

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP No. 8835 of 2017
Date of Decision : 23.05.2017

Anil Kumar

...Petitioner

Versus

The Additional Commissioner of Customs, Ludhiana

...Respondent

CORAM: *HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE S.J. VAZIFDAR, CHIEF JUSTICE*
 HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. Amandeep Singh Talwar, Advocate for the petitioner.

 Mr. Sourabh Goel, Advocate for the respondent.

S.J. VAZIFDAR, C.J.(Oral)

As we found it difficult to understand the petition and to ensure that there was no miscarriage of justice on account of petitioner's not having legal representation, we requested Mr. Amandeep Singh Talwar to appear as Amicus Curiae. At the outset we must record our appreciation of the assistance willingly rendered by the learned Amicus Curiae.

2. The petitioner had imported material, which he claims to be knitted Scarves and shawls, whereas the respondent has contended that there is a mis-declaration. An order of provisional release has been made. The petitioner has not been able to avail of the same as according to him the amount is too high as compared to the value of the goods.

3. The petitioner's apprehension is that even the final adjudication would take time and in view of certain grievances expressed by him in

respect of the Officers they would be biased against him.

4. With a view to leaving no scope for grievance, we would direct the Commissioner Customs to pass the final order of adjudication. Mr. Goyal states that a show cause notice will be issued latest by 30.05.2017. The petitioner agrees to file the reply latest by 07.06.2017. The petitioner shall on 07.06.2017 appear before the Commissioner at 11.00 A.M. in the first instance and thereafter as directed by the Commissioner. The Commissioner is requested to pass the final order of adjudication by 30.06.2017.

5. The writ petition is disposed of in above terms.

(S.J. VAZIFDAR)
CHIEF JUSTICE

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned? Yes/No

Whether reportable? Yes/No