



CHANDIGARH POLICE

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

Appeal Order No. **D-169-171** /UT/RTI/SSP, dated : **30/05/23.**
Name of Appellant : Sh. M.L. Panghotra
R/o H. No. 1148, 3B2, SAS Nagar,
Punjab
Concerned CPIO : CPIO/Central
Date of RTI application : 01.02.2023, received on 06.02.23
Reply of CPIO : 06.03.2023
Date of 1st Appeal : 21.03.2023

ORDER

The appellant has preferred 1st appeal dated 21.03.2023 against the disposal of his RTI application dated 01.02.2023, received on 06.02.23 by CPIO/Central with the contentions that copy of complaint filed by Mr. B. K. Mehra R/o H. No. 2536, Sector 22 C, Chandigarh against the appellant and others in the month of November, 2022, was not provided to him.

Information sought vide RTI application :-

The appellant vide his RTI application had sought information pertaining to two complaints submitted by B. K. Mehra R/o H. No. 2536, Sector 22 C, Chandigarh in the months of August and November, 2022 against the appellant and others.

COMMENTS OF CPIO/Central :-

CPIO/Central vide his comments submitted that RTI application of the appellant was received in his office from CAPIO/PHQ vide letter No. 113/RTI/CAPIO/PHQ/UT/PWS dated 08.02.2023. Thereafter, requisite information was obtained from SHO PS Sector 17 and the copy of a complaint bearing No. ICMS/2022/007859 dated 03.09.2022 filed by Baljeet Kumar Mehra against the Institute of Public Auditor of India (of which appellant is a member) was provided to the appellant vide letter No. 39/CPIO/Central dated 10.03.2022. As far as the appeal is concerned, another complaint bearing same No. ICMS/2022/007859 dated 03.09.2022 and same allegations was received in PS Sector 17, Chandigarh on 30.11.2022. Now, the enquiry into the complaints has been completed and sent to senior officers on 20.02.2023 and the appellant has also been apprised telephonically.

DECISION :-

I have gone through the contents of RTI application, appeal of the appellant, comments of CPIO/Central vis-à-vis material available on record which revealed that the appellant had sought information pertaining to two complaints submitted by B. K. Mehra R/o H.

No. 2536, Sector 22 C, Chandigarh in the months of August and November, 2022 against the appellant and others.

In reply, CPIO/Central had supplied the copy of complaint bearing No. ICMS/2022/007859 dated 03.09.2022 filed by Baljeet Kumar Mehra in the month of August, 2022 to the appellant whereas another complaint with the same number (ICMS/2022/007859 dated 03.09.2022) and allegations, filed by Sh. B. K. Mehra in the month of November, 2022 was also received in PS Sector 17. This has happened due to some technical error in Integrated Complaints Management System (ICMS).

So far as the present status of the complaints is concerned, enquiry of both the complaints have already been completed and pending for final decision. Moreover, it is clear that both the complaints are same and copy of a complaint has already been supplied to the appellant, so, there is neither any denial nor any delay on the part of CPIO.

Henceforth, CPIO/Central is hereby directed to supply the requisite information to the appellant in accordance with RTI act, as and when the enquiry into the complaints is finalized.

With these observations, instant appeal stands disposed off accordingly.

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.



(Kanwardeep Kaur, IPS)
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1st Appellate Authority.

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