

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

Appeal Order No. D-431 - 433 /UT/RTI/SSP, dated: 03.11.2023

Name of Appellant : Sh. Ajay Kumar

R/o H. No. B-25, Batala, District- Gurdaspur,

Punjab. Mob. 99102-77871

Date of RTI application : 18.07.2023

Reply of CPIO : 17.08.2023

Date of 1st Appeal : 25.08.2023

Concerned CPIO : CPIO/South-West

ORDER

The appellant has preferred online 1st appeal bearing No. PQDEP/A/E/23/00087 dated 25.08.2023 against the disposal of his online RTI application bearing No. PODEP/R/E/23/00606 dated 18.07.2023 by CPIO/South-West with the contentions that complete information be provided to him.

Information sought vide RTI application :-

The appellant vide his online RTI application had sought information on 03 points regarding complaint bearing No. ICMS/2023/09899 i.e. action taken upon the complaint, copy of statements taken and copy of rules for disposal of complaints by Chandigarh Police.

COMMENTS OF CPIO/South-West :-

CPIO/South-West vide his comments submitted that RTI application of the appellant was received in his office to supply the information regarding complaint bearing No. ICMS/2023/09899. Thereafter, requisite information was obtained from SHO Police Station Maloya who reported that the said complaint is under enquiry. Accordingly, sought information was denied to the applicant as per provisions of section 8(1)(h) of RTI Act, 2005 vide letter No. 163 - RTI/CPIO/South-West Dated 16.08.2023.

DECISION:-

I have gone through the contents of RTI application, appeal of the appellant, comments of CPIO/South-West vis-à-vis material available on record which revealed that the appellant vide his RTI application has sought information on 03 points regarding complaint bearing No. ICMS/2023/09899 i.e. action taken upon complaint, copy of statements taken and copy of rules for disposal of complaints by Chandigarh Police etc.

Thereafter, CPIO/South-West had denied the requisite information to the appellant u/s 8(1)(h) of RTI Act as the aforementioned complaint was under enquiry at that stage.

So far as the appeal is concerned, the information with regard to point Nos. 1 & 2 i.e. action taken on complaint and copy of statements taken, cannot be provided at this stage also as the complaint No. ICMS/2023/09899 is still under enquiry. Further, information in connection

with point No. 3 i.e. copy of rules for disposal of complaints by Chandigarh Police, the appellant has already been apprised that disposal of complaints is being done according to the provisions of Right to Service Act and copy of the same can be obtained from the official website of Chandigarh Administration.

Moreover, CPIO/South-West is hereby directed to provide the sought information w.r.t. point nos. 1 & 2 to the appellant in accordance with RTI act as and when the complaint in question is finalized and if no case FIR is registered on the said complaint.

With these observations, instant appeal stands disposed off.

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-cum-1st Appellate Authority.

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- 1 CPIO/South-West
- 2 Computer Section.