by the Commission.

3. The respondent PIO represented by Sh. Gurpreet Singh, Panchayat Secretary states that the sought information has been furnished to the appellant by registered post on 31.10.2026 and has also brought the another copy of the same to deliver it personally to the appellant. Copy of the same is taken on record.

4. Accordingly one more opportunity is granted to the appellant to go through the information whenever he receives and revert back to the respondent PIO in case of any deficiency found in the information, within fifteen days, from the receipt of this order, under intimation to the Commission. On receipt of the rebuttal, the respondent is also directed to remove the deficiencies, if any, before the next date of hearing. Both the parties are also directed to remain present for delibertaions to take the matter to its logical end. It is also clarified that in case of defiance of this order, the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.

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Appeal Case No.4465 of 2024

5. With this, the case is **adjourned to 02nd February, 2027 at 12.00 Noon for hearing at Chandigarh.** Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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Sh. Suraj Kumar, S/o Sh. Ram Kishan,
Village Pachranda, Tehsil Anandpur Sahib,
District Roopnagar, (M.9592752309)
RTI application No.120058.

….Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o District Development and Panchayat Officer,
Roopnagar.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Director Rural Development and Panchayat
Department, Punjab, Mohali.

…Respondents

Appeal Case No.4467 of 2024

Present: None for the parties.

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 19.04.2024 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 19.05.2024 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 08.07.2024 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.02.11.2026.

2. At today's hearing, neither the appellant nor the respondent PIO is present. No intimation regarding their non-availability has been received by the Commission from either side. The absence of the respondent PIO is viewed seriously.

3. In the interest of justice, **last opportunity** is granted to both the parties to appear personally before the Commission on the next date of hearing and to state the facts and circumstances of the case. The respondent PIO shall also ensure compliance with the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005, if not already done. It is made clear that in case of failure to appear on the next date of hearing without sufficient cause, the Commission shall be constrained to proceed further in accordance with law.

4. With this, the case is **adjourned to 02nd February, 2027 at 12.00 Noon for hearing at Chandigarh.** Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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Sh. Sudhakar Bhardwaj, S/o Sh. Ramjeet,
67, Silver City Factory Area, Tehsil and District Patiala.
(M.9814613201) RTI application No.120093. **….Appellant**

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o Deputy Director,
Factories, Kapurthala at Phagwara.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Labour Commissioner,
Punjab, Mohali.

…Respondents

Appeal Case No.4474 of 2024

Present: None for the parties.

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 19.04.2024 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 20.05.2024 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 08.07.2024 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.02.11.2026.

2. At today's hearing, neither the appellant nor the respondent PIO is present. However, an email dated 30.10.2026 has been received from the respondent PIO, wherein he has submitted that he has been deputed by the Deputy Commissioner, Jalandhar, for duty in connection with the Men's Hockey Asian Championship-2026.

3. In the interest of justice, **last opportunity** is granted to both the parties to appear personally before the Commission on the next date of hearing and to state the facts and circumstances of the case. The respondent PIO shall also ensure compliance with the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005, if not already done. It is made clear that in case of failure to appear on the next date of hearing without sufficient cause, the Commission shall be constrained to proceed further in accordance with law.

4. With this, the case is **adjourned to 02nd February, 2027 at 12.00 Noon for hearing at Chandigarh.** Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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State Information Commissioner
Punjab

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Sh. Sukhjinder Singh, S/o Sh. Bhupinder Singh,
H.No.144, Patti Khera, Vilalge Alamgir, Tehsil and District Ludhiana (West),
(M.9781129001) RTI application No.121546.

….Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o Director School Education,
Punjab, Mohali.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Director School Education,
Punjab, Mohali.

…Respondents

Appeal Case No.4475 of 2024

Present: None for the parties.

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 27.04.2024 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 14.05.2024 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 08.07.2024 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.02.11.2026.

2. At today's hearing, neither the appellant nor the respondent PIO is present. However, a letter dated 08.10.2026 has been received from the respondent PIO vide which he has provided the information to the appellant. Copy of the same is taken on record.

3. Accordingly, one more opportunity is granted to the appellant to peruse the reply sent by the respondent PIO upon receipt thereof and, if so advised, to file a rebuttal thereto within fifteen (15) days from the date of receipt of this order, under intimation to the Commission. Both the parties are also directed to remain present for delibertaions to take the matter to its logical end. It is also clarified that in case of defiance of this order, the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.

4. With this, the case is **adjourned to 02nd February, 2027 at 12.00 Noon for hearing at Chandigarh.** Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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Sh. Gurpreet Singh, S/o Sh. Swaran Singh,
Village Balian, Tehsil Dhuri, District Sangrur
(M.9877344254) RTI application No.118981.

….Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o DPI (SE), Punjab,
Mohali.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o DPI (SE), Punjab,
Mohali.

…Respondents

Appeal Case No.4476 of 2024

Present: (i) The appellant is absent.
(ii) Sh. Amrinder Singh, on behalf of the respondent PIO.

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 11.04.2024 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 09.05.2024 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 08.07.2024 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.02.11.2026.

2. At today's hearing, the appellant is absent.

3. The respondent PIO represented by Sh. Amrinder Singh submits that he has brought the information to deliver it personally to the appellant. Copy of the same is taken on record.

4. In view of the above, the respondent PIO is directed to send a copy of the information to the appellant through registered post by tomorrow, i.e., 03.11.2026, and submit proof of dispatch to the Commission. The appellant is also advised to go through the information whenever he receives and revert back to the respondent PIO in case of any deficiency found in the information, within fifteen days, from the receipt of this order, under intimation to the Commission. On receipt of the rebuttal, the respondent is also directed to remove the deficiencies, if any, before the next date of hearing. Both the parties are also directed to remain present for delibertaions to take the matter to its logical end. It is also clarified that in case of defiance of this order, the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.

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Appeal Case No.4476 of 2024

5. With this, the case is **adjourned to 2nd February, 2027 at 12.00 Noon for hearing at Chandigarh.** Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-
(Pooja Gupta)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Dated: 02nd November, 2026

Ps:

After the conclusion of the hearing, the appellant appeared through Cisco Webex, and the proceedings recorded above were duly read out and explained to him. Accordingly, the case is adjourned to the next date of hearing.

Sd/-
(Pooja Gupta)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Dated: 02nd November, 2026

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Sh. Suresh kUmar, S/o Sh. Ram Dass,
Kala Chack, Sujanpur, Tehsil and District Pathankot,
(M.7508044706) RTi application No.119683

….Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o DPI (Colleges),
Punjab, Mohali.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o DPI (Colleges),
Punjab, Mohali.

…Respondents

Appeal Case No.4478 of 2024

PRESENT: None for the parties.

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 16.04.2024 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 19.05.2024 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 08.07.2024 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.02.11.2026.

2. At today's hearing, neither the appellant nor the respondent PIO is present. No intimation regarding their non-availability has been received by the Commission from either side. The absence of the respondent PIO is viewed seriously.

3. In the interest of justice, **last opportunity** is granted to both the parties to appear personally before the Commission on the next date of hearing and to state the facts and circumstances of the case. The respondent PIO shall also ensure compliance with the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005, if not already done. It is made clear that in case of failure to appear on the next date of hearing without sufficient cause, the Commission shall be constrained to proceed further in accordance with law.

4. With this, the case is **adjourned to 02nd February, 2027 at 12.00 Noon for hearing at Chandigarh.** Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd//-

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State Information Commissioner
Punjab

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Sh. Vinod Kumar, S/o Sh. Ranjit Kumar,
Chak Radhe Wala, Villag Modi Khera,
Tehsil Abohar, District Fazilka.
(M.9914932811) RTI application No.120268. **….Appellant**

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o District Education Officer (SE),
Fazilka.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o District Education Officer (SE),
Fazilka.

…Respondents

Appeal Case No. 4480 of 2024

PRESENT: None for the parties.

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 20.04.2024 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 20.05.2024 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 08.07.2024 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.02.11.2026.

2. At today's hearing, neither the appellant nor the respondent PIO is present. No intimation regarding their non-availability has been received by the Commission from either side. The absence of the respondent PIO is viewed seriously.

3. In the interest of justice, **last opportunity** is granted to both the parties to appear personally before the Commission on the next date of hearing and to state the facts and circumstances of the case. The respondent PIO shall also ensure compliance with the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005, if not already done. It is made clear that in case of failure to appear on the next date of hearing without sufficient cause, the Commission shall be constrained to proceed further in accordance with law.

4. With this, the case is **adjourned to 02nd February, 2027 at 12.00 Noon for hearing at Chandigarh.** Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

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State Information Commissioner
Punjab

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Sh. Rajinder Singh, (M.8872900577)
1027 HM Flats Housing Board Colony,
E-Block, Sector:03, Ranjit Avenue,
Amritsar.

….Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o DPI(SE), Punjab,
Mohali.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o DPI(SE), Punjab,
Mohali.

…Respondents

Appeal Case No. 4481 of 2024

Present: (i) Sh. Rajinder Singh, the appellant.
(ii) None on behalf of the respondent PIO.

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 19.03.2024 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 15.05.2024 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 08.07.2024 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.02.11.2026.

2. At today's hearing, the appellant states that after the lapse of two years, nothing has been furnished to him by the respondent PIO.

3. Neither the respondent PIO nor any of his representative is present for today's hearing, which shows their casual approach towards the Notice of the Commission.

4. Nevertheless, **one more opportunity** is granted to the respondent PIO to file a point-wise written reply/information along with the documentary evidence in an annotated form and a copy of the same be sent to the appellant within 15 days from the receipt of this order. The appellant is also advised to go through the information whenever he receives and revert back to the respondent PIO in case of any deficiency found in the information, within fifteen days, from the receipt of this order, under intimation to the Commission. On receipt of the rebuttal, the respondent is also directed to remove the deficiencies, if any, before the next date of hearing.

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Appeal Case No.4481 of 2024

5. Both the parties are also directed to remain present for delibertaions to take the matter to its logical end. Failure to attend the Hearing will compel the Commission to ensure their presence through service of a **Bailable Warrant**.

6. With this, the case is **adjourned to 23rd December, 2026 at 12.00 Noon for hearing at Chandigarh.** Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

(Pooja Gupta)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Dated: 02nd November, 2026

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Sh. Ramandeep Singh, S/o Sh. Harjinder
Village and Post Office Chhandran,
Tehsil and District Ludhiana. (M.9463886649)
RTI applicationNo.116632. **….Appellant**

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o Manager,
Punjab State Warehousing Corporation,
Punjab, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o General Manager,
Punjab State Warehousing Corporation,
Punjab, Chandigarh.

…Respondents

Appeal Case No. 4498 of 2024

Present: (i) Sh. Ramandeep Singh, the appellant.
(ii) None on behalf of the respondent PIO.

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 26.03.2024 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 23.05.2024 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 09.07.2024 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.02.11.2026.

2. At today's hearing, the appellant states that after the lapse of two years, nothing has been furnished to him by the respondent PIO.

3. Neither the respondent PIO nor any of his representative is present for today's hearing, which shows their casual approach towards the Notice of the Commission.

4. Nevertheless, **one more opportunity** is granted to the respondent PIO to file a point-wise written reply/information along with the documentary evidence in an annotated form and a copy of the same be sent to the appellant within 15 days from the receipt of this order. The appellant is also advised to go through the information whenever he receives and revert back to the respondent PIO in case of any deficiency found in the information, within fifteen days, from the receipt of this order, under intimation to the Commission. On receipt of the rebuttal, the respondent is also directed to remove the deficiencies, if any, before the next date of hearing.

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Appeal Case No.4498 of 2024

5. Both the parties are also directed to remain present for delibertaions to take the matter to its logical end. Failure to attend the Hearing will compel the Commission to ensure their presence through service of a **Bailable Warrant**.

6. With this, the case is **adjourned to 02nd February, 2027 at 12.00 Noon for hearing at Chandigarh.** Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

(Pooja Gupta)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Dated: 02nd November, 2026

Ps: *After the hearing, the respondent PIO, Ms. Taranjeet Kaur Bajwa, appeared before the Commission and submitted that, due to certain reasons, she could not appear before the Commission at the scheduled time. She further submitted that the requisite information, comprising 80 pages, had already been furnished to the appellant and that she had also brought a copy of the same to the Commission today. Accordingly, the respondent PIO is directed to send a complete set of the aforesaid information, comprising 80 pages, to the appellant through Registered Post and submit proof of dispatch before the Commission. The case is adjourned to the next date of hearing.*

Sd/-

(Pooja Gupta)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Dated: 02nd November, 2026

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Sh.Sukhvir Singh, S/o Sh. Chet Singh,
Baba Karam Singh Colony, Tehsil and District Jalandhar-II,
(M.7973014494) RTI applicationNo.111023.

….Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o Director Rural Development and Panchayat
Punjab Mohali.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Director Rural Development and Panchayat
Punjab Mohali.

…Respondents

Appeal Case No. 4500 of 2024

PRESENT: None for the parties.

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 17.02.2024 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 13.04.2024 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 09.07.2024 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.02.11.2026.

2. At today's hearing, neither the appellant nor the respondent PIO is present. No intimation regarding their non-availability has been received by the Commission from either side. The absence of the respondent PIO is viewed seriously.

3. In the interest of justice, **last opportunity** is granted to both the parties to appear personally before the Commission on the next date of hearing and to state the facts and circumstances of the case. The respondent PIO shall also ensure compliance with the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005, if not already done. It is made clear that in case of failure to appear on the next date of hearing without sufficient cause, the Commission shall be constrained to proceed further in accordance with law.

4. With this, the case is **adjourned to 02nd February, 2027 at 12.00 Noon for hearing at Chandigarh.** Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

(Pooja Gupta)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Dated: 02nd November, 2026

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Sh.Sartaj Singh, S/o Sh. Joginder Singh,
R/o Village Ghunghrali Rajputan, Tehsil Khanna,
District Ludhiana. (M.9417251959)

….Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o Director Rural Development and Panchayat,
Department, Punjab, Mohali.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Director Rural Development and Panchayat,
Department, Punjab, Mohali.

…Respondents

Appeal Case No. 4511 of 2024

PRESENT: None for the parties.

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 23.04.2024 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 31.05.2024 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 09.07.2024 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.02.11.2026.

2. At today's hearing, neither the appellant nor the respondent PIO is present. No intimation regarding their non-availability has been received by the Commission from either side. The absence of the respondent PIO is viewed seriously.

3. In the interest of justice, **last opportunity** is granted to both the parties to appear personally before the Commission on the next date of hearing and to state the facts and circumstances of the case. The respondent PIO shall also ensure compliance with the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005, if not already done. It is made clear that in case of failure to appear on the next date of hearing without sufficient cause, the Commission shall be constrained to proceed further in accordance with law.

4. With this, the case is **adjourned to 02nd February, 2027 at 12.00 Noon for hearing at Chandigarh.** Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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Sh. Harpreet Singh, S/o Sh. Kuldeep Singh,
Lodhi Majra, Tehsil and District Roopnagar.
(M.9463496229) RTI applicationNo.122838. **….Appellant**

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o AIGP NRI, Punjab,
Mohali.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o ADGP, NRI, Punjab,
Mohali. **…Respondents**

Appeal Case No. 4506 of 2024

Present: (i) The appellant is absent.
(ii) Sh. Lakhwinder Singh, Clerk on behalf of the respondent PIO.

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 07.05.2024 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 05.06.2024 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 09.07.2024 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.02.11.2026.

2. At today's hearing, the appellant is absent without intimation.

3. The respondent PIO, represented by Sh. Lakhwinder Singh, Clerk, requests that some additional time be given to provide the requisite information to the appellant.

4. In view of the above, the request of the respondent PIO is acceded to with the directions to provide a point-wise written reply/information along with the documentary evidence in an annotated form and a copy of the same be sent to the appellant within 15 days from the receipt of this order. The appellant is also advised to go through the information whenever he receives and revert back to the respondent PIO in case of any deficiency found in the information, within fifteen days, from the receipt of this order, under intimation to the Commission. On receipt of the rebuttal, the respondent is also directed to remove the deficiencies, if any, before the next date of hearing. Both the parties are also directed to remain present for delibertaions to take the matter to its logical end. It is also clarified that in case of defiance of this order, the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.

5. With this, the case is **adjourned to 02nd February, 2027 at 12.00 Noon for hearing at Chandigarh.** Copies of the order be sent to the parties. **Sd/**

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Punjab

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Sh.Bikramjeet Singh, (M.9988082801)
10494, Street No. 5/6, Bhagwan Chowk,
Janta Nagar, Ludhiana. **….Appellant**

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o Punjab Pollution Control Board,
Regional Office-II, e-648-B, Focal Point,
Phase-5, Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Punjab Pollution Control Board,
Regional Office-II, e-648-B, Focal Point,
Phase-5, Ludhiana.

…Respondents

Appeal Case No. 4508 of 2024

Present: None for the parties.

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 20.03.2024 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 08.05.2024 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 09.07.2024 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.02.11.2026.

2. At today's hearing, neither the appellant nor the respondent PIO is present.

3. In the interest of justice, **last opportunity** is granted to both the parties to appear personally before the Commission on the next date of hearing and to state the facts and circumstances of the case. The respondent PIO shall also ensure compliance with the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005, if not already done. It is made clear that in case of failure to appear on the next date of hearing without sufficient cause, the Commission shall be constrained to proceed further in accordance with law.

4. With this, the case is **adjourned to 02nd February, 2027 at 12.00 Noon for hearing at Chandigarh.** Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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Sh. Jarnail Singh, S/o Sh. Mohan Singh,
Village and Post Office Roshanpur Patti,
Jhungian Block Bhunheri, District Patiala.
(M.9417922806).

….Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o XEN, Panchayati Raj,
PWD, Patiala.

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

…Respondents

Appeal Case No. 4507 of 2024

PRESENT: (i) Sh. Jarnail Singh, the appellant.
(ii) Sh. Satinder Singh, Head Draftsman on behalf of the respondent PIO.

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 19.03.2024 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 30.05.024 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 09.07.2024 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.02.11.2026.

2. At today's hearing, the appellant submits that despite the lapse of more than two years, no reply/information has been received from the respondent PIO. Accordingly, he requests the Commission to issue directions to the respondent PIO to furnish the requisite information.

3. The respondent PIO, represented by Sh. Satinder Singh, Head Draftsman, submits that he has brought the requisite information to the hearing for personal delivery to the appellant. Accordingly, a copy of the information is handed over to the appellant during the course of the hearing.

4. Upon perusal of the information furnished, the appellant points out certain deficiencies therein. Accordingly, a copy of the deficiencies pointed out by the appellant shall be forwarded to the respondent PIO along with a copy of this order, with the directions to duly address and rectify the same and furnish the complete information to the appellant before the next date of hearing. Both the parties are also directed to remain present for delibertaions to take the matter to its logical end. It is also clarified that in case of defiance of this order, the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.

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Appeal Case No. 4507 of 2024

5. With this, the case is **adjourned to 02nd February, 2027 at 12.00 Noon for hearing at Chandigarh.** Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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Punjab

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Sh. Naveen Kumar, S/o Sh. Baldev Raj,
H.No.5 B-ST-2, Guru Amardass Avenue,
Ajnala Road, Tehsil and District Amritsar-1,
(M.9814650590) RTI application No.120476. **….Appellant**

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o Director Animal Husbandry
Punjab, Mohali.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Director Animal Husbandry
Punjab, Mohali.

…Respondents

Appeal Case No.4477 of 2024

Present: (i) The appellant is absent.
(ii) Ms. Sukhwinder Kaur, Superintendent on behalf of the respondent PIO.

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 21.04.2024 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 08.06.2024 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 08.07.2024 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.02.11.2026.

2. At today's hearing, the appellant is absent, without intimation.

3. The respondent PIO, represented by Ms. Sukhwinder Kaur, Superintendent, submits that the sought information has been furnished to the appellant on 30.10.2026 and has also brought another copy of the same to deliver it personally to the appellant. Copy of the same is taken on record.

4. Accordingly **one more opportunity** is granted to the appellant to go through the information whenever he receives and revert back to the respondent PIO in case of any deficiency found in the information, within fifteen days, from the receipt of this order, under intimation to the Commission. On receipt of the rebuttal, the respondent is also directed to remove the deficiencies, if any, before the next date of hearing. Both the parties are also directed to remain present for delibertaions to take the matter to its logical end. It is also clarified that in case of defiance of this order, the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.

5. With this, the case is **adjourned to 2nd February, 2027 at 12.00 Noon for hearing at Chandigarh.** Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

(Pooja Gupta)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Dated: 02nd November, 2026

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Sh. Ravinder Kumar Sabharwal,
S/o Late Sh. Mam Raj Singh,
101, Block E-Maya Garden, Phase-3,
VIP Road, Tehsil Dera Bassi, District Mohali
(M.9417402045) RTI application No.109592. **….Appellant**

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o Senior Superintendent of Police,
Mohali.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o ADGP, Roopnagar Range,
Roopnagar.

…Respondents

Appeal Case No. 4499 of 2024

Present: (i) Sh. Ravinder Kumar Sabharwal, the appellant.
(ii) None on behalf of the respondent PIO.

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 06.02.2024 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in her RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 31.03.2024 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 09.07.2024 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.02.11.2026.

2. At today's hearing, the appellant states that after the lapse of two years, nothing has been furnished to him by the respondent PIO.

3. Neither the respondent PIO nor any of his representative is present for today's hearing, which shows their casual approach towards the Notice of the Commission.

4. Nevertheless, **one more opportunity** is granted to the respondent PIO to file a point-wise written reply/information along with the documentary evidence in an annotated form and a copy of the same be sent to the appellant within 15 days from the receipt of this order. The appellant is also advised to go through the information whenever he receives and revert back to the respondent PIO in case of any deficiency found in the information, within fifteen days, from the receipt of this order, under intimation to the Commission. On receipt of the rebuttal, the respondent is also directed to remove the deficiencies, if any, before the next date of hearing.

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Appeal Case No.4499 of 2024

5. Both the parties are also directed to remain present for delibertaions to take the matter to its logical end. Failure to attend the Hearing will compel the Commission to ensure their presence through service of a **Bailable Warrant**.

6. With this, the case is **adjourned to 12th January, 2027 at 12.00 Noon for hearing at Chandigarh.** Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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Sh. Chander Partap, S/o Sh. Swami Ji,
Ward No.1, Kala Manj Kothi, G.T.Road,
Mukerian, District Hoshiarpur. (M.9417294254) **….Appellant**

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o Punjab State Scheduled Castes Commission,
Punjab, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Punjab State Scheduled Castes Commission,
Punjab, Chandigarh.

…Respondents

Appeal Case No.4463 of 2024

Present: (i) Sh. Chander Partap, the appellant (through cisco webex).
(ii) Ms. Jaswinder Kaur, Clerk along with Ms. Muskan Poonia, Clerk on behalf of the respondent PIO.

ORDER:

The RTI application is dated 20.03.2024 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 the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 08.07.2024 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.02.11.2026.

2. At today's hearing, the appellant submits that despite the lapse of more than two years, misleading and incomplete information has been furnished to him. He, therefore, requests the Commission to issue directions to the respondent PIO to furnish complete information strictly in accordance with his RTI application.

3. The respondent PIO, represented by Ms. Jaswinder Kaur, Clerk, along with Ms. Muskan Poonia, Clerk, submits that all the information available in the official records has already been furnished to the appellant and that nothing further remains to be provided.

4. The appellant was also advised that, in case he has any apprehension that the respondent PIO is withholding any information, he may visit the office of the respondent PIO to inspect the relevant records. However, the appellant declined to visit the office and reiterated his request for directions to the respondent PIO to furnish the complete information.

5. In view of the above, the respondent PIO is directed to file an affidavit on oath, duly attested by a Notary Public, affirming that complete information, as available in the official records and sought by the appellant in his RTI application, has already been furnished and that no further information remains

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pending for disclosure. The said affidavit shall be furnished within 15 days from the receipt of this order, under intimation to the Commission.

6. Both the parties are also directed to remain present for delibertaions to take the matter to its logical end. It is also clarified that in case of defiance of this order, the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.

7. With this, the case is **adjourned to 23rd December, 2026 at 12.00 Noon for hearing at Chandigarh.** Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

(Pooja Gupta)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Dated: 02nd November, 2026