

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

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**CWP No.2011 of 2016 (O&M)**

**Date of Decision: 01.02.2016**

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Rajesh

... Petitioner

VS.

State of Haryana & Ors.

... Respondents

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

**HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE P.B. BAJANTHRI**

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Present: Mr. Fateh Saini, Advocate for the petitioner

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**SURYA KANT, J. (Oral)**

(1) The petitioner seeks a direction for setting aside the election of respondent No.6 as Sarpanch of Village Kharak Punia, Tehsil Barwala & District Hisar as the latter is alleged to have adopted 'corrupt practices' during the elections.

(2) The election has already held on 17.01.2016 rendering this writ petition as infructuous. However, the petitioner has got the efficacious alternative remedy to file the election petition.

(3) The instant writ petition is disposed of as infructuous with liberty to the petitioner to institute the election petition, if so advised, however, keeping in view all the attending circumstances, the Election Tribunal is directed to ensure that the election petition, if so filed, is decided within *six months*.

(4) Disposed of.

**(Surya Kant)**  
**Judge**

**0102.2016**  
*vishal shonkar*

**(P.B. Bajanthri)**  
**Judge**