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**Shri Amritpal Singh,**  
S/o Shri Avtar Singh,  
H No 263 A/13, Gali No 8,  
Hussainpura East, Amritsar(Punjab)

....Appellant

**VERSUS**

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

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

....Respondents

**APPEAL CASE NO. 6124 OF 2025**

**PRESENT:** Shri Amritpal Singh, Appellant, in person.  
None on behalf of the Respondents.

**ORDER:**

This order refers to the Bench's previous order dated 25.02.2026, through which the PIO was directed to appear in person along with original record relating to the appellant's RTI application, as per guidelines laid down in the RTI Act, 2005, before the fixed date.,

2. The appellant, Shri Amritpal Singh, who appeared in person in today's hearing, has intimated that no information has been supplied to him by the respondent PIO till date.

3. None came appeared from the respondent side in today's hearing. He has also not intimated the Commission about his non-availability for today's hearing. The Commission took a serious view of this casual approach of the respondent PIO.

4. Accordingly, the respondent **PIO Office of Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Amritsar**, is herewith ordered to **SHOW CAUSE** as to why a penalty should not be imposed upon him under Section 20 (1) of RTI Act, 2005, for causing willful delay/denial of the information. He/she should file a written reply in response to the show cause notice as to why the appellant should not be compensated for the mental harassment suffered by him for not getting the information. **If there is/are other PIO/PIOs responsible for the delay in providing the information, the incumbent PIO is directed to inform such PIO(s) of the Show Cause and direct them to appear before the Commission along with written replies.**

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**Appeal Case No. 6124 of 2025**

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“In addition to the written reply, the respondent PIO is also given an opportunity under Section 20 (1) provision there to, for a personal hearing before the imposition of such penalty on the next date of hearing. He may take note that in case he does not file his written reply and does not avail himself of the opportunity of personal hearing on the date fixed, it will be presumed that he has nothing to say and the Commission shall proceed to take further proceedings against him *ex parte*.”

5. **The respondent PIO is further directed to appear in person along with original record relating to the appellant's RTI application**, as per guidelines laid down in the RTI Act, 2005, on the next hearing date, failing which punitive action will be initiated against him as per the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

6. With this, the case is **adjourned to 9<sup>th</sup> September, 2026 at 11:00 A. M.** for hearing at Chandigarh. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

**3<sup>rd</sup> June, 2026**

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

....Respondents

**APPEAL CASE NO. 6125 OF 2025**

**PRESENT:** Shri Amritpal Singh, Appellant, in person.  
None on behalf of the Respondents.

**ORDER:**

This order refers to the Bench's previous order dated 25.02.2026, through which the PIO was directed to appear in person along with original record relating to the appellant's RTI application, as per guidelines laid down in the RTI Act, 2005, before the fixed date.,

2. The appellant, Shri Amritpal Singh, who appeared in person in today's hearing, has intimated that no information has been supplied to him by the respondent PIO till date.

3. None came appeared from the respondent side in today's hearing. He has also not intimated the Commission about his non-availability for today's hearing The Commission took a serious view of this casual approach of the respondent PIO.

4. Accordingly, the respondent **PIO Office of Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Amritsar**, is herewith ordered to **SHOW CAUSE** as to why a penalty should not be imposed upon him under Section 20 (1) of RTI Act, 2005, for causing willful delay/denial of the information. He/she should file a written reply in response to the show cause notice as to why the appellant should not be compensated for the mental harassment suffered by him for not getting the information. **If there is/are other PIO/PIOs responsible for the delay in providing the information, the incumbent PIO is directed to inform such PIO(s) of the Show Cause and direct them to appear before the Commission along with written replies.**

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**Appeal Case No. 6125 of 2025**

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“In addition to the written reply, the respondent PIO is also given an opportunity under Section 20 (1) provision there to, for a personal hearing before the imposition of such penalty on the next date of hearing. He may take note that in case he does not file his written reply and does not avail himself of the opportunity of personal hearing on the date fixed, it will be presumed that he has nothing to say and the Commission shall proceed to take further proceedings against him *ex parte*.”

5. **The respondent PIO is further directed to appear in person along with original record relating to the appellant's RTI application**, as per guidelines laid down in the RTI Act, 2005, on the next hearing date, failing which punitive action will be initiated against him as per the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

6. With this, the case is **adjourned to 9<sup>th</sup> September, 2026 at 11:00 A. M.** for hearing at Chandigarh. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

**3<sup>rd</sup> June, 2026**

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

....Respondents

**APPEAL CASE NO. 6126 OF 2025**

**PRESENT:** Shri Amritpal Singh, Appellant, in person.  
None on behalf of the Respondents.

**ORDER:**

This order refers to the Bench's previous order dated 25.02.2026, through which the PIO was directed to appear in person along with original record relating to the appellant's RTI application, as per guidelines laid down in the RTI Act, 2005, before the fixed date.,

2. The appellant, Shri Amritpal Singh, who appeared in person in today's hearing, has intimated that no information has been supplied to him by the respondent PIO till date.

3. None came appeared from the respondent side in today's hearing. He has also not intimated the Commission about his non-availability for today's hearing The Commission took a serious view of this casual approach of the respondent PIO.

4. Accordingly, the respondent **PIO Office of Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Amritsar**, is herewith ordered to **SHOW CAUSE** as to why a penalty should not be imposed upon him under Section 20 (1) of RTI Act, 2005, for causing willful delay/denial of the information. He/she should file a written reply in response to the show cause notice as to why the appellant should not be compensated for the mental harassment suffered by him for not getting the information. **If there is/are other PIO/PIOs responsible for the delay in providing the information, the incumbent PIO is directed to inform such PIO(s) of the Show Cause and direct them to appear before the Commission along with written replies.**

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**Appeal Case No. 6126 of 2025**

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“In addition to the written reply, the respondent PIO is also given an opportunity under Section 20 (1) provision there to, for a personal hearing before the imposition of such penalty on the next date of hearing. He may take note that in case he does not file his written reply and does not avail himself of the opportunity of personal hearing on the date fixed, it will be presumed that he has nothing to say and the Commission shall proceed to take further proceedings against him *ex parte*.”

5. **The respondent PIO is further directed to appear in person along with original record relating to the appellant's RTI application**, as per guidelines laid down in the RTI Act, 2005, on the next hearing date, failing which punitive action will be initiated against him as per the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

6. With this, the case is **adjourned to 9<sup>th</sup> September, 2026 at 11:00 A. M.** for hearing at Chandigarh. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

**3<sup>rd</sup> June, 2026**

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...Appellant

**VERSUS**

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**O/o** The Commissioner,  
Municipal Corporation,  
Amritsar(Punjab)

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

....Respondents

**APPEAL CASE NO. 6127 OF 2025**

**PRESENT:** Shri Amritpal Singh, Appellant, in person.  
None on behalf of the Respondents.

**ORDER:**

This order refers to the Bench's previous order dated 25.02.2026, through which the PIO was directed to appear in person along with original record relating to the appellant's RTI application, as per guidelines laid down in the RTI Act, 2005, before the fixed date.,

2. The appellant, Shri Amritpal Singh, who appeared in person in today's hearing, has intimated that no information has been supplied to him by the respondent PIO till date.

3. None came appeared from the respondent side in today's hearing. He has also not intimated the Commission about his non-availability for today's hearing The Commission took a serious view of this casual approach of the respondent PIO.

4. Accordingly, the respondent **PIO Office of Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Amritsar**, is herewith ordered to **SHOW CAUSE** as to why a penalty should not be imposed upon him under Section 20 (1) of RTI Act, 2005, for causing willful delay/denial of the information. He/she should file a written reply in response to the show cause notice as to why the appellant should not be compensated for the mental harassment suffered by him for not getting the information. **If there is/are other PIO/PIOs responsible for the delay in providing the information, the incumbent PIO is directed to inform such PIO(s) of the Show Cause and direct them to appear before the Commission along with written replies.**

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**Appeal Case No. 6127 of 2025**

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“In addition to the written reply, the respondent PIO is also given an opportunity under Section 20 (1) provision there to, for a personal hearing before the imposition of such penalty on the next date of hearing. He may take note that in case he does not file his written reply and does not avail himself of the opportunity of personal hearing on the date fixed, it will be presumed that he has nothing to say and the Commission shall proceed to take further proceedings against him *ex parte*.”

5. **The respondent PIO is further directed to appear in person along with original record relating to the appellant's RTI application**, as per guidelines laid down in the RTI Act, 2005, on the next hearing date, failing which punitive action will be initiated against him as per the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

6. With this, the case is **adjourned to 9<sup>th</sup> September, 2026 at 11:00 A. M.** for hearing at Chandigarh. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

**3<sup>rd</sup> June, 2026**

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**Shri Kuldeep Singh, (9815117328)**

S/o Late Shri Harbans Singh,  
R/o Hardowal Khurd, Tehsil Dera Baba Nanak,  
District Gurdaspur-143602 (Punjab)

....Appellant

**VERSUS**

**Public Information Officer,**

**O/o** The Block Development and  
Panchayat Officer,  
Block Dera Baba Nanak, District Gurdaspur(Punjab)

**First Appellate Authority,**

**O/o** The District Development and  
Panchayat Officer,  
Gurdaspur(Punjab)

....Respondents

**APPEAL CASE NO. 6178 OF 2025**

**PRESENT:** Shri Kuldeep Singh, the Appellant in person.  
None on behalf of the Respondent.

**ORDER:**

This order refers to the Bench's previous order dated 25.02.2026, through which the PIO was directed to appear in person along with original record relating to the appellant's RTI application.

2. The appellant, Shri Kuldeep Singh, who appeared in person in today's hearing, has intimated that no information has been supplied to him by the respondent PIO till date.

3. None came appeared from the respondent side in today's hearing. He has also not intimated the Commission about his non-availability for today's hearing

4. Nevertheless, **last and final opportunity** is given to the respondent PIO to supply the required information to the appellant / file a proper reply within three weeks from the receipt of tjhis order. An opportunity is given to the appellant to file the deficiencies, if any, in the information which would be supplied by the respondent PIO, well in time to enable the respondent to remove the same. On receipt of the rebuttal, the respondent is also directed to remove the deficiencies, if any, pointed out by the appellant, by the next date of hearing.

5. Both the parties are directed to remain present on the next date of hearing, failing which the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.

6. With this, the case is **adjourned to 10<sup>th</sup> September, 2026 at 11:00 A. M.** for hearing at Chandigarh. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

**3<sup>rd</sup> June, 2026**

**Sd/-**  
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**Shri Jagjeet Singh, (8847010242)**  
S/o Shri Angrej Singh,  
Lakho Ke Behram, Tehsil Guruharsahai,  
District Ferozpur-152023(Punjab)

**RTI Application No 199933**

....Appellant

**VERSUS**

**Public Information Officer,**  
**O/o** The District Programme Officer,  
Ferozpur(Punjab)

**First Appellate Authority,**  
**O/o** The Director,  
Social Security Women and  
Child Welfare Department, Punjab,  
SCO: 102-103, Behind Piccadilly Mall,  
Sector 34A, Chandigarh

....Respondents

**APPEAL CASE NO. 6222 OF 2025**

**PRESENT:** Shri Jagjeet Singh the Appellant, in person.  
None on behalf of the Respondent.

**ORDER:**

This order refers to the Bench's previous order dated 25.02.2026, through which the appellant was advised to point out deficiencies in writing to the PIO and the PIO was directed to remove the deficiencies, if any, received from the appellant.

2. The appellant, Shri Jagjeet Singh, who appeared in person in today's hearing, has intimated that incomplete information has been supplied to him by the respondent PIO.
3. None came appeared from the respondent side in today's hearing. He has also not intimated the Commission about his non-availability for today's hearing
4. Nevertheless, an opportunity is given to the appellant to file the deficiencies, as stated orally by him during the hearing, in writing, to the respondent PIO well in time to enable the respondent to remove the same. On receipt of the rebuttal, the respondent is directed to provide the remaining information after removing the deficiencies, which would be pointed out by the appellant, by the next date of hearing under intimation to the Commission.
5. Both the parties are directed to remain present on the next date of hearing, failing which the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.
6. With this, the case is **adjourned to 10<sup>th</sup> September, 2026 at 11:00 A. M.** for hearing at Chandigarh. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

**3<sup>rd</sup> June, 2026**

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**Shri Tarsbir Singh, (9878285824)**

S/o Shri Swaran Singh,  
Mal Chak, Tehsil Khadur Sahib,  
District Tarn Taran-143406

**RTI Application No. 205028**

.....Appellant

**VERSUS**

**Public Information Officer,**

**O/o** The Block Development  
and Panchayat Officer,  
Block Khadur Sahib,  
District Tarn Taran(Punjab)

**First Appellate Authority,**

**O/o** The Director,  
Rural Development and Panchayat, Punjab,  
Vikas Bhawan, Sarovar Path, Phase 8,  
Sector 62, S.A.S. Nagar(Mohali) (Punjab)

....Respondents

**APPEAL CASE NO. 6228 OF 2025**

**PRESENT:** None for the parties.

**ORDER:**

This order refers to the Bench's previous order dated 25.02.2026, through which a fresh notice was issued to all concerned parties, after making necessary corrections.

2. Neither the appellant, Shri Tarsbir Singh nor the respondent PIO is present in today's hearing. They have also not intimated the Commission about their non-availability for today's hearing.

3. Nevertheless, an opportunity is granted to the respondent PIO to supply the required information to the appellant / file a proper reply within three weeks from today. An opportunity is given to the appellant to file the deficiencies, if any, in the information which would be supplied by the respondent PIO, well in time to enable the respondent to remove the same. On receipt of the rebuttal, the respondent is also directed to remove the deficiencies, if any, pointed out by the appellant, by the next date of hearing.

4. Both the parties are directed to remain present on the next date of hearing, failing which the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.

5. With this, the case is **adjourned to 9<sup>th</sup> September, 2026 at 11:00 A. M.** for hearing at Chandigarh. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

**3<sup>rd</sup> June, 2026**

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**Shri Lal Chand, (9041474339)**

S/o Late Shri Rikhi Singh,  
R/o # 59, Royal Residency, Sector 127  
(Behind ACME Alivista Green Smart Homes),  
Chhaju Majra, S.A.S. Nagar (Mohali)(Punjab)-140307

....Appellant

**VERSUS**

**Public Information Officer,**

**O/o** The Labour Commissioner, Punjab,  
Labour Bhawan Model Welfare Centre,  
Phase 10, Sector 64, S.A.S. Nagar (Mohali)(Punjab)

**First Appellate Authority,**

**O/o** The Labour Commissioner, Punjab,  
Labour Bhawan Model Welfare Centre,  
Phase 10, Sector 64, S.A.S. Nagar (Mohali)(Punjab)

....Respondents

**APPEAL CASE NO. 6234 OF 2025**

**PRESENT:** Shri Lal Chand, the Appellant in person.  
None on behalf of the Respondent.

**ORDER:**

This order refers to the Bench's previous order dated 25.02.2026 through which directions were given to the appellant to visit the respondent's office on a mutual date and obtain the requisite information. The PIO was also directed to provide the complete information as per RTI application dated 19.06.2025, on the spot.

2. The appellant, Shri Lal Chand, who appeared in person in today's hearing, has intimated that after having telephonic communication with the respondent's office, he visited the office of the respondent in the month of March, 2026 and part information has been provided by the respondent.

3. None came appeared from the respondent side in today's hearing. He has also not intimated the Commission about his non-availability for today's hearing

4. Nevertheless, an opportunity is given to the appellant to file the deficiencies, as stated orally by him during the hearing, in writing, to the respondent PIO well in time to enable the respondent to remove the same. On receipt of the rebuttal, the respondent is directed to provide the remaining information after removing the deficiencies, which would be pointed out by the appellant, by the next date of hearing under intimation to the Commission.

5. Both the parties are directed to remain present on the next date of hearing, failing which the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.

6. With this, the case is **adjourned to 10<sup>th</sup> September, 2026 at 11:00 A. M.** for hearing at Chandigarh. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

**3<sup>rd</sup> June, 2026**

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**Shri Karantejvar Singh, (6284038041)**

S/o Shri Manjit Singh,  
R/o Village Ataari, Tehsil Banga,  
District Shaheed Bhagat Singh Nagar.

....Appellant

**VERSUS**

**Public Information Officer,**

**O/o** Block Development and Panchayat Officer,  
Block Banga, District Shaheed Bhagat Singh Nagar.

**First Appellate Authority,**

**O/o** District Development and Panchayat Officer,  
Shaheed Bhagat Singh Nagar.

....Respondents

**APPEAL CASE NO. 6265 OF 2025**

**PRESENT:** None on behalf of the Appellant.  
None on behalf of the Respondent.

**ORDER:**

This order refers to the Bench's previous order dated 25.02.2026 through which the PIO was directed to appear in person along with original record relating to the appellant's RTI application, as per guidelines laid down in the RTI Act, 2005, before the fixed date.

2. Neither the appellant, Shri Karantejvar Singh nor the respondent PIO is present in today's hearing. They have also not intimated the Commission about their non-availability for today's hearing.

3. Nevertheless, an opportunity is granted to the respondent PIO to supply the required information to the appellant / file a proper reply within three weeks from today. An opportunity is given to the appellant to file the deficiencies, if any, in the information which would be supplied by the respondent PIO, well in time to enable the respondent to remove the same. On receipt of the rebuttal, the respondent is also directed to remove the deficiencies, if any, pointed out by the appellant, by the next date of hearing.

4. Both the parties are directed to remain present on the next date of hearing, failing which the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.

5. With this, the case is **adjourned to 9<sup>th</sup> September, 2026 at 11:00 A. M.** for hearing at Chandigarh. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

**3<sup>rd</sup> June, 2026**

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**State Information Commissioner, Punjab**

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**Shri Karantejvar Singh, (6284038041)**

S/o Shri Manjit Singh,  
Village Atari, Tehsil Banga,  
District Shaheed Bhagat Singh Nagar.

....Appellant

**VERSUS**

**Public Information Officer,**

**O/o** Block Development and Panchayat Officer,  
Block Banga, District Shaheed Bhagat Singh Nagar.

**First Appellate Authority,**

**O/o** District Development and Panchayat Officer,  
Shaheed Bhagat Singh Nagar.

....Respondents

**APPEAL CASE NO. 6266 OF 2025**

**PRESENT:** None on behalf of the Appellant.  
None on behalf of the Respondent.

**ORDER:**

This order refers to the Bench's previous order dated 25.02.2026 through which the PIO was directed to appear in person along with original record relating to the appellant's RTI application, as per guidelines laid down in the RTI Act, 2005, before the fixed date.

2. Neither the appellant, Shri Karantejvar Singh nor the respondent PIO is present in today's hearing. They have also not intimated the Commission about their non-availability for today's hearing.

3. Nevertheless, an opportunity is granted to the respondent PIO to supply the required information to the appellant / file a proper reply within three weeks from today. An opportunity is given to the appellant to file the deficiencies, if any, in the information which would be supplied by the respondent PIO, well in time to enable the respondent to remove the same. On receipt of the rebuttal, the respondent is also directed to remove the deficiencies, if any, pointed out by the appellant, by the next date of hearing.

4. Both the parties are directed to remain present on the next date of hearing, failing which the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.

5. With this, the case is **adjourned to 9<sup>th</sup> September, 2026 at 11:00 A. M.** for hearing at Chandigarh. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

**3<sup>rd</sup> June, 2026**

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**Shri Gurinder Pal Singh, (8360055001)**

S/o Late Shri Jaswant,  
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Tehsil Amritsar-I-143115(Punjab)

**RTI Application No 201058**

.....Appellant

**VERSUS**

**Public Information Officer,**

**O/o** The Executive Officer,  
Improvement Trust, Batala,  
District Gurdaspur(Punjab)

**First Appellate Authority,**

**O/o** The Additional Deputy Commissioner,  
(Urban Development), Gurdaspur (Punjab)

.....Respondents

**APPEAL CASE NO. 6299 OF 2025**

**PRESENT:** None on behalf of the Appellant.  
None on behalf of the Respondent.

**ORDER:**

This order refers to the Bench's previous order dated 25.02.2026, through which the appellant was advised to point out deficiencies in writing to the PIO and the PIO was directed to remove the deficiencies, if any, received from the appellant.

2. The appellant, Shri Gurinder Pal Singh is not present in today's hearing, but through an e-mail dated 27.05.2026 has intimated that he is not able to attend today's hearing and also submitted his grievances through the mail.

3. None came appeared from the respondent side in today's hearing but has sent a reply vide letter no. 740 dated 19.05.2026 and intimated that a letter dated 19.05.2026 has been issued to the appellant to submit deficiencies, if any.

4. Nevertheless, another opportunity is given to the appellant to file the deficiencies, if any, in writing, to the respondent PIO within three weeks from the receipt of this order to enable the respondent to remove the same and the and the PIO is directed to remove the deficiencies, if any, received from the appellant, before the next date of hearing under intimation to the Commission.

5. The parties concerned are directed to remain present on the next date of hearing, failing which the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.

6. With this, the case is **adjourned to 10<sup>th</sup> September, 2026 at 11:00 A. M.** for hearing at Chandigarh. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

**3<sup>rd</sup> June, 2026**

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D/o Shri Gurdas Ram,  
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**RTI Application No 215487**

....Appellant

**VERSUS**

**Public Information Officer,**

**Encl:RTI Request**

**O/o The Executive Officer,  
Improvement Trust, Ludhiana(Punjab)**

**First Appellate Authority,**

**O/o The Additional Deputy Commissioner,  
(Urban Development), Ludhiana(Punjab)**

....Respondents

**APPEAL CASE NO.6302 OF 2025**

**PRESENT:** Sh. Sham Lal, on behalf of the appellant attended the hearing through CISCO Webex.  
None on behalf of the respondents.

**ORDER:**

This order refers to the Bench's previous order dated 25.02.2026 through which fresh notice to all concerned parties, after making necessary corrections.

2. Sh. Sham Lal, on behalf of the appellant, Ms. Usha Arora, attended the hearing through CISCO Webex and intimated that no information has been supplied to the appellant by the PIO.
3. None came appeared from the respondent side in today's hearing .
4. After perusal of the case-file, it appears that the contents of the information sought through RTI request relates to office of Improvement Trust, Ludhiana and the Order dated 25.02.2026 has been sent to PIO office of Improvement Trust, Barnala.
5. Accordingly, this order be sent alongwith RTI request to PIO office of Improvement Trust, Ludhiana and also to First Appellate Authority office of Additional Deputy Commissioner, (Urban Development), Ludhiana, after making necessary corrections with an opportunity to the respondent PIO to supply the required information to the appellant / file a proper reply within three weeks from the receipt of the order. An opportunity is given to the appellant to file the deficiencies, if any, in the information which would be supplied by the respondent PIO, well in time to enable the respondent to remove the same. On receipt of the rebuttal, the respondent is also directed to remove the deficiencies, if any, pointed out by the appellant, by the next date of hearing.
6. Both the parties are directed to remain present on the next date of hearing, failing which the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.
7. With this, the case is **adjourned to 10<sup>th</sup> September, 2026 at 11:00 A. M.** for hearing at Chandigarh. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

**3<sup>rd</sup> June, 2026**

**Encl:RTI Request**

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**Shri Gurpreet Singh,( 9417634356)**  
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....Appellant

**VERSUS**

**Public Information Officer,**  
**O/o** The Deputy Chief Executive Officer,  
Zila Parishad,  
Gurdaspur(Punjab)

**First Appellate Authority,**  
**O/o** The Additional Deputy Commissioner,  
(Development),  
Gurdaspur(Punjab)

....Respondents

**APPEAL CASE NO.6304 OF 2025**

**PRESENT:** Shri Gurpreet Singh attended the hearing through Webex.  
Shri Balwinder Kumar, P. A. attended the hearing through Webex.

**ORDER:**

This order refers to the Bench's previous order dated 25.02.2026, through which the appellant was advised to point out deficiencies in writing to the PIO and the PIO was directed to remove the deficiencies, if any, received from the appellant.

2. The appellant, Shri Gurpreet Singh, attended the hearing through Webex and has intimated that no information has been supplied to him by the respondent PIO till date.

3. The respondent office of Deputy Chief Executive Officer, Zila Parishad, Gurdaspur has sent an e-mail dated 02.06.2026 and requested to hear the case through Webex.

4. The request has been granted. Shri Balwinder Kumar, P. A., attended the hearing through Webex and mad his submissions.

5. After hearing both the parties, directions are hereby given to the appellant to visit the office of Deputy Chief Executive Officer, Zila Parishad, Gurdaspur from 15.06.2026 to 19.06.2026 during working hours to get the required information. The respondent PIO is directed to facilitate the appellant during his visit to the office and supply the information (relating to the initial RTI request filed by the appellant) to the appellant under intimation to the Commission.

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6. Further, an opportunity is given 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 the information. On receipt of the rebuttal, the respondent is also directed to remove the deficiencies, if any, pointed out by the appellant, before the next date of hearing.

7. The parties concerned are directed to remain present on the next date of hearing, failing which the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.

8. With this, the case is **adjourned to 10<sup>th</sup> September, 2026 at 11:00 A. M.** for hearing at Chandigarh. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

**3<sup>rd</sup> June, 2026**

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Sri Muktsar Sahib(Punjab)

...Appellant

**VERSUS**

**Public Information Officer,**

**O/o** The Assistant Labour Commissioner,  
Sri Muktsar Sahib (Punjab)

**First Appellate Authority,**

**O/o** The Labour Commissioner, Punjab,  
Labour Bhawan Model Welfare Centre,  
Phase 10, Sector 64, S.A.S. Nagar (Mohali) (Punjab)

....Respondents

**APPEAL CASE NO.6346 OF 2025**

**PRESENT:** None on behalf of the Appellant.  
None on behalf of the Respondents.

**ORDER:**

This order refers to the Bench's previous order dated 25.02.2026 through which directions were given to the appellant to visit the respondent's office on a mutual date and obtain the requisite information. The PIO was also directed to provide the complete information as per RTI application dated 22.04.2025, on the spot.

2. The appellant, Ms. Kamalpreet Kaur Dhaliwal is not present in today's hearing.
3. None came appeared from the respondent side in today's hearing but through an e-mail dated 03.06.2026, Labour Inspector, SriMuktsar Sahib has intimated that he is unable to attend today's hearing. He has also sent another reply vide letter no. 167 dated 28.04.2026 received in the Commission vide Diary No. 9154 dated 07.05.2026 through which, it has been intimated that the required along with enclosure has already been sent to the appellant vide letter no. 109 dated 27.04.2026.
5. Accordingly, an opportunity is given to the appellant to file the deficiencies, if any, to the respondent PIO within three weeks from the receipt of this order to enable the respondent to remove the same before the next date of hearing. On receipt of the rebuttal, the respondent is also directed to remove the deficiencies, if any, pointed out by the appellant, by the next date of hearing.
6. The parties concerned are directed to remain present on the next date of hearing, failing which the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.
7. With this, the case is **adjourned to 10<sup>th</sup> September, 2026 at 11:00 A. M.** for hearing at Chandigarh. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

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**Shri Surjeet Singh, (9417649339)**

S/o Shri Bhagat Ram,  
Village Moosapur, PO Nurpur Bedi,  
District Roopnagar(Punjab)

.....Appellant

**VERSUS**

**Public Information Officer,**

**O/o** The Block Development  
and Panchayat Officer,  
Block Nurpur Bedi, District Roopnagar(Punjab)

**First Appellate Authority,**

**O/o** The Block Development  
and Panchayat Officer,  
Block Nurpur Bedi, District Roopnagar(Punjab)

....Respondents

**APPEAL CASE NO.6352 OF 2025**

**PRESENT:** Shri Surjeet Singh, the Appellant, in person.  
None on behalf of the Respondents.

**ORDER:**

This order refers to the Bench's previous order dated 25.02.2026 through which the PIO was directed to appear in person along with original record relating to the appellant's RTI application.

2. The appellant, Shri Surjeet Singh who appeared in person in today's hearing, has intimated that no information has been supplied to him by the respondent PIO till date.
3. None came appeared from the respondent side in today's hearing. He has also not intimated the Commission about his non-availability for today's hearing. The Commission took a serious view of this casual approach of the respondent PIO.
4. Accordingly, the respondent **PIO Office of Block Development and Panchayat Officer, Block Nurpur Bedi**, is herewith ordered to **SHOW CAUSE** as to why a penalty should not be imposed upon him under Section 20 (1) of RTI Act, 2005, for causing willful delay/denial of the information. He/she should file a written reply in response to the show cause notice as to why the appellant should not be compensated for the mental harassment suffered by him for not getting the information. **If there is/are other PIO/PIOs responsible for the delay in providing the information, the incumbent PIO is directed to inform such PIO(s) of the Show Cause and direct them to appear before the Commission along with written replies.**

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“In addition to the written reply, the respondent PIO is also given an opportunity under Section 20 (1) provision there to, for a personal hearing before the imposition of such penalty on the next date of hearing. He may take note that in case he does not file his written reply and does not avail himself of the opportunity of personal hearing on the date fixed, it will be presumed that he has nothing to say and the Commission shall proceed to take further proceedings against him *ex parte*.”

5. The respondent PIO is further directed to attend the next Hearing of this Appeal Case in person at the Commission in Chandigarh, along with a written, point wise reply to the RTI application and duly attested copies of all the information requested.

6. With this, the case is **adjourned to 10<sup>th</sup> September, 2026 at 11:00 A. M.** for hearing at Chandigarh. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

**3<sup>rd</sup> June, 2026**

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