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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CWP No.8957 of 2016

Date of decision: May 09, 2016

Sukhwinder 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. Narinder Singh Lucky, Advocate
for the petitioner.

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 alleges that the private respondents in collusion and connivance with Gram Panchayat have encroached upon the *Shamlat Deh* land, comprising the village pond. He seeks a direction for removal of the unauthorised possession. Some photographs have been referred to in support of the plea that while constructing the house, the pond area has been encroached upon.

The petitioner is stated to have made a complaint-cum-representation dated 07.04.2016 (Annexure P-2) also.

Keeping in view the factual issues regarding

encroachment over the village pond, we dispose of this writ petition without expressing any views on merits of the allegations, with a direction to respondents No.2 to 4 to ascertain the facts and take remedial steps as may be required in accordance with law and principles of natural justice as soon as possible but not later than two months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

**[SURYA KANT]
JUDGE**

**[A.B. CHAUDHARI]
JUDGE**

May 09, 2016
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