

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH.

CWP No. 8188 of 2015

Date of decision: 30.4.2015

Amolak Singh

... Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

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

Present: Mr.S.S.Gurna, Advocate,
for the petitioner

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RAJIVE BHALLA, J. (Oral)

The petitioner prays for issuance of a writ in the nature of
mandamus directing the respondents to decide his representation.

We have heard counsel for the petitioner.

The representation (Annexure P-1) raises multiple issues
primarily for removal of the Sarpanch and the unauthorised occupation
of Gram Panchayat land.

Consequently, we dispose of the writ petition by granting
liberty to the petitioner to file a detailed representation, before the
Deputy Commissioner, Patiala, bringing the alleged unauthorised
occupation of the Shamlat Deh land of Gram Panchayat Patti Kartarpur,
Block Bhunerheri, Tehsil and District Patiala, to his notice. In case

such a representation is filed, it shall be considered and decided by the Deputy Commissioner, Patiala. If any person is found in unauthorised occupation of Gram Panchayat land, the Deputy Commissioner shall direct the Gram Panchayat to initiate appropriate proceeding, in accordance with law, within a period of 03 months.

In case the Deputy Commissioner finds the Sarpanch in unauthorised occupation of Gram Panchayat land, or in connivance with any of her family members who are in occupation of such land, he would initiate action as regards the conduct of the Sarpanch, in accordance with law. We make it clear that we have not expressed any opinion, whatsoever, with regard to the allegations raised by the petitioner, in this petition.

(RAJIVE BHALLA)
JUDGE

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JUDGE