

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

CWP No. 12648 of 2018 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 18.05.2018

Gram Panchayat Machhriwal

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AVNEESH JHINGAN

Present: Mr. Surinder Thakur, Advocate
for the petitioner.

AVNEESH JHINGAN, J.(oral)

The present petition has been filed for quashing the order dated 8.5.2018, Annexure P-4, passed by the District Development and Panchayat Officer, Hoshiarpur.

The issues raised in the writ petition are disputed questions of facts. In a writ petition under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, such questions cannot be decided. The issue involved is whether dirty water of the village is to be diverted from one pond to other pond. There is a remedy with the petitioner under Section 200(1) of the Punjab Panchayati Raj Act, 1994.

In view of the disputed questions of facts, no case for interference is made out.

The writ petition is dismissed.

The petitioner would be at liberty to avail alternative remedy.

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**(AVNEESH JHINGAN)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether Reportable:

Yes/No
Yes/No