

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP No. 9772 of 2016 (O&M)
Date of decision: 5.9.2016

Tarsem Singh

.. Petitioner

v.

State of Punjab and others

.. Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BINDAL
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARINDER SINGH SIDHU

Present: Mr. S. S. Swaich, Advocate for the petitioner.
Mr. Jagmohan Bansal, Addl. Advocate General, Punjab.
Mr. A. S. Salar, Advocate for respondents No. 5 to 11.

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Rajesh Bindal J.

The petitioner, who is elected Sarpanch of Gram Panchayat Bhindran, Block and District Sangrur, has filed the present petition impugning the order dated 27.4.2016, passed by District Development and Panchayat Officer, Sangrur, whereby Block Development and Panchayat Officer has been appointed as Administrator of Gram Panchayat, Bhindran.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that though the period, for which the Administrator was appointed, has already expired, however, LPA No. 1505 of 2014—Sona Kaur v. Director Rural Development and others was disposed of on 3.9.2015 in the similar circumstances opining that no Administrator of Gram Panchayat be appointed in future and the elected representative shall be allowed to handle the affairs of the village in accordance with rules, Government instructions and the Statute.

Learned counsels for the respondents do not dispute the fact that the facts of the case in hand and those under consideration in Sona Kaur's case (supra) were identical, hence, the present petition can be disposed of in terms thereof.

Heard learned counsel for the parties and perused the paper book.

As the issues raised in the present petition are identical to those under consideration in Sona Kaur's case (supra), the present petition is disposed of in the same terms.

(Rajesh Bindal)
Judge

(Harinder Singh Sidhu)
Judge

5.9.2016
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Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes/No
Whether reportable:	Yes/No