



CHANDIGARH POLICE

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

Appeal Order No. D-05-08 /UT/RTI/SSP, dated : 06/01/2023
Name of Appellant : Sh. Jay Kumar Singh R/o H. No.9,
Sector-47A, Chandigarh
Concerned CPIOs : CPIO/Central and South
Date of RTI application : 29.09.2022
Date of CPIO's Reply : 30.10.2022
Date of 1st Appeal : 23.11.2022

ORDER

The appellant has preferred 1st appeal on dated 23.11.2022 against the disposal of his RTI application dated 29.09.2022 with the contentions that information provided by CPIO/South is not satisfactory in its true nature.

INFORMATION SOUGHT IN RTI APPLICATION :-

The appellant vide his RTI application dated 29.09.2022 had sought information on 03 points regarding his statement recorded in PCC, Sector 26 on 29.08.2022 in connection with action taken on his earlier complaint regarding accident of his wife (Mrs. Suman Verma) on 06 July, 2022.

Comments of CPIO/Central :-

Comments of CPIO/Central have been obtained who reported that RTI application of the appellant was received in his office on 29.09.2022 and the same was transferred to CPIO/South vide letter No. 269/RTI-22/CPIO/Central dated 29.09.2022 u/s 6(3) of RTI Act under intimation to the appellant as the matter found related to PS 31, Chandigarh.

COMMENTS OF CPIO/South :-

- To proceed further in the matter, comments of CPIO/South have also been obtained who submitted that RTI application of the appellant was received in his office from CPIO/Central on 29.09.2022 vide which appellant sought information sought regarding a car accident happened on 06.07.2022 in Sector 47, Chandigarh. Accordingly, report from SHO PS 31 was sought who reported that the matter was under enquiry with ASI Surjit Singh. Hence, the information was denied to the appellant u/s 8(1)(h) of RTI Act vide letter No. RTI-309/CPIO/South/UT dated 30.10.2022.

DECISION:-

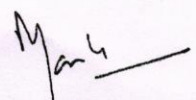
I have gone through the contents of RTI application, appeal of the appellant, comments of CPIO/Central and South vis-à-vis material available on record which revealed that the requisite information was denied to the appellant by CPIO/South u/s 8(1)(h) of RTI Act as the matter was under enquiry with ASI Surjit Singh of PS 31, Chandigarh.

However, on perusal of the contents of RTI application of the appellant, it has been established that appellant has given his statement in Police Complaint Cell (PCC), Sector 26 on 29.08.2022 and sought action taken thereof. Hence, CPIO/Central should have transferred the RTI application of the appellant to CPIO/South as well as to CPIO/Hqrs for proper disposal of the same, instead he has transferred the RTI application only to CPIO/South. Hence, CPIO/Central is directed to examine the contents of RTI applications minutely and then transfer the same to the concerned CPIO(s).

So far as the present status of the matter (incident of accident dated 06.07.2022) is concerned, the same is still under enquiry with SHO PS 31, Chandigarh. Henceforth, CPIO/South is hereby directed to ensure that enquiry into the matter be completed expeditiously as per law and supply the requisite information to the appellant as per RTI Act.

With these observations, the instant appeal stand disposed off.

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


(Manisha Choudhary, IPS)
Senior Superintendent of Police
Union Territory, Chandigarh-cum-
1st Appellate Authority.

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