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

CWP No. 8031 of 2015

Date of decision: 28.04.2015

Jagsir Singh

..... Petitioner

Versus

The State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

**CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE RAJIVE BHALLA
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMOL RATTAN SINGH**

Present:- Mr. Raj Kaushik, Advocate
for the petitioner.

RAJIVE BHALLA, J (ORAL).

The petitioner prays for issuance of a writ of mandamus directing the official respondents to take cognizance of the petitioner's complaints, reports submitted by the Sub Divisional Magistrate (Annexures P-2 and P-2/1) and to take appropriate steps to ensure that land belonging to the Gram Panchayat is freed from unauthorized occupants.

We have heard the counsel for the petitioner.

Without expressing any opinion on the merits of the contentions, the writ petition is disposed of by directing the Deputy Commissioner, Bathinda, to examine the matter and in case he is prima facie satisfied that any person is in unauthorized occupation of land

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belonging to the Gram Panchayat, direct initiation of proceedings against unauthorized occupants, as permissible in law. If not, he will pass a speaking order giving reasons for rejecting the petitioners' contentions.

The needful be done **within 2 months** of receipt of a certified copy of this order.

**(RAJIVE BHALLA)
JUDGE**

**(AMOL RATTAN SINGH)
JUDGE**

28.04.2015
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