



Sukhdir Singh Sekhon
S/o Sh. Randhir Singh Sekhon,
H. o. 04, Baba Nand Singh Nagar,
Backside B. C. M. School,
Basant Avenue, Dugri, Ludhiana - 141013(Punjab)

....Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,
O/o The District Education Officer(Elem.),
Ludhiana (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,
O/o The District Education Officer(Elem.),
Ludhiana (Punjab)

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 902 of 2022

Present : Sh. Sukhdir Singh Sekhon, the appellant in person.
i) Sh. Amandeep Singh, Head Teacher of Govt. Primary School, Sukhdev Nagar, Ludhiana ;
ii) Ms. Asha Rani, B.P.E.O., Mangat - II, on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

Heard through facility of Software/application 'CISCO Webex Meetings'.
The RTI request is dated 09.06.2021. First appeal is dated 07.12.2021. Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 18.02.2022.

The appellant, Sh. Sukhdir Singh Sekhon, who appeared in person in today's hearing, states that no information has been given to him by the respondent PIO till date

Sh. Amandeep Singh, Head Teacher of Govt. Primary School, Sukhdev Nagar, Ludhiana, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, states that the RTI request of the appellant has been received from B.P.E.O., Mangat – II vide letter no. 22.12.2021.

Ms. Asha Rani, B.P.E.O., Mangat - II, appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing.

After examining the documents placed on record, it is found that the RTI request of the appellant should have been transferred to the concerned office within stipulated time under Section 6 (3) of the RTI Act and as the proper procedure was not followed by the respondent party, accordingly, the Public Information Officer office of District Education Officer (Elem.), Ludhiana and B.P.E.O., Mangat - II, is directed to supply the required information to the appellant after collecting the same from the concerned office before the next date of hearing.

An opportunity is also given to the appellant to confirm whether he has received the information and also advised to point out deficiencies, if any, in the information supplied to the respondent PIO well in time so that the same could be removed by the respondent concerned.

Both the parties i. e. the appellant and the respondent PIO are directed to be present with the copy of information supplied during the proceedings of the instant appeal-case on the next date of hearing fixed before the bench of the undersigned in the office of State Information Commission, Punjab or the case would be decided on merits.

The case is adjourned to 31st August, 2022 (Wednesday) at 11:00 A. M. for hearing in Court Room office of State Information Commission, Punjab, Red Cross Building, Madhya Marg, Sector 16, Chandigarh.

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Date : 29th June, 2022

(Sanjiv Garg)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab