

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH.**

LPA No.150 of 2020 (O&M)
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**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJIV SHARMA
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARINDER SINGH SIDHU**

Present: Mr. D.S. Patwalia, Sr. Advocate,
Mr. D.V. Singh, Sr. Advocate with
Mr. Tushar Sharma, Advocate for the appellant.

Mr. S.P.S. Tinna, Addl. Advocate General, Punjab.

Mr. T.S. Chadha, Advocate.

Rajiv Sharma, J.(oral)

Both the aforesaid appeals being interconnected, are taken up together.

Appellant has confined his submission that he has not been supplied with documents mentioned in the two charge-sheets prior to the appointment of the Enquiry Officer.

Mr. Tinna, learned Addl. Advocate General, Punjab submits that the documents would be supplied within one week to enable the appellant to file reply to the charge-sheet issued to him. Thereafter, it shall be open to the appellant to file his reply within two weeks after the receipt of the documents. The disciplinary authority shall take into consideration the reply filed by the appellant to the charge-sheet and decide whether the enquiry has to be commenced for inflicting major penalty or minor penalty.

With this observation, both the LPAs are disposed of. Appointment of the Enquiry Officer is deferred till four weeks.

(RAJIV SHARMA)
JUDGE

(HARINDER SINGH SIDHU)
JUDGE

January 30, 2020
'Rajpal'

Whether speaking / reasoned Yes / No

Whether Reportable: Yes / No