

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

CWP-10996-2019

Date of decision: 29.4.2019

Akshay Kumar and another

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present: Mr.RK Garg, Advocate for the petitioners

JITENDRA CHAUHAN, J.

This writ petition under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India has been filed for the issuance of direction to respondent Nos. 1 to 5 for taking appropriate action against respondent Nos. 7 to 9 on account of misappropriating the panchayat funds/ grant to the tune of Rs.4,90,210/-, which was assessed by Sub Divisional Officer (P.R.) Dasuya.

Learned counsel for the petitioners states that at this stage he would be satisfied, if a direction is issued to respondent No.2 Director, Rural Development and Panahayts Department, Punjab to consider and take final view on the enquiry report dated 8.8.2018 (Annexure P-4) expeditiously.

Notice of motion.

At the asking of the Court, Mr.Vikas Mohan Gupta, Addl.AG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State. Copy of the paper book has been supplied to him in the Court.

In view of the above, without advertng to the merits of the case, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2 Director, Rural Development and Panahayts Department, Punjab to consider and take final view on the enquiry report dated 8.8.2018 (Annexure P-4) within six weeks from the date of receipt of the certified copy of the judgment. In case, on consideration, the competent authority reaches to the conclusion that the benefit claimed by the petitioners is admissible to them, in such eventuality, the consequential relief be allowed to them, within a period of six weeks thereafter. However, in case the competent authority feels that the relief claimed by the petitioners is not admissible or made out, in that case, a speaking order be passed in the matter.

29.4.2019
gsv

[JITENDRA CHAUHAN]
JUDGE

Whether speaking / reasoned?

Yes / No

Whether reportable?

Yes / No