

OFFICE OF THE SENIOR SUPERINTENDENT OF POLICE-CUM-1st
APPELLATE AUTHORITY (UNDER RTI ACT 2005), UT, CHANDIGARH

Appeal Order No D-596 -598

/UT/RTI/SSP, dated: 01.10.2019

Name of Appellant : Mr. Joginder Singh,
R/o # 553/1 Sector 38A,
Chandigarh.

Concerned CPIOs : CPIO/South & PHQ

Date of RTI application : 27.07.2019

Reply of CPIOs : 05.08.2019 & 16.08.2019

Date of 1st Appeal : 05.09.2019

ORDER

The appellant has preferred his 1st appeal against the reply/order of CPIO/South & PHQ in connection with his RTI application with the contentions that requisite information was not supplied to him. The instant appeal was diarized vide No. 162/UT/RTI/FAA/SSP dated 05.09.2019 for further proceeding under RTI Act.

Information sought vide RTI application:

The appellant had sought information on two points i.e. complete file of compliant No. 7274-2019 & 7605-2019 and copy of police verification for last 10 years of house number 691/1, 661, 588 553, 520 Sector 38 A, Chandigarh.

Comments of CPIO/South :

CPIO/South submitted that RTI application of the appellant was received in his office through CAPIO/PHQ vide No. 1576/RTI/CAPIO(PHQ)/ UT/PWS dated 25.07.2019 for supplying the requisite information. Thereafter, reports of SHO's of South Sub Division were obtained and complaint No. PW 2019-07605 dated 01.05.2019 is pending under enquiry, therefore, the same was denied u/s 8(1)(h) of the RTI Act. With regard to point No. 2 i.e. police verification of house number 691/1, 661, 588 553, 520 Sector 38 A, Chandigarh was denied u/s 8(1) (j) of RTI Act being a personal information of third party and

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accordingly he was informed vide letter No. 463/CPIO/South dated 05.08.2019.

Comments of CPIO/PHQ:

CPIO/PHQ submitted that RTI application of the appellant was received in his office through CPIO/PHQ vide No. 1576/RTI/CPIO (PHQ)/UT/PWS dated 25.07.2019 for supplying the requisite information. Thereafter, relevant files were obtained from I/C HAC and found that requisite information is not directly related with the applicant. Vide letter No. 1128/DSP/Hqrs/RTI-19, D-1167 dated 16.08.2019, he was asked to submit authority letter from the complaint/alleged person for obtaining requisite information.

Decision :

I have gone through the contents of RTI application, appeal of the appellant, comments of CPIO/South & PHQ vis-à-vis material available on record which revealed that the appellant had sought information on two points i.e. complete file of complaint No. 7274-2019 & 7605-2019 and copy of police verification for last 10 years of house number 691/1, 661, 588, 553 & 520 Sector 38 A, Chandigarh.

In reply, CPIO/South had denied information on both points u/s 8(1) (h) & (j) of RTI act as No. PW 2019-07605 is pending under enquiry and third party information respectively.

CPIO/PHQ had denied to supply the information relating to complaint No. 2019-07274 u/s 8(1) (j) of RTI act as the same is not directly related with the appellant.

So far as the appeal is concerned, complaint in question i.e. 2019-07605 is still under enquiry, therefore, the same cannot be supplied u/s 8(1)(h) of RTI Act. Moreover, part information No. 1 i.e. complaint No. 2019-07274 and information of point No. 2 i.e. copy of police verification for last 10 years of house Nos. 691/1, 661, 588, 553 & 520 Sector 38 A, Chandigarh cannot be supplied to the appellant as the same is not directly

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related to the appellant. He is seeking personal information of third parties which have no relations of larger public interest. Hence, the same cannot be supplied under section 8(1)(j) of RTI Act.

Taking note of the fact that appellant is complainant of complaint No. 2019-07605, CPIO/South is hereby directed to supply the requisite information in accordance with RTI Act as and when the same is finalized.

With these observation, the instant appeal is hereby disposed of accordingly.

In case, the appellant is not satisfied with the disposal of this appeal, he can file second appeal within 90 days before the Hon'ble CIC, CIC Bhawan, Baba Gangnath Marg, Munirka, New Delhi-110067 under the RTI Act.

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(Nilambari Jagadale, IPS)
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