THE SUPERINTENDENT OF POLICE HQs.-CUM-APPELLATE AUTHORITY-ESTABLISHMENT, UNDER RIGHT TO INFORMATION ACT, 2005.

ORDER

Order on First Appeal u/s 19 RTI Act.

This is an order on an online appeal preferred by Sh. Harpreet Singh Badali (advocate), Village- Badali, Near Kurali, Distt. Ropar, Punjab under RTI Act 2005, received in this office through the registered post bearing No. RP973017409IN on 11.10.2021, against the disposal of his RTI Application by the CPIO/Establishment.

- The appellant, vide his RTI application dated 18.08.2021 under RTI Act 2005, had requested Public Information Officer, DGP Office, Chandigarh Police HQs. to supply him some information regarding Vigilance report of applicants applied for the Award of Commendation certificate on 26th January and 15th August of 2015 to 2021. Incharge, Public Window (PHQ)-cum Central Assistant Public Information officer, Police Headquarters (UT) transferred the RTI Application to CPIO/Establishment vide No. 826/RTI/CAPIO (PHQ)/UT/PWs dated 19.08.2021 and the CPIO/Establishment dispose of the RTI application vide No. 142/RTI-2021/CPIO (Estt.)/UT/27302 dated 8.09.2021.
- (3) The appellant, not satisfied with the manner his RTI application has been disposed of, filed the instant appeal aggrieving that CPIO has rejected information sought by the appellant which is completely vague and patently illegal and against the spirits of the Constitution of India and the RTI Act.
- (4) Comments of CPIO/Establishment have been called for. I have gone through the RTI appeal, vis-a-vis facts of the RTI application & comments by CPIO/Establishment. The information sought by the appellant, supplied by the CPIO, grievance of the appellant and the order/decision of the undersigned being first appellate authority is given below:-

Information sought in RTI application	Information provided by CPIO	Grievances raised in First Appeal	Decision of First Appellate Authori	ty
1. Please provide the certified copies of positive/negative Vigilance verification reports of all the applicants applied for the Award of Commendation Certificate. 2. Please provide the certified copies of list of applicants applied for the Award of Commendation certificate.	The requisite information from Point No.1 & 2 sought vide application dated 19.08.2021 has no relationship to any public activity or interest, hence the same is denied under section 8 (1) (e) of RTI Act 2005.	August 2021, which was rejected by CPIO. The ground for rejection of my RTI dated Aug 18 2021 file with the UT Police HQ is completely vague and patently illegal and against the spirits of the Constitution		the

	18/08/2021 or alternatively direct the relevant authority to provide me the information at the earliest in the interest of the public at large.	
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The appeal is disposed of accordingly.

The appellant, if not satisfied with the disposal of appeal in the manner as above can file second appeal to the Hon'ble Chief Information Commission, CIC Bhawan, Baba Gangnath Marg, Munrika, New Delhi-110067 within a period of 90 days.

Manoj Kumar Meena IPS
Superintendent of Police, HQs.,
-cum-Appellate Authority/Estt.,
Under RTI Act, U.T., Chandigarh.

Sh. Harpreet Singh Badali (Advocate), Village- Badali, Near Kurali, Distt. Ropar, Punjab.

No. D- \$31-33 /RTI/SP/HQs. dated Chandigarh, the: - 22 10 2021.

Copies to: -

- 1. DSP-cum-CPIO/Estt. for necessary action.
- 2. 17C Computer Section for updating the Web.