

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

CWP No.5303 of 2013

Date of decision: 07.04.2015

The Gehal Multipurpose Coop. Agriculture Service

....Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab and others

....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK SIBAL

Present: Mr. P.S. Dhaliwal, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Ms. Minakshi Goyal AAG. Punjab.

DEEPAK SIBAL, J. (Oral)

Learned counsel for the petitioner restricts his claim at this stage to challenge the order dated 10.01.2013 (Annexure P-4) passed by Joint Registrar Cooperative Societies, Patiala, while deciding the revision filed by the petitioner challenging order dated 06.07.2011 through which the Deputy Registrar, Cooperative Societies, Sangrur, had set aside the termination orders of respondent No.4. Learned counsel submits that the order is non-speaking and bereft of any reason and on that score, deserves to be set aside.

I have perused the order dated 10.01.2013 (Annexure P-4) passed by Joint Registrar Cooperative Societies, Patiala and find the same to be a non-speaking order which is bereft of any reason. No plea as raised by the petitioner has been discussed and consequently, no finding thereupon has

been recorded.

Once a statutory petition has been filed, then it is expected that the same would be dealt with by passing a reasoned and speaking order which has not been done in the case in hand.

In view of the above facts, the order dated 10.01.2013 passed by Joint Registrar Cooperative Societies, Patiala (Annexure P-4) is hereby quashed and the matter is remitted back to the same Authority to consider and decide the revision petition filed by the petitioner by passing a speaking order after affording an opportunity of hearing to the petitioner, preferably within four months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order.

Needless to add that the decision so taken shall be communicated to the petitioner and if the decision is not to the satisfaction of the petitioner, he would be at liberty to challenge the same in accordance with law.

Writ petition stands allowed in the aforesaid terms.

(Deepak Sibal)
Judge

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