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Shri Harjinder Singh (98888-09833),
R/o Sado Majra, Navi Abadi, Block Khera,
P.O Saidpura, Distt Fatehgarh Sahib - 140406

....Appellant

Versus

Shri Gurpreet Singh (94173-49423),
Public Information Officer-cum-BDPO,
Khera, Tehsil & Distt Fatehgarh Sahib.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o DDPO,
Fatehgarh Sahib.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 7722 OF 2023

PRESENT: Appellant: Shri Harjinder Singh (98888-09833)
Respondent: Absent

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference to the previous order dated **03.02.2026**.

2. The appellant, Shri Harjinder Singh, states that he has received partial information from the respondent.
3. The respondent was previously granted an exemption from attending today's hearing.
4. After hearing the appellant and going through the case file, the appellant is directed to point out specific deficiency in the provided information in writing to the respondent PIO with a copy to this Commission. On receipt of the deficiencies, the respondents are directed to remove the same before the next date of hearing.
5. Both parties are directed to remain present on the next date of hearing for deliberations. It is also clarified that in case of defiance of this order, the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.
6. **To come up on 09.09.2026 at 11.00 A.M. at Chandigarh.** Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Date: 15.07.2026

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Shri Chaman Lal (94178-87127),
S/o Late Shri Amar Chand,
R/o Village Chankoya,
Tehsil Balachour, Distt S.B.S Nagar.

....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o BDPO, Saroya,
Distt SBS Nagar.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o DDPO,
S.B.S Nagar.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 7865 OF 2023

PRESENT: Appellant: Absent
Respondent: Shri Surinderpal, Samti Patwari (98765-52504)

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference to the previous order dated **04.02.2026**.

2. The respondent PIO, represented by Shri Surinderpal, Samti Patwari, has sought some time to provide the information.
3. The appellant is absent without intimation. 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.
4. After hearing the respondent and perusing the documents placed on record, it is ascertained that the information has not been provided to the appellant. The respondent has sought some time to provide the information. Hence, considering the request of the respondent, an opportunity is given to him to provide the reply / information to the appellant, as demanded through his RTI application, within 20 days of receiving these orders, under intimation to the Commission office.
5. Both parties are directed to remain present on the next date of hearing for deliberations. It is also clarified that in case of defiance of this order, the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.
6. **To come up on 09.09.2026 at 11.00 A.M. at Chandigarh.** Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

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Shri Sanjeev Thakur (98142-89764),
S/o Shri Baldev Singh Salaria,
R/o Mohalla Rajput Nagar, Village Gurha Khurd,
P.O Madhopur Cantt, Pathankot - 145024

....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o SMO, Civil Hospital,
Amrisar.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o CMO, Civil Hospital,
Amrisar.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 7605 OF 2023

PRESENT: Appellant: Shri Rahul Dev Singh, Advocate (98767-96666)
Respondent: Absent

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference to the previous order dated **04.02.2026**.

2. Shri Rahul Dev Singh, Advocate, is appearing on behalf of the appellant and states that no information has been given to him so far. Further, he has refused to visit the office of the respondent for inspection.
3. The respondent is absent. However, an email dated 13.07.2026 has been received from the respondent stating that the appellant was invited to conduct an inspection, but has failed to respond to date.
4. After hearing the counsel of the appellant and going through the case file, the respondent is directed to provide the reply / information to the appellant through registered post within 20 days after receipt of this order, under intimation to the Commission, failing which punitive and stringent provisions of the RTI Act, 2005 could be invoked against him.
5. Both parties are directed to remain present on the next date of hearing for deliberations. It is also clarified that in case of defiance of this order, the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.
6. **To come up on 16.09.2026 at 11.00 A.M. at Chandigarh.** Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

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....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o SMO, Civil Hospital,
Hoshiapur.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o CMO, Civil Hospital,
Hoshiapur.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 7606 OF 2023

PRESENT: Appellant: Shri Rahul Dev Singh, Advocate (98767-96666)
Respondent: Absent

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference to the previous order dated **04.02.2026**.

2. Shri Rahul Dev Singh, Advocate, is appearing on behalf of the appellant and states that no information has been given to him so far. Further he has refused to visit the office of the respondent for inspection.
3. The respondent is absent. The perusal of the case file shows that the previous order dated 04.02.2026 was inadvertently sent to the respondent PIO O/o SMO, Civil Hospital, Amritsar and First Appellate Authority, O/o CMO, Civil Hospital, Amritsar, instead of respondent PIO O/o SMO, Civil Hospital, Hoshiarpur and First Appellate Authority, O/o CMO, Civil Hospital, Hoshiarpur, inadvertently.
4. After hearing the counsel of the appellant and going through the case file, the respondent is directed to provide the reply / information to the appellant through registered post within 20 days after receipt of this order, under intimation to the Commission, failing which punitive and stringent provisions of the RTI Act, 2005 could be invoked against him.
5. Both parties are directed to remain present on the next date of hearing for deliberations. It is also clarified that in case of defiance of this order, the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.
6. **To come up on 16.09.2026 at 11.00 A.M. at Chandigarh.** Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

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P.O Madhopur Cantt, Pathankot - 145024

....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o SMO, Civil Hospital,
Ferozepur.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o CMO, Civil Hospital,
Ferozepur.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 7607 OF 2023

PRESENT: Appellant: Shri Rahul Dev Singh, Advocate (98767-96666)
Respondent: Absent

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference to the previous order dated **04.02.2026**.

2. Shri Rahul Dev Singh, Advocate, is appearing on behalf of the appellant and states that he has received partial information from the respondent PIO.
3. The respondent is absent. The perusal of the case file shows that the previous order dated 04.02.2026 was inadvertently sent to the respondent PIO O/o SMO, Civil Hospital, Amritsar and First Appellate Authority, O/o CMO, Civil Hospital, Amritsar, instead of respondent PIO O/o SMO, Civil Hospital, Ferozepur and First Appellate Authority, O/o CMO, Civil Hospital, Ferozepur, inadvertently.
4. After hearing the counsel of the appellant and going through the case file, the appellant is directed to point out specific deficiency in the provided information in writing to the respondent PIO with a copy to this Commission. On receipt of the deficiencies, the respondents are directed to remove the same before the next date of hearing.
5. Both parties are directed to remain present on the next date of hearing for deliberations. It is also clarified that in case of defiance of this order, the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.
6. **To come up on 16.09.2026 at 11.00 A.M. at Chandigarh.** Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

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Shri Kuldip Kumar (78143-48489),
3261, Rattan Singh Chowk,
F.G.C. Road, Amritsar - 143001

....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Chief Administrator,
Amritsar Development Authority,
Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o Chief Administrator, Amritsar Development Authority,
Amritsar.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 7666 OF 2023

PRESENT: Appellant: Shri Kuldip Kumar via mobile (78143-48489)
Respondent: Absent

ORDER:

This order may be read with the reference to the previous order dated **03.02.2026**.

2. The appellant, Shri Kuldip Kumar, attended the hearing via mobile and states that he has not received any reply / information from the respondent till date and further, he states that directions may be issued to the respondent to supply the sought for information pertaining to his RTI application.

3. The respondent is absent without intimation, which shows his carelessness and casual attitude towards orders of the Commission. It is also a fact that copy of previous order was sent to the PIO through registered post despite of that, he is absent. This shows that the respondent has no regard for the orders issued by the Commission. This is indeed a serious matter.

4. After hearing the appellant and going through the case file, the respondent PIO is directed to provide the point wise reply / information to the appellant through registered post within 20 days from the receipt of this order, under intimation to the Commission, failing which punitive and stringent provisions of the RTI Act, 2005 could be invoked against him.

5. The respondent PIO O/o Chief Administrator, Amritsar Development Authority, Amritsar, is further directed to attend the next hearing in person for deliberations. Failure to comply and attend the hearing, will compel the Commission to secure his presence through service of **Bailable Warrant**.

6. **To come up on 15.09.2026 at 11.00 A.M. at Chandigarh.** However, the appellant is exempted from personal hearing on the next date of hearing. He shall be contacted telephonically. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Date: 15.07.2026

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