

Sr.No.120
IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA CHANDIGARH

CWP NO.271 OF 2018(O&M)
Date of Decision: 11.01.2018

Gram Panchayat DarapurPetitioner

versus

Deputy Commissioner, Hoshiarpur and othersRespondent

CORAM HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MAHESH GROVER
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJBIR SEHRAWAT

Present Mr.Aditya Dassana, Advocate for the petitioner.

MAHESH GROVER, J(ORAL)

The present petition has been filed under Article 226 and 227 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a writ in the nature of Certiorari for quashing the letter dated 557 dated 17.12.2017 (Annexure P-16), memo No. 3801 dated 18.12.2017 (Annexure P-17), memo No. 3849 dated 20.12.2017 (Annexure P-19) and memo No.3870-71 dated 22.12.2017 (Annexure P-21) thereby initiating the enquiry against the petitioner.

The petitioner pleads that the enquiry initiated against him is politically motivated and in this regard he refers to certain other litigation that has been going on between the petitioner and one of the private respondents as also some of the officials.

After hearing learned counsel for the petitioner, we are of the opinion that these are not issues on the basis of which we can throttle the enquiry. The petitioner would have a right to bring forward material to prove the charges against him are wrong as also show that the enquiry is

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motivated and if for some reason an adverse order is passed those would be issues to be raised at that point of time as well. For the moment when there is no order adverse to the petitioner we would decline interference and dismiss the petition but with direction that the enquiry process be completed as expeditiously as possible but not later than six months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

Dismissed.

(MAHESH GROVER)
JUDGE

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(RAJBIR SEHRAWAT)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable

Yes/No
Yes/No