

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

/UT/RTI/SSP, dated: 28 03 22 Appeal Order No. D-340-342

Name of Appellant Sh. Naresh Sharma,

R/o H.No.119, SBS Nagar, Dalhousie Road, Pathankot,

Punjab.

Concerned CPIO CPIO/South

Date of RTI application 05.08.2022

Date of CPIO's Reply 03.09.2022

Date of 1st Appeal 03.09.2022

ORDER

The appellant has preferred instant 1st appeal through online RTI portal vide No. PODEP/A/E/22/00105 dated 03.09.2022 against the disposal of his RTI application bearing No. PODEP/R/E/22/00598 dated 05:08.2022 by CPIO/South with the contentions that incomplete, Misleading or false information has been provided to him.

## INFORMATION SOUGHT IN RTI APPLICATION:-

The appellant vide his RTI application bearing no. PODEP/R/E/22/00598 dated 05.08.2022 had sought copy of his entire criminal record in the Police Stations in Chandigarh after attaching copy of his aadhar card with his RTI application.

## COMMENTS OF CPIO/South: -

Comments of CPIO/South have been obtained who submitted that RTI application of the appellant Naresh Sharma R/O #119, SBS Nagar, Dalhousie road, Pathankot PB was received in his office through online RTI portal vide registration No. PODEP/R/E/22/00598 dated 05.08.2022 in which he sought information concerning to his own entire criminal record after attaching copy of his Aadhar card with the RTI application Accordingly, reports from all the SHOs of Sub Division South were obtained in which they stated that as per their Police Stations record, no criminal record found against the applicant Naresh Sharma R/O #119, SBS Nagar, Dalhousie road, Pathankot Punjab. This information was further conveyed to the appellant on 03.09.2022 vide letter No. 247/CPIO/South dated 31.08.2022 through online RTI portal.

## DECISION :-

I have gone through the contents of RTI application, appeal of the appellant, comments of CPIO/South vis-à-vis material available on record which revealed that appellant vide his RTI application bearing no. PODEP/R/E/22/00598 dated 05.08.2022 had sought copy of his entire criminal record in the Police Stations in Chandigarh after attaching

copy of his Aadhar card with his RTI application. In reply, CPIO/South after obtaining the requisite information from all the SHOs of Sub Division South, informed the appellant on 03.09.2022 through online RTI portal that no criminal record found against the applicant in Sub Division South of Chandigarh Police. Thus, there is neither any delay nor any denial on the part of CPIO/ South.

So far as the instant appeal is concerned, appellant asked for additional information by saying that he did not ask for his criminal record linked to his present address at Pathankot as he was living elsewhere before moving to Pathankot. As appellant himself attached copy of his Aadhar card alongwith his RTI application and the record of Police Stations of Sub Division South was explored on the basis of the address given in that aadhar card, so reply of CPIO is conclusive and not required to be overlooked as no criminal record found exists in Sub Division South against the name and address given in his Aadhaar Card.

It is also pertinent to mention here that appellant has filed numerous 1<sup>st</sup> appeals against the same RTI application and on same matter which were duly replied by this office and every CPIO concerned, resultantly, wasting precious time and resources of public authority unnecessarily. Hence, no more action is warranted on the instant appeal and the same is hereby rejected and disposed of accordingly.

In case, 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.

(Kuldeep Singh Chahal, IPS) Senior Superintendent of Police Union Territory, Chandigarh-cum-1<sup>st</sup> Appellate Authority.

Sh. Naresh Sharma, R/o H.No.119, SBS Nagar, Dalhousie Road, Pathankot, Punjab-145001

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