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Sh. Nitin Kumar Garg, (M : 7814322100)
C/o Police Public Dairy, 15 A,
Shastari Nagar Model Town,
Ludhiana.

Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer,
O/o Executive Engineer, Construction Division,
PWD B&R, Batala, Distt Gurdaspur.

First Appellate Authority
O/o Superintending Engineer,
Construction PWD B&R Circle,
Pathankot.

Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 2266 OF 2023

Present :- None for the parties.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 11.08.2026 passed by the Commission.

2. Today neither the appellant nor the respondent is present. The appellant has sent his submissions via mail which is taken on record. Since both the parties are not present hence one last opportunity is given to both the parties to appear before the Commission and state his case. To come up on **27.01.2027 at 11.30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Date :15.10.2026

(Dr. Bhupinder S Batth)
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Sh.YogeshMahajan, S/o Late Sh
Kuldip Raj Mahajan, President of Anti
Corruption Council, Opp. Water Tank,
Municipal Market, Mission Road,
Pathankot

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/oXEN, Provincial Division, PWD B&R,
Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority
O/oSE, PWD B& R, Ludhiana

Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 6567 OF 2024

Present :- None for the parties.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 11.08.2026 passed by the Commission.

2. Today neither the appellant nor the respondent is present. The appellant has informed on phone that he is unable to attend today's hearing. Respondent has not informed the Commission about his absence for today's hearing. Since both the parties are not present hence one last opportunity is given to both the parties to appear before the Commission and state his case. To come up on **19.01.2027 at 11.30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Date :15.10.2026

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Sh. JagjitLal, S/o Sh. HarbansLal
VPO Kultham, Tehsil Banga, Distt. Nawanshahr-144501
(6239255932)

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o XEN, Provincial Division,
PWD B&R, Bathinda

First Appellate Authority
O/o SE, Construction Circle,
PWDB&R, Bathinda

Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 34 OF 2025

Present :- None for the parties.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 04.08.2026 passed by the Commission.

2. Today neither the appellant nor the respondent is present. The appellant sent his submissions which are taken on record. Respondent has not informed the Commission about his absence for today's hearing. Since both the parties are not present hence one last opportunity is given to both the parties to appear before the Commission and state his case. To come up on **27.01.2027 at 11.30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Date :15.10.2026

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Lajpat Rai Garg S/o Sh. HarbansLal,
Romana Street, Jaito, Tehsil – Jaito,
District – Faridkot (Punjab) (M.9814230616)

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o DC, Faridkot

First Appellate Authority,
O/o DC, Faridkot

Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 3448 of 2023

Present :- (i) Sh.Lajpat Rai Garg the appellant alongwith Sh. Bharat Goyal
(ii) None for the respondent

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 29.04.2026 passed by the Commission.

2. The appellant states that no information has been given to him so far. Respondent is absent today. Taking a lenient view one last and final opportunity is given to him to appear before the Commission and state his case. Both the parties are directed to appear, in person, on the next date of hearing for deliberations, failing which the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte. To come up on **20.01.2027 at 11.30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Date :15.10.2026

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Sh. Lajpat Rai Garg S/o Sh. Harbans Lal,
Romana Street, Jaito, Tehsil – Jaito,
District – Faridkot (Punjab) (M.9814230616)

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o ADC (G). Faridkot

First Appellate Authority,
O/o ADC (G). Faridkot

Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 623 of 2023

Present : (i) Sh. Lajpat Rai Garg the appellant
(ii) For the respondent : Sh. Maninder Pal Singh, EO (7508915071)

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 29.04.2026 passed by the Commission.

2. Today the appellant states that no information has been given to him so far.
3. Respondent states that he has brought point-wise reply today in the Commission.
4. After hearing both the parties and going through the case file, it is observed that the respondent has brought point-wise reply, but the same is not attested. Hence the respondent is directed to send point-wise reply alongwith attested information to the appellant before the next date of hearing. Further, it is also observed that the respondent has also failed to file his reply to the show cause notice. Hence one last opportunity is also given to the respondent to file his reply on the next date of hearing.
5. To come up on **20.01.2027 at 11.30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Date : 15.10.2026

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Sh. Arun Garg, S/o Sh. Sham Lal Garg
40-41, Central Town, Backside Keys Hotel
Village DAD, Tehsil and Distt. Ludhiana - 142022

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o MC, Ludhiana

First Appellate Authority
O/o MC, Ludhiana

Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 1020 OF 2025

Present :- None for the parties.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 25.09.2024 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 07.02.2025 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 26.08.2026 in the Commission. However, on 26.08.2026 the abovementioned case could not be heard and was postponed to be heard on 15.10.2026 i.e today.

2. Today neither the appellant nor the respondent is present. The appellant has sent his submissions via mail which is taken on record. Respondent has not informed the Commission about his absence for today's hearing. Since both the parties are not present hence one last opportunity is given to both the parties to appear before the Commission and state his case. To come up on **27.01.2027 at 11.30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

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Date :15.10.2026

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Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o DC, Ludhiana

First Appellate Authority
O/o DC, Ludhiana

Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 1028 OF 2025

Present :- None for the parties.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 06.09.2024 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 07.02.2025 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 26.08.2026 in the Commission. However, on 26.08.2026 the abovementioned case could not be heard and was postponed to be heard on 15.10.2026 i.e today.

2. Today neither the appellant nor the respondent is present. The appellant has sent his submissions via mail which is taken on record. A letter has also been received from the respondent that the information has been sent to the appellant. Since both the parties are not present hence one last opportunity is given to both the parties to appear before the Commission and state his case. To come up on **27.01.2027 at 11.30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Date :15.10.2026

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Sh. Amandeep Singh Andotra, Advocate
Chamber No. 133, District Courts Complex
Tehsil and Distt.Pathankot
(788729823)

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o SMO,Civil Hospital,
Gurdaspur

First Appellate Authority
O/o CMO,Civil Hospital,
Gurdaspur

Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 975 OF 2025

Present :None for the parties

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 28.10.2024 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 04.02.2025 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 26.08.2026 in the Commission. However, on 26.08.2026 the abovementioned case could not be heard and was postponed to be heard on 15.10.2026 i.e today.

2. Today neither the appellant nor the respondent is present and they have even not informed the Commission about their absence for today's hearing. This is the first date of hearing and both the parties are not present. In the interest of justice, both the parties are directed to come present on the next date of hearing and state their case. Respondent PIO is directed to file point-wise specific reply, in accordance with his RTI application and present a photocopy of the relevant postal receipt along with a copy of the information provided, before the Commission on the next date fixed, for its perusal and records, failing which action under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act 2005 will be initiated. To come up on **03.12.2026 at 11.30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

(Dr. Bhupinder S Batth)
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Date :15.10.2026

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Sh. Amandeep Singh Andotra, Advocate
Chamber No. 133, District Courts Complex
Tehsil and Distt. Pathankot
(788729823)

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o SMO, Civil Hospital,
Gurdaspur

First Appellate Authority
O/o CMO, Civil Hospital,
Gurdaspur

Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 974 OF 2025

Present : None for the parties

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 28.10.2024 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 04.02.2025 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 26.08.2026 in the Commission. However, on 26.08.2026 the abovementioned case could not be heard and was postponed to be heard on 15.10.2026 i.e today.

2. Today neither the appellant nor the respondent is present and they have even not informed the Commission about their absence for today's hearing. This is the first date of hearing and both the parties are not present. In the interest of justice, both the parties are directed to come present on the next date of hearing and state their case. Respondent PIO is directed to file point-wise specific reply, in accordance with his RTI application and present a photocopy of the relevant postal receipt along with a copy of the information provided, before the Commission on the next date fixed, for its perusal and records, failing which action under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act 2005 will be initiated. To come up on **03.12.2026 at 11.30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

(Dr. Bhupinder S Batth)
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Date : 15.10.2026

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Sh. Jasbir Singh, Guru Nanak Nagar
Village Bholapur, PO Ramgarh,
Chandigarh Road, Distt.Ludhina - 141123

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Asst. Commissioner Food
O/o Civil Surgeon, Patiala

First Appellate Authority
O/o Civil Surgeon, Patiala

Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 928 OF 2025

Present : None for the parties

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 04.11.2024 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 31.01.2025 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 26.08.2026 in the Commission. However, on 26.08.2026 the abovementioned case could not be heard and was postponed to be heard on 15.10.2026 i.e today.

2. Both the parties are absent today. The appellant has informed on phone that he is unable to attend today's hearing. Respondent has sent his submissions, which are taken on record. Considering the request of both the parties the above said appeal case is adjourned on **03.12.2026 at 11.30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Date :15.10.2026

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Sh. Jasbir Singh, Guru Nanak Nagar
Village Bholapur, PO Ramgarh,
Chandigarh Road, Distt.Ludhina - 141123

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Civil Surgeon, Mohali

First Appellate Authority
O/o Civil Surgeon, Mohali

Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 927 OF 2025

Present : None for the parties

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 02.11.2024 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 31.01.2025 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 26.08.2026 in the Commission. However, on 26.08.2026 the abovementioned case could not be heard and was postponed to be heard on 15.10.2026 i.e today.

2. Both the parties are absent today. The appellant has informed on phone that he is unable to attend today's hearing. Respondent has not informed the Commission about his absence. Considering the request of the appellant, the above said appeal case is adjourned on **03.12.2026 at 11.30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Respondent may take note that this is the last opportunity given to him to provide the information. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Date :15.10.2026

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Ms.Rita Rani Sharma,
C/o Sh. Jagannath, Basant Nagar,
Shivpuri, Tehsil Ludhiana (East)- 141008
(8146752785)

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Civil Surgeon, Moga

First Appellate Authority
O/o Director Health and Family Welfare
Punjab, Parivar Kalyan Bhawan, Sector 34A
Chandigarh

Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 1031 OF 2025

Present : None for the parties.

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 24.11.2024 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 07.02.2025 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 26.08.2026 in the Commission. However, on 26.08.2026 the abovementioned case could not be heard and was postponed to be heard on 15.10.2026 i.e today.

2. Today neither the appellant nor the respondent is present. The appellant has not informed the Commission about her absence for today's hearing. Respondent has sent an email that he is unable to attend today's hearing, hence he has sought another date. Considering the request of the respondent the above said appeal case is adjourned on **27.01.2027 at 11.30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Date :15.10.2026

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ShAnmolDhiman, (M-7508029316)
S/o ShSurjit Kumar,
R/o H No 1229, Block -E,
Adarsh Nagar, NayaGaon, Distt SAS Nagar-160103

..... Appellant

Public Information Officer,
O/o SMO, Civil Hospital, Kharar
Distt Mohali

.Vs

First Appellate Authority
O/o Civil Surgeon, SAS Nagar

.....Respondent

AC No.5350 of 2026

Present :- (i) ShAnmolDhiman, appellant along with Ms SumanBala
(ii) For the respondent: Dr Ritu Gera, MO (78141-69645)

ORDER

The RTI application is dated 04.05.2026 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 23.07.2026 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 26.08.2026 in the Commission. However, on 26.08.2026 this case could not be heard and was postponed to be heard on 15.10.2026, i.e today.

2. The respondent states that the information sought by the appellant is third party information and the same cannot be provided. She adds that their reply regarding the same has already been sent to the appellant.

3. The appellant states that he is not satisfied with the reply of the respondent. He submits that the information is required to prove his innocence in his legal cases.

4. In view of the above, the appellant is given an opportunity to file his rejoinder regarding the contention of the respondent before the next date of hearing. Further, the respondent is directed to be present on the next date of hearing along with the complete information in a sealed envelope. The Commission shall decide thereafter whether the information is to be provided to the appellant or not. Both the parties are directed to appear, in person, on the next date of hearing for deliberations, failing this, the Commission shall proceed to decide the matter on the basis of the material available on record and may issue appropriate directions in accordance with law. To come up on **11.11.2026 at 11:30AM** for further proceedings in the Commission office. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

sd/-

Date :15.10.2026

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Sh. Raman Kumar, (M; 9988900339)
H No 186 A, Street No 6, Arman Nagar,
Near New Water TankiDakoha,
Ramamandi, Jalandhar-144023.

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer
O/o Sub Registrar, Pathankot,
DAC Malikpur, Pathankot.

First Appellate Authority
O/o Sub Registrar, Pathankot,
DAC Malikpur, Pathankot.

Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 6067 OF 2022

Present :- (i) Sh. Raman Kumar, appellant
(ii) For the respondent :- Sh Sunny Kumar, JrAsstt. (7696549781)

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 04.06.2026 vide which a penalty of Rs 25000/- was imposed on the respondent-PIO. Accordingly, the case was adjourned to be heard on 26.08.2026. However, on 26.08.2026 the case could not be heard and hence, was postponed to be heard on 15.10.2026, ie. today.

2. The appellant states that the respondent has not furnished the information to him.
3. The respondent has sought time.
4. Hence, considering the request of the respondent, an opportunity is given to him to provide complete information to the appellant, before the next date of hearing. Further, it has also been observed that the respondent not complied with the orders of the Commission dated 04.06.2026. Hence, the respondent is again given an opportunity to deposit the amount of penalty and report its compliance in the Commission office, before the next date of hearing.
5. Both the parties are directed to appear, in person, on the next date of hearing for deliberations, failing this, the Commission shall proceed to decide the matter on the basis of the material available on record and may issue appropriate directions in accordance with law. To come up on **29.12.2026 at 11.30 AM through video conference facility in the office of Deputy Commissioner, Pathankot.** Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

(Dr. Bhupinder S Batth)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Dated :15.10.2026

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ShDevenMunjal, (M-9814992468)

S/o ShRajinderMunjal,
Ward No. 19, Street No.4,
Roopnagar, Gidderbaha,
Distt Sri Mukatsar Sahib

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Tehsildar, Gidderbaha,
Distt Sri Mukatsar Sahib

First Appellate Authority
O/o SDM, Gidderbaha,
Distt Sri Mukatsar Sahib

Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 192 OF 2024

Present :- (i) Sh Deven Munjal, appellant

(ii) For the respondent :- Sh Kamalpreet Singh, Naib Tehsildar (90417-14332)

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 10.06.2026 passed by the Commission in this case. Accordingly, the case was adjourned to be heard on 26.08.2026. On 26.08.2026 this case could not be heard and was postponed to be heard on 15.10.2026, i.e today.

2. The respondent states that the information has been supplied to the appellant.

3. The appellant submits that he has already pointed out the deficiencies, to the respondent but the rectified information has not been provided to him.

4. After hearing both the parties and perusing the documents placed on record, it has been ascertained that the rectified information has not been provided to the appellant. Hence, the copy of the deficiencies, is again handed over to the respondent today, with directions to ensure that the deficiencies in the information are made good before the next date of hearing. Further, it has also been observed that the respondent-PIO has failed to file his reply to the show-cause notice issued on the last date of hearing. He is again given an opportunity to file his reply to the same.

5. Both the parties are directed to appear, in person, on the next date of hearing for deliberations, failing this, the Commission shall proceed to decide the matter on the basis of the material available on record and may issue appropriate directions in accordance with law. To come up on **12.11.2026 at 11:30AM** for further proceedings in the Commission office. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

sd/-

Dated : 15.10.2026

(Dr. Bhupinder S Batth)
State Information Commissioner
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Sh. Mandeep Singh, S/o Sh. Bawa Singh,
Village Majha, Tehsil Bhawanigarh,
Distt Sangrur-148026.
M : 9988277636

Complainant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o BDPO, Bhawanigarh,
Distt Sangrur.

Respondents

COMPLAINT CASE NO. 349 OF 2024

Present :- (i) Sh Mandeep Singh, Complainant along with Sh. Ajaib Singh
(ii) For the respondent- Sh. Bhagwant Singh, Panchayat Secy (94177-60202)

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 11.06.2026 passed by the Commission in this case. Accordingly, the case was adjourned to be heard on 26.08.2026. On 26.08.2026 this case could not be heard and was postponed to be heard on 15.10.2026, i.e today.

2. The Complainant reiterates that action be taken against the Respondent-PIO.
3. The respondent states that as directed in the previous hearing, PIO- Sh. Gurdashan Singh, BDPO Bhawanigarh, Distt Sangrur could not be present today as he has been transferred.
4. The Commission has carefully examined the records of the case as well as the conduct of the respondent during the course of these proceedings. It is observed that the matter remained pending before the Commission for a considerable period. Despite being afforded adequate and sufficient opportunities to participate in the proceedings and explain the status of the RTI application, the respondent failed to file any reply.
5. The Commission further notes with concern that even on the present date of hearing, the concerned PIO has once again failed to file his reply. The representative present on behalf of the department merely submitted that the PIO has been transferred. The Commission finds this explanation wholly inadequate and unacceptable, particularly in the absence of any documentary evidence supporting the said plea. The respondent was issued a show cause notice on 28.10.2025. However despite the lapse of one year, and the matter being taken up for hearing on 11.06.2026, the respondent neither appeared before the Commission nor submitted any written reply in response to the Show cause notice . Such conduct reflects a lack of seriousness towards the proceedings of the Commission. Even assuming that the PIO was transferred, no effort was made to seek an adjournment in advance, file a written submission, or otherwise ensure compliance with the directions issued by the Commission.
7. The behavior of the respondent-PIO demonstrates a casual and negligent approach towards the implementation of the RTI Act, 2005. The Commission cannot overlook the fact that despite



COMPLAINT CASE NO. 349 OF 2024

issuance of notices, grant of repeated opportunities and initiation of show-cause proceedings, the respondent has failed to exhibit the minimum degree of diligence expected from a Public Information Officer entrusted with statutory responsibilities under the Act.

8. The Commission is of the considered view that such conduct not only defeats the very object of the RTI Act, which seeks to ensure transparency and accountability in the functioning of public authorities, but also undermines the authority of this Commission. Public Information Officers are expected to assist the Commission in the effective adjudication of matters and to comply with its directions in a timely manner. Any indifference towards such obligations cannot be permitted to go unchecked.

9. In the facts and circumstances of the present case, the Commission is satisfied that the respondent has failed to establish any reasonable cause for the repeated non-compliance with the directions of the Commission. The conduct of the respondent clearly attracts the provisions of Section 20(1) of the RTI Act, 2005.

10. Accordingly, the Commission hereby imposes the penalty of ₹5,000/- (Rupees Five Thousand only) upon the ***then Public Information Officer*** under Section 20(1) of the RTI Act, 2005. The Head of the Department/Competent Authority is directed to recover the said amount from the salary of the concerned PIO and remit the same in the following Head of Account as per the applicable rules and procedure, within the prescribed period.

"0070-Other Administrative Services
60 other Services
800-Other Receipts ,
86-Fee under the RTI Act, 2005"

A compliance report regarding recovery and deposit of the penalty amount shall be furnished to the Commission within the stipulated time.

11. Both the parties are directed to appear, in person, on the next date of hearing for deliberations, failing this, the Commission shall proceed to decide the matter on the basis of the material available on record and may issue appropriate directions in accordance with law. To come up on **27.01.2026 at 11.30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission office. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Date :15.10.2026

Sd/-
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Kuldip Raj Mahajan, President of Anti
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Municipal Market, Mission Road, Pathankot

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/oXEN, Draining cum Mining & Geology
Division, WRD, Roopnagar

First Appellate Authority
O/oSE, Draining cum Mining & Geology Circle, WRD, PB,
Patiala

Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 6571 OF 2024

Present :- None for the parties.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 04.08.2026 passed by the Commission in this case.

2. The appellant is not present today. He has telephonically intimated that he shall not be able to attend the hearing today.
3. The respondent has sought time today.
4. Hence, considering the request of the respondent, an opportunity is given to him to provide complete information to the appellant, before the next date of hearing. Both the parties are directed to appear, in person, on the next date of hearing for deliberations, failing this, the Commission shall proceed to decide the matter on the basis of the material available on record and may issue appropriate directions in accordance with law. To come up on **19.01.2027 at 11.30 AM** for further proceedings in the Commission office. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Date :15.10.2026

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Amritsar. (M: 9872139640)

Appellant

Versus

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

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

Respondents

AC.No. 2087 of 2023

Present :- None for the parties.

ORDER

This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 02.07.2026 passed by the Commission in this case. Accordingly, the case was adjourned to be heard on 26.08.2026. However, on 26.08.2026 the case could not be heard and hence, was postponed to be heard on 15.10.2026, ie. today.

2. Today neither the appellant nor the respondent is present. Both the parties have sent their respective e-mail(s) through which they have sought an adjournment from today's hearing.

3. In view of the above, an opportunity is given to both the parties to appear before the Commission and state their case. To come up on **30.12.2026 at 11.30 AM** for further proceedings **in the Commission office**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

(Dr. Bhupinder S Batth)
State Information Commissioner
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Dated :15.10.2026

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Appellant

Versus

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Municipal Corporation,
Amritsar (Punjab)

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

Respondents

AC.No. 2085 of 2023

Present :- None for the parties.

ORDER

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Dated :15.10.2026