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

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CWP-12134-2020

Date of Decision: 17th December, 2020

Jagdeep Singal

Petitioner

Versus

Allahabad Bank, Ludhiana and others

Respondents

**CORAM: JUSTICE S. MURALIDHAR
JUSTICE AVNEESH JHINGAN**

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Present: Mr. Atul Sharma, Advocate for the Petitioner.

Mr. Vijay Sharma, Advocate for the Respondents.

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Dr. S. Muralidhar, J.

1. It is seen that pursuant to the order dated 8th January, 2020 of this Court in CWP-274-2020, filed earlier by the Petitioner, the Petitioner had submitted a detailed representation dated 13th January, 2020 in regard to him being declared a willful defaulter. It appears that this representation has not been decided till date.

2. Mr. Vijay Sharma, learned Counsel for the Respondents/ Allahabad Bank, which is now merged with Indian Bank, states that notwithstanding the order dated 14th December, 2020, which only deals with the earlier representation dated 7th October, 2019, the Petitioner's detailed representation dated 13th January, 2020 will now be placed for consideration before the Willful Defaulter Review Committee ('WDRC') and the decision of the WDRC, after hearing the Petitioner at a date that will be communicated to the Petitioner at least 10 days in advance, shall be taken, in any event, not later than 29th January, 2021. A copy of the

decision of the WDRC should be made available to the Petitioner not later than 5th February, 2021.

3. If the Petitioner is aggrieved by such decision of the WDRC, it will be open to the Petitioner to seek appropriate remedies in accordance with law.

4. The petition is disposed of in above terms.

[S. MURALIDHAR]
JUDGE

[AVNEESH JHINGAN]
JUDGE

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Whether speaking / reasoned: Yes / No

Whether reportable : Yes / No