

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

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**Civil Writ Petition No.21255 of 2017
Date of Decision: 18.09.2017**

Varun Shoekand

...Petitioner

versus

State of Haryana and others

...Respondents

***CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AJAY KUMAR MITTAL
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMIT RAWAL***

Present: Mr. Maninder Arora, Advocate for the petitioner.

AJAY KUMAR MITTAL, J. (Oral)

The prayer in this petition filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India is for issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus directing the respondents to allow the public as well as persons of Economic Weaker Section of society to use the State Sports Complex, Sector 12, Faridabad and the facilities available therein on the payment of nominal charges fixed by the Deputy Commissioner from time to time as no other Govt. sport complex is there in that vicinity and the companies who have been given the tenders to run the specific sport are charging huge amounts (₹3,000/- to ₹ 15,000/- per month per head for Lawn Tennis and ₹ 250/- per hour and ₹ 4500/- per month for swimming pool), as membership fee from public in the name of maintenance of

Complex. Further prayer has also been made to direct the official respondents to ensure free usage of complex ground by the children and general public of the said area or there should be some nominal rates for the sport activities for its regular maintenance, which should be displayed inside as well as outside of the premises of sport complex.

2. After arguing for sometime, learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that he may be allowed to withdraw the present writ petition with liberty to the petitioner to file a representation before the appropriate authority or to avail any other alternative remedy as may be available to him, in accordance with law.

3. Dismissed as withdrawn. It shall, however, be open to the petitioner to take recourse to the remedies as may be available to him, in accordance with law.

(AJAY KUMAR MITTAL)
JUDGE

September 18, 2017
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(AMIT RAWAL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned?

Yes/No

Whether reportable?

Yes/No