

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

Appeal Order No. D- 306 - 308 /UT/RTI/SSP, dated: 17.08.2023

Name of Appellant : Sh. Sanjeev Thakur

R/o Village-Gurha Khurd, PO-Madhopur,

Distt. Pathankot, Punjab. Mob- 98142-89764

Concerned CPIO : CPIO/Hqrs

Date of RTI application : 26.05.2023, received on 30.05.2023

Reply of CPIO : 23.06.2023

Date of 1<sup>st</sup> Appeal : 30.06.2023

### ORDER

The appellant has preferred 1<sup>st</sup> appeal dated 30.06.2023 against the disposal of his RTI application dated 26.05.2023 (received on 30.05.2023) 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 dated 30.05.2023 had sought information pertaining to complaint No. 2022-10533 dated 17.05.2022 filed by Amit Verma against ASI Karan & others i.e. copy of enquiry report.

## COMMENTS OF CPIO/Hqrs :-

CPIO/Hqrs vide his comments submitted that RTI application of the appellant was received in his office to obtain the information regarding complaint bearing No. 2022-10533. Accordingly, requisite information was obtained from I/C CRU, who reported that complaint in question is still under consideration/enquiry for finalization. Hence, sought information was denied to the applicant as per provisions of section 8(1)(h) of RTI Act, 2005 vide letter No. 312/CPIO/Hqrs./RTI-2023/D-455 dated 23.06.2023. He further submitted that the aforementioned complaint is still under consideration/enquiry for finalization.

#### **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 pertaining to complaint No. 2022-010533 dated 17.05.2022 filed by Amit Verma against ASI Karan & others i.e. copy of enquiry report.

In reply, CPIO/Hqrs had denied the requisite information to the appellant u/s 8(1)(h) of RTI Act as the complaint in questions was under enquiry at that stage.

So far as the instant appeal is concerned, complaint in question are still under enquiry/consideration. Hence, the complete documents/information cannot be supplied at this stage also and the same is denied u/s 8(1) (h) of RTI Act. It is also pertinent to mention here that the appellant seems to be not directly related to the information asked for under RTI act. Hence, CPIO/Hqrs is hereby directed to consider the provisions of sections 11 and 8(1)(j) of RTI act before supplying the requisite information to the appellant as and when final decision is taken on the above mentioned complaint.

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)
Senior Superintendent of Police
Union Territory, Chandigarh-cum1<sup>st</sup> Appellate Authority.

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