APP ATE AUTHORITY (UNDER RTI ACT 2005), UT, CHANDIGARH

Appeal Order No. D-62-63

/UT/RTI/SSP, dated: 07.02.19

Name of Appellant

Ms. Navjot Lehal,

R/o # F-144. Phase-8/B, Ind. Area, IT City, Mohali.

Date of RTI application

27.11.2018

Reply of CPIOs

12.12.2018

Date of 1st Appeal

24.01.2019

ORDER

The appellant has preferred her 1st appeal against the reply/order of CPIO/PCR & Communication with the contentions that requite information was not supplied to him. The same was diarized vide No. R-16/RTI/A/UT/SSP dated 24.01.2019. This appeal was also transferred to the First Appellate Authority-cum-Senior Superintendent of Police, Headquarters, Sector 09, UT Chandigarh for its proper disposal being an Appellate Authority of the CPIO/Communication.

On perusing the RTI application and appeal as well as documents on file, it has been revealed that appellant had applied RTI application on 27.11.2018 which was disposed of by CPIO/PCR vide letter No. D-710-12/DSP/PCR dated 12.12.2018. Thereafter, she had applied her 1st appeal on 24.01.2019 after the gap of 13 days on the above prescribed period of 30 days.

Moreover, appellant was asked to explain the valid/cogent reason for condoning the delay vide letter No. 44-46/UT/RTI/SSP dated 28.01.2019 so that instant appeal can be entertained as per RTI Act. In response to this letter, appellant had submitted that delay was occurred due to unforeseen tragedies in close relatives which disrupted her attention.

But neither any date of tragedies to her relatives nor any supporting documents were provided by the appellant to justify her version. So, the reply of delay is inadequate and insufficient to condone the delay. Hence, the instant appeal is hereby filed, accordingly.

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

(Nilambari Jagadale, IPS)
Senior Superintendent of Police
Union Territory, Chandigarh-cum1st Appellate Authority.

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2. Computer Section