

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

**CWP No.14866 of 2017
Date of Decision: 12.07.2017**

Pawan Kumar

....Petitioner

Vs.

State of Haryana and others

....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE RAKESH KUMAR JAIN

Present: Mr.Rakesh Bakshi, Advocate, for the petitioner.

RAKESH KUMAR JAIN, J. (ORAL)

This petition is filed for seeking direction to the Commissioner, Ambala Division, Ambala to decide the appeal, which is lying pending with him, filed against the order passed by the Deputy Commissioner, Ambala.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the appeal was filed on 28.10.2016 but hearing of that appeal has been adjourned at the instance of the officer and no adjournment has been taken by the petitioner. On 4.7.2017, the case has been adjourned to 22.11.2017. It is submitted that in this manner the hearing of this case would never come, therefore, a prayer has been made for the aforesaid direction.

I have heard learned counsel for the petitioner.

The prayer made by the petitioner in this case is innocuous inasmuch as a direction is being sought for deciding his appeal within a prescribed time. Believing the statement of the petitioner that he is not a party causing delay in disposal of that appeal, the present petition is hereby disposed of with a direction to the Commissioner, Ambala Division, Ambala, who is seized of the appeal of the petitioner filed

against the order of the Deputy Commissioner, Ambala to decide the same as early as possible, preferably within a period of three months from the date on which it is listed i.e. 22.11.2017.

12.07.2017
Vivek

(RAKESH KUMAR JAIN)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned *Yes/No*
Whether reportable *Yes/No*