

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARAYANA AT CHANDIGARH

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CWP-29564-2018 (O&M)

Date of decision: 21.02.2019

NISHAN SINGH

...PETITIONER

VS.

STATE OF HARYANA AND OTHERS

...RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH

Present: Mr. Pankaj Middha, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Pradeep Prakash Chahar, DAG, Haryana,
for the State.

Mr. Sajjan Singh, Advocate,
for respondent No. 8.

AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH, J. (ORAL)

In compliance with the order dated 10.12.2018 passed by this Court, affidavit dated 18.02.2019 of the Deputy Commissioner, Panipat-respondent No. 2 has been filed in Court. According to the said affidavit, the Additional Deputy Commissioner, Panipat was, vide order dated 15.02.2019, appointed as the enquiry officer and directed to submit a report. On enquiry, report dated 18.02.2019 (Annexure R-1) has been submitted. As per the said report, the demarcation report submitted by the Local Commissioner appointed by the then Tehsildar, Panipat vide order dated 04.08.2016 was not found to be a valid demarcation report at all as there were various illegalities and shortcomings in that report. Further details

have also been mentioned in the affidavit, which the Court would not like to further elaborate in the light of the subsequent averment that the Deputy Commissioner, Panipat has already issued show cause notice to the then Tehsildar, Panipat to explain his position with reference to the report of the Additional Deputy Commissioner, Panipat dated 18.02.2019.

In the light of the above, this Court is sanguine that the Deputy Commissioner will take appropriate steps, in accordance with law, which would be required at the earliest preferably within a period of two months.

It is made clear that any observations made by this Court shall have no bearing on any of the proceedings pending or otherwise before any authority. It may be added here that the persons, whosoever concerned, may avail of their remedy(s) in accordance with law

Writ petition stands disposed of accordingly.

February 21, 2019

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**(AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether Reportable : Yes/No