

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CWP No.16504 of 2020

Date of Decision:09.11.2020

Ishrail Khan

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and others

..... Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MRS.JUSTICE LISA GILL

Present: Mr. Ravi Malik, Advocate
for the petitioner.

LISA GILL, J(Oral).

This matter is being taken up for hearing through video conferencing due to outbreak of the pandemic, COVID-19.

Prayer in this writ petition is for issuance of a direction to the respondents to provide complete information to the petitioner under the Right to Information Act, 2005 (for short 'RTI' Act). It is further prayed that penal amount may kindly be imposed upon the respondents as per Section 20 of the RTI Act, 2005. A further direction to the respondents, has also been sought to decide representation dated 25.03.2020 (Annexure P-3), moved by the petitioner, within a stipulated time.

It is submitted that despite a direction issued by the State Information Commissioner, Haryana, vide order dated 25.06.2019, requisite information is not being furnished neither is any action is being taken against any official.

However, it is not denied that the matter is pending before the learned State Information Commissioner, Haryana and is now listed for 20.11.2020.

In this view of the matter, learned counsel for the petitioner seeks to withdraw this writ petition with liberty to the petitioner to avail the remedy/ remedies as may be available to him.

Petition is accordingly dismissed as withdrawn with liberty as aforementioned.

09.11.2020

s.khan

[LISA GILL]

Judge

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