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FINAL ORDER

Shri Avtar Singh (98158-50622),
S/o Late Shri Daljit Singh,
VPO Chuharwali,
Distt Jalandhar – 144102

....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Astt. Commissioner Excise,
Jalandhar - 2

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Divisional Commissioner Excise,
Jalandhar Zone, Jalandhar.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 8017 OF 2023

PRESENT: Appellant: Absent
Respondent: Absent

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference to the previous order dated **16.06.2026**.

2. The respondent is absent. The appellant is consecutively absent without intimation for the second successive hearing of this appeal case. It is also a fact that copy of previous order was sent to him through registered post but even though he is absent, which seems his absence is intentional and willful. The appellant has not submitted any written submission and nor has he opted to be present at today's hearing. The prima facie appears that the appellant does not intend to pursue the case and he has nothing to say in this regard.

3. Keeping in view the prevailing circumstances, the Commission is of the view that, no further cause of action is required to be taken. As such, the present case is **disposed of and closed** for non-prosecution by the appellant. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Date: 07.10.2026

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FINAL ORDER

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VPO Chuharwali,

Distt Jalandhar – 144102

....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o Astt. Commissioner Excise,

Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o Divisional Commissioner Excise,

Jalandhar Zone, Jalandhar.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 8018 OF 2023

PRESENT: Appellant: Absent
Respondent: Absent

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference to the previous order dated **16.06.2026**.

2. The respondent is absent. However, vide an email dated 17.09.2026, the respondent has intimated that the appellant who sought the information is deceased.

3. The appellant is consecutively absent without intimation for the second successive hearing of this appeal case. It is also a fact that copy of previous order was sent to him through registered post but even though he is absent, which seems his absence is intentional and willful. The appellant has not submitted any written submission and nor has he opted to be present at today's hearing. The prima facie appears that the appellant does not intend to pursue the case and he has nothing to say in this regard.

4. In light of the appellant's demise and the manifest lack of interest in pursuing the matter. The appeal is accordingly, **disposed of and closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Date: 07.10.2026

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FINAL ORDER

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S/o Late Shri Daljit Singh,
VPO Chuharwali,
Distt Jalandhar – 144102

....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Excise Officer,
Amritsar - 1

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Astt. Commissioner Excise,
Amritsar - 1

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 8024 OF 2023

PRESENT: Appellant: Absent
Respondent: Absent

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference to the previous order dated **16.06.2026**.

2. The respondent is absent. However, vide letter dated 15.06.2026, the respondent has intimated that the appellant who sought the information is deceased.
3. The appellant is consecutively absent without intimation for the second successive hearing of this appeal case. It is also a fact that copy of previous order was sent to him through registered post but even though he is absent, which seems his absence is intentional and willful. The appellant has not submitted any written submission and nor has he opted to be present at today's hearing. The prima facie appears that the appellant does not intend to pursue the case and he has nothing to say in this regard.
4. In light of the appellant's demise and the manifest lack of interest in pursuing the matter. The appeal is accordingly, **disposed of and closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Date: 07.10.2026

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FINAL ORDER

Shri Harinder Kumar (98886-27135),
S/o Shri Sripal,
R/o # 3485, Street No. 14,
Near Nav Gian School, Gopal Nagar,
Haibowal Kalan, Ludhiana.
RTI Application No. 94804

....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Deputy Commissioner,
Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Deputy Commissioner,
Ludhiana.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 8028 OF 2023

PRESENT: Appellant: Shri Harinder Kumar (98886-27135)
Respondent: Shri Jarnail Singh, SA (98763-65347)

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference to the previous order dated **16.06.2026**.

2. The appellant, Shri Harinder Kumar, states that no information has been given to him so far.
3. The respondent PIO, represented by Shri Jarnail Singh, Senior Assistant, from the office of, GADVASU, Ludhiana, states that the RTI application was forwarded to his department by the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana. He further states that he brought a reply at today's hearing to be provided to the appellant. A copy of the said reply was duly handed over to the appellant during the course of hearing. Furthermore, the respondent states that the information sought by the appellant does not pertain to his office and requests that the appellant may approach the concerned Public Authority directly.
4. After having detailed deliberations with both the parties and upon a thorough review of the facts of the case, the appellant is advised to file a fresh RTI application with the concerned Public Information Officer (PIO), to seek the requisite information.
5. Keeping in view of the above, the Commission is of the view that no further cause of action is left in this case. Accordingly, the case stands **disposed of and closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Date: 07.10.2026

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FINAL ORDER

Shri Harvinder Singh, Advocate,
7009, District Court,
Ludhiana.

....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o BDPO, Block - II, Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o DDPO, Ludhiana.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 8023 OF 2023

PRESENT: Appellant: Shri Harvinder Singh, Advocate via mobile (94172-85539)
Respondent: Shri Rajwinder Singh, PIO-cum-DBPO (98883-94767) and
Shri Gagan, Panchayat Secretary (97797-50953)

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference to the previous order dated **16.06.2026**.

2. The appellant, Shri Harvinder Singh, attended the hearing via mobile phone. He states that no information has been given to him so far.

3. The respondent states that he has brought the reply today to be provided to the appellant and the same was submitted to the Commission. A relevant portion of the same is reproduced below:

1. ਧੋਰਾ ਨੰ.1,2,3 ਅਤੇ 4 ਸਬੰਧੀ ਆਪ ਵਲੋਂ ਜੋ ਰਿਕਾਰਡ ਮੰਗਿਆ ਗਿਆ ਹੈ, ਉਹ ਅਦਾਲਤੀ ਰਿਕਾਰਡ ਹੈ, ਜਿਸ ਸਬੰਧੀ ਮਾਨਯੋਗ ਅਦਾਲਤ ਪਾਸੋਂ ਹੀ ਪ੍ਰਾਪਤ ਕੀਤੀ ਜਾ ਸਕਦੀ ਹੈ। ਇਸ ਤੋਂ ਇਲਾਵਾ ਧੋਰਾ ਨੰ.1 ਤੋਂ 4 ਦਾ ਜਵਾਬ ਹੇਠ ਲਿਖੇ ਅਨੁਸਾਰ ਹੈ।

Only Such information is required to be supplied under the act, which already exists and is held by the public authority or held under the control of public authority.

The PIO is not supposed to create information or to interpret information or to solve the problem raised by the applicants or to furnish replies to hypothetical questions.

4. The appellant may take note that if the information is not available in the particular form as requested it does not have to be created, and information under Section 2(f) includes information in any form available with the public authority and accessible. Hence, the contention of the respondent is upheld. A copy of reply submitted by the respondent sent to the appellant along with this order.

5. Keeping in view of the above, the Commission is of the view that no further action is required to be taken in this case. Therefore, this case is **disposed of and closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

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Encl: Reply sent to the appellant.

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FINAL ORDER

Shri Pritpal Singh (98721-00431),
R/o Chahal Street,
Near Bus Stand, Mansa - 151505

....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Forest Range Officer,
Budhlada, Distt Mansa.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Divisional Forest Officer,
Mansa.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 7943 OF 2023

PRESENT: Appellant: Absent
Respondent: Absent

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference to the previous order dated **16.06.2026**.

2. The respondent is absent. The appellant is consecutively absent without intimation for the second successive hearing of this appeal case. It is also a fact that copy of previous order was sent to him through registered post but even though he is absent, which seems his absence is intentional and willful. The appellant has not submitted any written submission and nor has he opted to be present at today's hearing. The prima facie appears that the appellant does not intend to pursue the case and he has nothing to say in this regard.

3. Keeping in view the prevailing circumstances, the Commission is of the view that, no further cause of action is required to be taken. As such, the present case is **disposed of and closed** for non-prosecution by the appellant. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Date: 07.10.2026

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FINAL ORDER

Shri Pritpal Singh (98721-00431),
R/o Chahal Street,
Near Bus Stand, Mansa - 151505

....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Regional Transport Authority,
Bathinda.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o State Transport Commissioner,
Punjab, Chandigarh.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 7951 OF 2023

PRESENT: Appellant: Absent
Respondent: Shri Rajiv Kumar, JA (79860-74289)

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference to the previous order dated **16.06.2026**.

2. The respondent PIO, represented by Shri Rajiv Kumar, JA, states that the requested information has already been sent to the appellant through registered post and no deficiency has been pointed out by the appellant till date.
3. The appellant is consecutively absent without intimation for the second successive hearing of this appeal case. It is also a fact that copy of previous order was sent to him through registered post but even though he is absent, which seems his absence is intentional and willful. The appellant has not submitted any written submission and nor has he opted to be present at today's hearing. The prima facie appears that the appellant does not intend to pursue the case and he has nothing to say in this regard.
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. Therefore, this case is **disposed of and closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Date: 07.10.2026

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FINAL ORDER

Shri Pritpal Singh (98721-00431),
R/o Chahal Street,
Near Bus Stand, Mansa - 151505

....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,
Sector – 17, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Principal Secretary,
Transport Department, Punjab,
Sector 9, Chandigarh.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 7952 OF 2023

PRESENT: Appellant: Absent
Respondent: Shri Sunil, Clerk (82838-49198)

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference to the previous order dated **16.06.2026**.

2. The respondent PIO, represented by Shri Sunil, Clerk, states that the requested information has already been supplied to the appellant and no deficiency has been pointed out by the appellant till date.
3. The appellant is consecutively absent without intimation for the second successive hearing of this appeal case. It is also a fact that copy of previous order was sent to him through registered post but even though he is absent, which seems his absence is intentional and willful. The appellant has not submitted any written submission and nor has he opted to be present at today's hearing. The prima facie appears that the appellant does not intend to pursue the case and he has nothing to say in this regard.
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. Therefore, this case is **disposed of and closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Date: 07.10.2026

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FINAL ORDER

Shri Pritpal Singh (98721-00431),
R/o Chahal Street,
Near Bus Stand, Mansa - 151505

....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o District Controller Food Civil Supplies
and Consumer Affairs,
Mansa.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Director,
Food Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs,
Punjab, Sector 39, Chandigarh.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 8026 OF 2023

PRESENT: Appellant: Absent
Respondent: Absent

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference to the previous order dated **16.06.2026**.

2. The respondent is absent. The appellant is consecutively absent without intimation for the second successive hearing of this appeal case. It is also a fact that copy of previous order was sent to him through registered post but even though he is absent, which seems his absence is intentional and willful. The appellant has not submitted any written submission and nor has he opted to be present at today's hearing. The prima facie appears that the appellant does not intend to pursue the case and he has nothing to say in this regard.

3. Keeping in view the prevailing circumstances, the Commission is of the view that, no further cause of action is required to be taken. As such, the present case is **disposed of and closed** for non-prosecution by the appellant. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Date: 07.10.2026

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FINAL ORDER

Shri Karanvir Shenty Thamman (98723-05234),
R/o Ward No. 7, Mohalla Imli Wala,
Banur, Distt S.A.S Nagar.
RTI Application No. 83548

....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Principal Chief Conservator of Forest,
Punjab, Mohali.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Principal Chief Conservator of Forest,
Punjab, Mohali.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 7877 OF 2023 Through Cisco Webex

PRESENT: Appellant: Shri Karanvir Shenty Thamman (98723-05234)
Respondent: Shri Gurwinder Singh, Deputy DFO (88722-71900)

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference to the previous order dated **16.06.2026**.

2. The respondent states that the requested information has already been furnished to the appellant.
3. The appellant states that he has received the complete information and requested to close the case.
4. As the appellant has given his consent to close the case, hence, no further action is required to be taken in this case. Hence, the case is **disposed of and closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Date: 07.10.2026

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