

IN THE HIGH COURT FOR THE STATES OF PUNJAB
AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH.

CWP No. 18772 of 2015. [O&M]
Date of Decision: 07th September, 2015.

Gopal Singh
Versus
Petitioner through
Ms. Meenakshi Poswal, Advocate

State of Haryana & Ors. Respondents.

**CORAM:HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SURYA KANT
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH**

- 1. Whether Reporters of local papers may be allowed to see the judgment?**
- 2. To be referred to the Reporters or not?**
- 3. Whether the judgment should be reported in the Digest?**

SURYA KANT, J. [ORAL]

Notice of motion.

On our asking, Ms. Kirti Singh, DAG, Haryana, accepts notice on behalf of respondents No. 1 to 6. Counsel for the petitioner undertakes to supply three copies of the writ petition to the State Counsel during the course of the day.

Respondent No. 7 is not required to be served at this stage.

Keeping in view the nature of order which we propose to pass, no reply is required to be filed by the respondents.

The petitioner is a resident of village Laloda, Tehsil Tohana, District Fatehabad. He seeks a Mandamus to direct the official respondents as well as Gram Panchayat of his village to construct the Chaupal on the land comprised in Khasra Numbers 44//11/2[1-0], 12/1[2-0]. It is averred that the above stated land was in un-authorised occupation and was got vacated.

Thereafter, Gram Panchayat got the grant for the construction of a Chaupal at the said site but suddenly the construction work has been stopped.

It is in this back-drop that the above stated direction has been sought.

Having heard learned counsel for the parties, we are of the considered view that the question whether the Chaupal should be constructed at the same site or some where else has to be decided by the Competent Authority. However, if any grant in aid has been received for the construction of Chaupal, Deputy Commissioner, Fatehabad shall ensure that the same is utilised within a reasonable time for the earmarked public purpose. Let an appropriate decision by the Deputy Commissioner, Fatehabad be taken within a period of two months from the date a certified copy of this order is received.

Disposed of. Dasti.

**(SURYA KANT)
JUDGE**

**September 07, 2015.
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**(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE**