

CHANDIGARH POLICE

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

Appeal Order No. D 257 - 259 /UT/RTI/SSP, dated: 12.07.2023

Name of Appellant : Sh. Suhail Singh

R/o H. No. 2194, Sector 38 C, Near Civil

Dispensary, Chandigarh

Concerned CPIO : CPIO/Hqrs

Date of RTI application : 29.05.2023

Reply of CPIO : 08.06.2023

Date of 1st Appeal : 12.06.2023

ORDER

The appellant has preferred his 1st appeal dated 12.06.2023 against the disposal of his online RTI application bearing No. PODEP/R/E/23/00452 dated 29.05.2023 by CPIO/Hqrs. with the contentions that requisite information was not provided to him.

Information sought vide RTI application :-

The appellant vide his RTI application No. PODEP/R/E/23/00452 dated 29.05.2023 had sought information regarding complaint bearing No. PW 2013-00516 i.e. whether any third party has sought information or obtained documents related to this complaint from govt. body and if yes, then in what capacity, such third party applied for the documents, whether they have received the same or otherwise and closure report of the complaint etc.

COMMENTS OF CPIO/Hqrs :-

CPIO/Hqrs vide his comments submitted that RTI application of the appellant was received in his office through online RTI portal to obtain the information regarding complaint No. PW 201300516. Accordingly, requisite information was obtained from I/C HAC who reported that complaints upto the year 2013 have already been destroyed in year 2017 vide Order No. 9054-57/UT/HAC dated 25.09.2017. The same was apprised to the appellant vide letter No. 172/CPIO/Hqrs/Online/RTI-23/D-119 dated 08.06.2023.

DECISION:-

I have gone through the contents of RTI application, appeal of the appellant, comments of CPIO/Hqrs vis-à-vis material available on record which revealed that the appellant vide his RTI application has sought information regarding complaint bearing No. PW 2013-00516 i.e. whether any third party has sought information or obtained documents related to this complaint from govt. body and if yes, then in what capacity, such third party

applied for the documents, whether they have received the same or otherwise and closure report of the complaint etc.

In reply, CPIO/Hqrs has already apprised the appellant that complaint in question has already been destroyed in the year 2017 vide Order No. 9054-57/UT/HAC dated 25.09.2017.

So far as the instant appeal is concerned, appellant has sought the information in question form or wants to elicit answers of his queries/apprehensions i.e. whether any third party has sought information or obtained documents related to this complaint from govt. body and if yes, then in what capacity, such third party applied for the documents, whether they have received the same or otherwise, which is not covered under the purview of RTI act. The information asked for, is vague in nature as the same are apprehensions of the appellant's mind which cannot be answered under RTI act. Moreover, closure report of the complaint also cannot be supplied at this stage as the record pertains to the complaint in question has already been destroyed in the year 2017.

In view of above, no more action is required to be taken on the instant appeal, hence, the same stands disposed of 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)
Senior Superintendent of Police
Union Territory, Chandigarh-cum1st Appellate Authority.

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- 1 CPIO/Hqrs.
- 2 Computer Section.