



Sh Parmajeet Singh, City Live Group Fight
Against Handicapped System, Punjab,
S/o Sh Jagpreet Singh, #1206, 32,
Nai Abadi, Khanna, Distt Ludhiana-141401

.....Appellant

.Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Chairman, SSSB, Pb
Forest Complex, Sector-68
SAS Nagar

First Appellate Authority

O/o Chairman, SSSB, Pb
Forest Complex, Sector-68 SAS Nagar

.....Respondent

AC No 436 of 2024

Present :- None for the parties.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 26.11.2025 vide which neither the appellant nor the respondent was present and one last and final opportunity was given to them.

2. Today again both the parties are absent without intimation. It is also a fact that a notice of hearing and the last order was sent to them through registered post but even though they are absent and no submissions have been received from the appellant, which appears that he has nothing to say in this regard in this case and/or he does not intend to pursue the case.

3. In the aforementioned circumstances, the Commission is of the considered view that no useful purpose would be served by prolonging this matter any further. Hence the above said appeal case filed by the appellant is **disposed of and closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

(Dr. Bhupinder S Batth)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Date :14.01.2026



Sh Gurjot Singh, (M-8383996495)
S/o Kuldeep Singh,
Village Qilla Nathu Singh,
Tehsil- Kalanaur,
Distt Gurdaspur
(RTI application no. 93566)

..... Appellant

.Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/oAIGP, Admn. Technical services, Pb
Sector-9, PP Hqrs, Chandigarh

..... Respondent

AC No 454 of 2024

Present :- (i) None for the appellant
(ii) For the respondent: Sh.Parmod Kumar Nagrath, SI (9592902013), Sh. Manpreet Singh, Constable (8054860518)

ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated 09.10.2023 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 01.01.2024 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).
2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 14.01.2026 in the Commission.
3. The appellant is absent today. He has not informed the Commission about his absence for today's hearing.
4. Respondent states that the information demanded by the appellant is in question form. He further states that the reply has already been sent to the Commission.
5. After hearing the respondent and going through the case file, it is observed that the appellant demanded following information:-

I Gurjot Singh fill up the form of Constable TSS cadre- Community & Victim Support under ESM (BC) Self vide Registration Number 20045050 and application Number 90007614. I have obtained total 54.50 marks. I have cleared my PMT, Physical



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screening test and documents scrutiny held on 03 Dec 2022. On 05 Oct 2023 the result of the same was declared in which I was not come in the merit list. The ESM (gen.) Self obtaining 21 marks in same domain was came in merit list and being a ESM BC self and obtained 54.50 marks was not come in merit list. In view of the above, it is requested to inform me reason for non selection in the subject cadre.

6. Further the respondent has sent his reply that the information demanded by the appellant is in question form. ***This objection of the respondent is upheld.*** The appellant may note that it is settled legal position that information that can be provided under the RTI Act is that which is already on record of the Public Authority. The PIO cannot be asked to create any record for answering the RTI questions. As per the Supreme Court decision in ***Khanapuram Gandaiah vs Administrative Officer & Ors on 4 January, 2010*** in SPECIAL LEAVE PETITION (CIVIL) NO.34868 OF 2009 the definition of information as given under Section 2(f) of the RTI Act 2005, shows that an applicant under Section 6 of the RTI Act can get any information which is already in existence and accessible to the public authority under law. Of course, under the RTI Act an applicant is entitled to get copy of the opinions, advices, circulars, orders, etc., but he cannot ask for any information as to why such opinions, advices, circulars, orders, etc. have been passed. Hence, the information sought by him cannot be supplied. The appeal is, therefore ***dismissed***. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

(Dr. Bhupinder S Batth)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Date :14.01.2026



Sh Kamalpreet Singh,
S/o Sh Gurbir Singh,
#134, Basant City, Ludhiana-142022
(M-7719791331)
(RTI application no. 94227)

..... Appellant

.Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Director, Health & Family Welfare, Pb
Parivar kalyan Bhawan,
Sector-34, Chandigarh

First Appellate Authority

O/o Director, Health & Family Welfare, Pb
Parivar Kalyan Bhawan,
Sector-34, Chandigarh

..... Respondent

AC No 461 of 2024

Present :- None for the parties

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 12.10.2023 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 01.01.2024 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 14.01.2026 in the Commission.
3. Today neither the appellant nor the respondent is present. An email has been received from the appellant dated 14.01.2025 stating that he has received the information and is satisfied.
4. Since the appellant has received the information, no further cause of action is left, hence the above said appeal case filed by the appellant is **disposed of and closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

(Dr. Bhupinder S Batth)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Date :14.01.2026



Sh Kamalpreet Singh,
S/o Sh Gurbir Singh,
#134, Basant City, Ludhiana-142022
(M-7719791331)
(RTI application no. 96465)

..... Appellant

.Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Civil Surgeon, Jalandhar

First Appellate Authority

O/o Director, Health & Family Welfare, Pb
Parivar kalyan Bhawan,
Sector-34, Chandigarh

..... Respondent

AC No 462 of 2024

Present :- None for the parties.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 27.10.2023 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 01.01.2024 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 14.01.2026 in the Commission.
3. Today neither the appellant nor the respondent is present. An email has been received from the appellant dated 14.01.2025 stating that he has received the information and is satisfied.
4. Since the appellant has received the information, no further cause of action is left, hence the above said appeal case filed by the appellant is **disposed of and closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

(Dr. Bhupinder S Batth)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Date :14.01.2026



Sh Ashib Khan, (M-9988031943)
S/o Sh Ranjit Singh,
H.No. B01101021,
Bago Majra Colony,
Tehsil-Kharar, Distt SAS Nagar-140301

(RTI application no. 96028) Appellant

.Vs

Public Information Officer,
0/oSSP, SAS Nagar

First Appellate Authority
0/oADGP, Roopnagar Range,
Roopnagar Respondent

AC No 501 of 2024

Present :- (i) None is present on behalf of the appellant
(ii) For the respondent: Sh. Maninder Singh, Hc (9837741687)

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 23.10.2023 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 02.01.2024 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 14.01.2026 in the Commission.
3. The appellant is absent today.
4. Respondent states that the information cannot be provided to the appellant under Section 8(1)(h) of the RTI Act, as an enquiry is pending.
5. After hearing the respondent and going through the case file , it is observed that the appellant is absent today. The perusal of the case file shows that notice of hearing sent to the appellant was received back from the postal authorities. It is ascertained that the appellant filed RTI with the department on 23.10.2023, further the respondent has sent his reply on 21.11.2023 within the stipulated time frame as per the provisions of the Act that



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the information demanded by the appellant cannot be provided under Section 8(1)(h) of the RTI Act 2005. ***This objection of the respondent is upheld.***

6. In view of the foregoing, no further cause of action is left, hence the above said appeal case filed by the appellant is **disposed of and closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

(Dr. Bhupinder S Batth)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Date :14.01.2026



Ms Jotinder Mander (Dr.) (M-98551-32012)
635, Phase 3A, Sec-53
Mohali

..... Appellant

.Vs

Public Information Officer,
0/o AIGP, Complaint Branch and Commissioners, BOI
Sector-9, PP Hqrs, Chandigarh

First Appellate Authority
0/o DIGP, Admn.(BOI) Punjab
Sector-9, PP Hqrs, Chandigarh

..... Respondent

AC No 591 of 2024

Present :- (i) Dr. Jotinder Mander, the appellant alongwith Dr. P.S. Padda, Sh. Jansherr Padda
(ii) For the respondent: Sh. Amrit Singh, Sr. Assistant (9877589262), 0/o BOI and Sh. Maninder Singh, HC (9837741687), o/o SSP, Mohali

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 18.02.2023 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 02.01.2024 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 14.01.2026 in the Commission.
3. The appellant states that no information has been given to him so far.
4. Sh. Amrit Singh is appearing on behalf of the respondent, o/o BOI, Punjab and states that the information is lying with the PIO, o/o SSP, Mohali, hence the RTI of the appellant has been transferred to the PIO, o/o SSP, Mohali. Sh. Maninder Singh, HC is appearing on behalf of the office of SSP, Mohali and states that he has brought the information today in the Commission to deliver it to the appellant. The same is handed over to the appellant. The appellant is satisfied with the same.



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5. In view of the foregoing, no further cause of action is left, hence the above said appeal case filed by the appellant is **disposed of and closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

(Dr. Bhupinder S Batth)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Date :14.01.2026



Sh Anubhav Khanna,(M-7404981653)
S/o Sh Maharaj Saran Khanna,
#653, Sector-5,
Tehsil Thanesar,
Distt- Kurukshetra-136118
(RTI application no. 98676)

..... Appellant

.Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o DIGP, Ferozepur Range,
Ferozepur

..... Respondent

AC No 605 of 2024

Present :- (i) None for the appellant
(ii) For the respondent: Sh. Rinkaldeep Singh, Clerk (7009822893)

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 12.11.2023 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 03.01.2024 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 14.01.2026 in the Commission.
3. The appellant is appearing through CISCO webex. However, he could not present his case as the CISCO-Webex was disconnected abruptly due to a technical glitch. However he has sent an email that he has received the information and is satisfied.
4. In view of the foregoing, no further cause of action is left hence the above said appeal case filed by the appellant is **disposed of and closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

(Dr. Bhupinder S Batth)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Date :14.01.2026



Sh Gurwinder Singh, (m-8360336553)
S/o Sh Sarwan Singh,
VPO Varnala, Tehsil Patti,
Distt- Tarn Taran-143416

..... Appellant

.Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o AIGP, Admn Technical Services, Pb
Sector-9, PP Hqrs, Chandigarh

First Appellate Authority
O/o DIGP, Technical Services,
Sector-9, PP Hqrs, Chandigarh

..... Respondent

AC No 610 of 2024

Present :- (i) None for the appellant
(ii) For the respondent: Sh.Parmod Kumar Nagrath, SI (9592902013), Sh. Manpreet Singh, Constable (8054860518)

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 06.10.2023 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 03.01.2024 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 14.01.2026 in the Commission.
3. The appellant is absent today. He has not informed the Commission about his absence for today's hearing.
4. Respondent states that the information demanded by the appellant is in question form. He further states that the reply has already been sent to the Commission.
5. After hearing the respondent and going through the case file, it is observed that the appellant demanded information on two points i.e. (i) *provide information regarding why is my name out of merit.* (ii) *That last selected candidate (boy) in EWS category selected category selected which basis/grounds.* Further the respondent has sent his reply that the



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information demanded by the appellant is in question form. ***This objection of the respondent is upheld.*** The appellant may note that it is settled legal position that information that can be provided under the RTI Act is that which is already on record of the Public Authority. The PIO cannot be asked to create any record for answering the RTI questions. As per the Supreme Court decision in **Khanapuram Gandaiah vs Administrative Officer & Ors on 4 January, 2010 in SPECIAL LEAVE PETITION (CIVIL) NO.34868 OF 2009** the definition of information as given under Section 2(f) of the RTI Act 2005, shows that an applicant under Section 6 of the RTI Act can get any information which is already in existence and accessible to the public authority under law. Of course, under the RTI Act an applicant is entitled to get copy of the opinions, advices, circulars, orders, etc., but he cannot ask for any information as to why such opinions, advices, circulars, orders, etc. have been passed. Hence, the information sought by him cannot be supplied. The appeal is, therefore **dismissed**. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

(Dr. Bhupinder S Batth)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Date :14.01.2026



Sh Mandeep Singh, (M-9855562925)
S/o Sh Rattan Singh,
R/o Village Devi nagar,
Tehsil Derabassi, Distt SAS Nagar-140507
.Vs

..... Appellant

Public Information Officer,
0/o EO, MC, Derabassi,
Distt SAS Nagar

First Appellate Authority

0/o EO, MC, Derabassi,
Distt SAS Nagar Respondent

AC No 654 of 2024

Present :- (i) None is present on behalf of the appellant
(ii) For the respondent: Sh. Gurpreet Singh, APIO (9814926881)

ORDER

The RTI application is dated NIL vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 16.04.2024 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

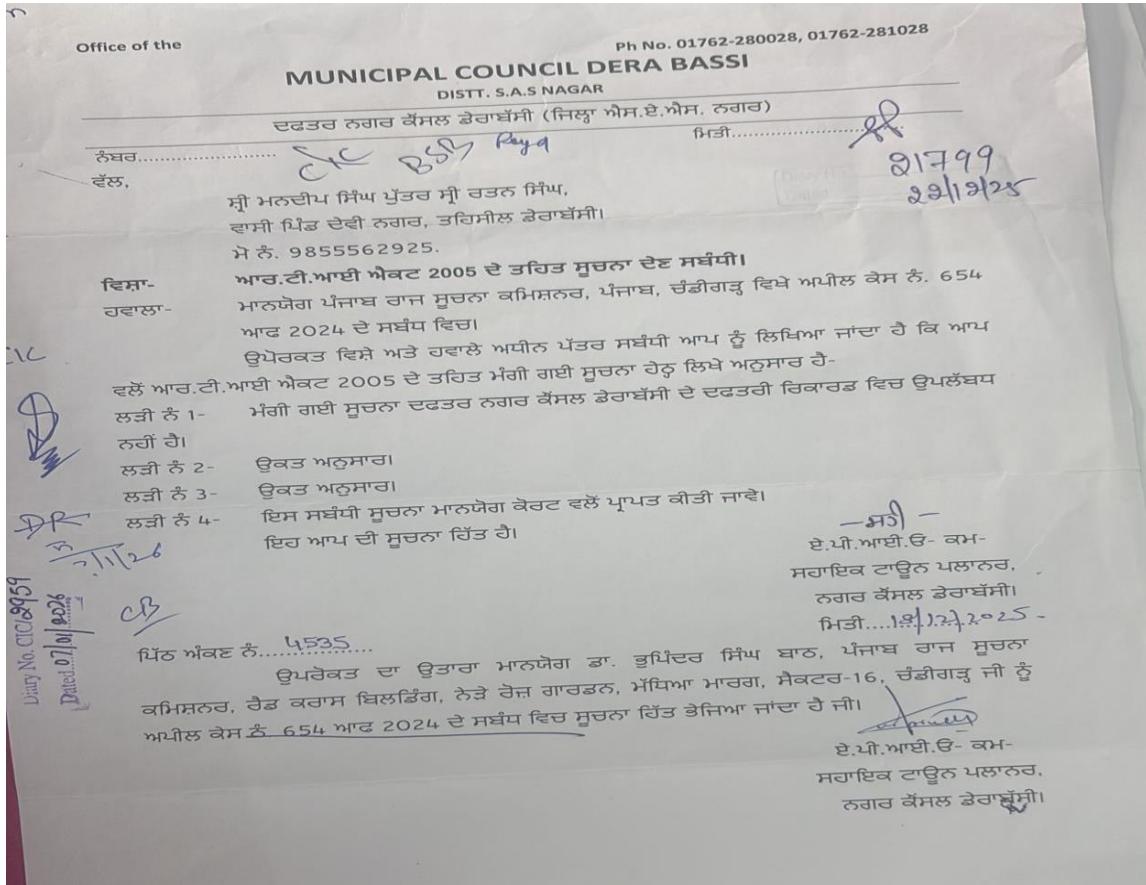
2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 14.01.2026 in the Commission.
3. The appellant is absent today. He has sent a letter dated 06.01.2026 vide which he has sent deficiencies to the Commission.
4. Respondent states that the reply has already been sent to the appellant.
5. After hearing the respondent and going through the case file, it is observed that the RTI of the appellant and the deficiencies sent by the appellant is not specific. As per the respondent, reply has been sent, which is as under:-

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6. After going through the abvoesaid reply of the respondent, the Commission is of the considered opinion that the Respondent has provided appropriate and permissible reply to the Appellant. Hence the above said appeal case filed by the appellant is **disposed of and closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

(Dr. Bhupinder S Batth)
 State Information Commissioner
 Punjab

Date :14.01.2026



ShAmarjit Singh,
S/o ShPrem Singh,
Thauna, Tehsil &Distt Roopnagar-140108

(RTI application no. 93594) Appellant

.Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Patiala Development Authority,
Patiala

First Appellate Authority
O/o Patiala Development Authority,
Patiala

.....Respondent

AC No 466of 2024

Present :- (i) ShAmarjit Singh, appellant along with Sh Rajeev Kumar
(ii) For the respondent- Ms Kulvir Kaur, Jr Asstt. (95922-07653)

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 09.10.2023 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 01.01.2024 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 14.01.2026 in the Commission
3. The respondent states that the information pertaining to point no. 1 and 2 has been provided to the appellant. She adds that regarding point no. 3 and 4, the appellant has raised questions/queries. Hence, the same has not been provided.
4. The appellant states that he has received the information pertaining to point no. 1 and 2.
5. The perusal of the case file shows that the appellant has demanded information, as mentioned in his RTI application. Regarding point no. 1 and 2, the information has been provided to the appellant. However, regarding point no's 3 and 4, the appellant has raised questions/queries. The appellant may take note that it is settled legal position that



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information that can be provided under the RTI Act is that which is already on record of the Public Authority. The PIO cannot be asked to create any record for answering the RTI questions. As per the Supreme Court decision in **KhanapuramGandaiahvs Administrative Officer &Ors on 4 January, 2010 in SPECIAL LEAVE PETITION (CIVIL) NO.34868 OF 2009** the definition of information as given under Section 2(f) of the RTI Act 2005, shows that an applicant under Section 6 of the RTI Act can get any information which is already in existence and accessible to the public authority under law. Of course, under the RTI Act an applicant is entitled to get copy of the opinions, advices, circulars, orders, etc., but he cannot ask for any information as to why such opinions, advices, circulars, orders, etc. have been passed. In view of the foregoing, no further cause of action is left. Therefore, the appeal case filed by the appellant is **disposed of and closed**. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Date :14.01.2026

(Dr. Bhupinder S Batth)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab



ShSimranjit Singh, (M-9815481025)
S/o ShJagdish Singh,
#93/2, Adarsh Nagar,
Tehsil & Distt- Jalandhar-I-144008

(RTI application no. 98541)

..... Appellant

.Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o AIGP, Personnel-2, Pb
Sector-9, PP Hqrs, Chandigarh

First Appellate Authority

0/o DIGP, Admn. Punjab
Sector-9, PP Hqrs, Chandigarh

..... Respondent

AC No 502 of 2024

Present :-(i) None for the appellant

(ii) For the respondent- Sh Rahul Mathur, Clerk (9933330038)

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 10.11.2023 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 02.01.2024 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 14.01.2026 in the Commission
3. The appellant is not present today.
4. The respondent states that the information sought by the appellant cannot be provided as the same is third party information. Hence, the same cannot be provided u/s 8(1)(j) of the RTI Act.



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5. The perusal of the case file shows that the appellant is not present today. He has not even bothered to inform the Commission about his absence. Further, the appellant through his RTI application has demanded the copy of the appointment letter of Shishobit Veer Singh, appointed as Sub-Inspector (District Police Cadre). The respondent has denied the information u/s 8(1)(j) of the RTI act. The respondent has also filed his reply regarding the same.

After going through the same, it is ascertained that the respondent has adequately addressed the RTI of the appellant. Hence, the contention of the respondent is upheld. In view of the above, no further cause of action is left. Therefore, the appeal case filed by the appellant is **disposed of and closed**. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties. *However, the liberty is granted to the appellant to approach the Commission within one month, if he so desires.*

Sd/-

Date :14.01.2026

(Dr. Bhupinder S Batth)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab