

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

Civil Writ Petition No.8857 of 2016

Date of Decision: May 09, 2016

Rupinder Singh

....Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE SURYA KANT.
HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE A.B.CHAUDHARI.

Present: Mr.Nitesh Singhi, Advocate, for the petitioner.

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1. *Whether Reporters of Local papers 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?*

Surya Kant, J. (Oral)

The petitioner is a resident of village Khattara-Chuhram, Tehsil and District Ludhiana. He alleges that some private-persons have encroached upon the Gram Panchayat land comprising the village 'Pond' and no action is being taken against those encroachers. The petitioner in this regard is said to have made complaints to various authorities including the Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana and the District Development and Panchayat Officer, Ludhiana, but finding no response thereto, the instant writ petition has been filed.

Having heard learned counsel for the petitioner and considering the allegations of encroaching upon the Gram Panchayat land but without expressing any views on merits thereof, we dispose of this writ petition with a direction to the Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana and the District Development

and Panchayat Officer, Ludhiana, to look into the matter and take necessary action as may be required in accordance with law and principles of natural justice, within a period of three months from the date of receiving a certified copy of this order.

Ordered accordingly.

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**(SURYA KANT)
JUDGE**

May 09, 2016

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**(A.B.CHAUDHARI)
JUDGE**