

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

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**Civil Writ Petition No.22688 of 2017
Date of Decision: October 04, 2017**

Shiv Kumar Sharma

...Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

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

Present: Mr. Adarsh Jain, Advocate for the petitioner.

AJAY KUMAR MITTAL, J. (Oral)

The prayer in this petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India is for issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus, directing the respondents to ascertain and take charge of properties of the State Government and to take steps for removal of encroachment, unauthorized occupation, unauthorized construction and to consider whether the private respondents and others like them, have manipulated the record of Municipal Council, Dera Bassi and got transferred the property in collusion with officials and to take action against persons, who despite stating that encroached land belongs to the State Government, have stated that no action is required as per letter dated 09.02.2016 (Annexure P-10) and to preserve the properties of the State Government.

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 approach the Civil Court by way of filing civil suit 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 Dismissed as withdrawn.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

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Whether speaking/reasoned?

Yes/No

Whether reportable?

Yes/No