

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

**CWP No.6307 of 2020 (O&M)
Date of decision: 06.03.2020**

Surja ...Petitioner
Versus
State of Haryana and others ...Respondents

**Coram: Hon'ble Mr. Justice Rakesh Kumar Jain
Hon'ble Mr. Justice Ashok Kumar Verma**

Present: Mr. Mohit Rathee, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Rakesh Kumar Jain, J. (Oral)

The petitioner is a resident of village Bilandpur, Tehsil Ganaur, District Sonapat. He has challenged the Order dated 30.04.2010 by which application filed by the Gram Panchayat (Respondent No.4) under Section 7 of the Punjab Village Common Lands (Regulation) Act, 1961 (for short 'the Act'), was dismissed in default and no application for restoration was filed by the Gram Panchayat.

We have heard learned counsel for the petitioner and perused the record with his able assistance.

Firstly, the petitioner does not have any locus standi to file the writ petition for quashing the order dated 30.04.2010 and secondly, the petitioner has an independent right, being an inhabitant of the village to file an application under Section 7 of the Act.

Faced with these observations, counsel for the petitioner prays for withdrawal of the writ petition with liberty to avail his remedy, in accordance with provision of Section 7 of the Act, if so advised.

Dismissed as withdrawn with liberty granted.

**[RAKESH KUMAR JAIN]
JUDGE**

**[ASHOK KUMAR VERMA]
JUDGE**

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