

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

**CWP No.11359 of 2019
Date of Decision :03.05.2019**

Ram Kumar

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE KRISHNA MURARI, CHIEF JUSTICE
HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE ARUN PALLI, JUDGE**

Present : Mr. HPS Bhinder, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr.Shireesh Gupta, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

KRISHNA MURARI, CHIEF JUSTICE (Oral):

We have heard learned counsel for the petitioner and Mr. Shireesh Gupta, Sr. DAG, Punjab for the State-respondents.

Undisputedly, against the order impugned in this petition passed by the Director Food, Civil Supplies & Consumer Affairs, Punjab, dated 23.04.2019, not only a second appeal is provided under Clause-14 before the Principal Secretary Food, Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs, Punjab, under Policy for Transportation of Food Grains (Year 2019-20), but as a fact the petitioner has availed the same by filing an appeal which is stated to be pending. In such circumstances, we are not inclined to entertain the writ petition challenging the order against which an appeal has been filed, which is pending. However, considering the facts and circumstances, we disposed of this writ petition by directing respondent No.1-Principal

Secretary, Department of Food, Civil Supplies & Consumer Affairs, Punjab,
to decide the appeal filed by the petitioner against the order dated
23.04.2019, within ten (10) days from the date of receipt of certified copy of
this order, in accordance with law, by passing a reasoned and speaking
order after notice and opportunity of hearing to all the stake holders.

A copy of this order be given dasti under the signature of
Bench Secretary of this Court.

(KRISHNA MURARI)
CHIEF JUSTICE

(ARUN PALLI)
JUDGE

03.05.2019

Manoj Bhutani

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No