

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA

AT CHANDIGARH

FAO No.1911 of 2015 (O&M)
and Cross Objection No.72-CII of 2015
Date of decision: 26.05.2015

Dilbag Singh

..... Appellant

versus

Jagtar Singh and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: Hon'ble Mr. Justice Kuldeep Singh

Present: Mr. Parveen K. Katareia, Advocate for the appellant
Mr. Rakesh Gupta, Advocate for respondent No.1

1. *Whether Reporters of Local Newspapers 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?*

Kuldeep Singh, J. (Oral)

Appellant has filed this appeal against the order dated 30.1.2015 passed by the Deputy Commissioner-cum-Election Tribunal, Tarn Taran, vide which, recounting of the votes was ordered to be done on 9.2.2015.

During pendency of this appeal, this Court, vide order dated 20.3.2015, ordered the recounting of votes. The recounting was done and the result has been forwarded to this Court by concerned Deputy Commissioner, stating that Jagtar Singh was polled 514 votes, whereas Dilbagh Singh was polled 543 votes. The Election Petition is still pending before the Deputy Commissioner-cum-Election Tribunal, Tarn Taran and is yet to be decided on merits.

In view of the fact that recounting has been done on the

orders of this Court, this appeal has become infructuous. The objection, if any, can be raised before the Election Tribunal. Let the Election Tribunal decide the petition on merits considering the recounting done on the orders of this Court.

Cross objections are also accordingly disposed of.

26.05.2015

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**(Kuldip Singh)
Judge**