

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

**CWP No. 17818 of 2020(O&M)
Date of Decision: 28.10. 2020.**

Malkiat Singh PETITIONER

Versus

State of Punjab and others RESPONDENT (s)

CORAM:- HON'BLE MRS.JUSTICE LISA GILL

Present: Ms. G.K.Mann, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Abhaypal Singh Gill, AAG., Punjab.

LISA GILL, J.

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 writ in the nature of certiorari for orally dismissing the appeal (Annexure P-4), filed by the petitioner against order dated 29.01.2020 (Annexure P-3), passed by respondent no.3- District Food and Supplies Controller, Pathankot, Mini Secretariat, District Pathankot.

It is submitted that supply depot license of the petitioner was cancelled vide order dated 29.01.2020 (Annexure P-3). Appeal was filed by the petitioner. It is contended that the petitioner's appeal has been rejected orally and no specific order has been passed.

Learned counsel for the respondent-State, to whom an advance copy of the writ petition has been supplied, was directed to seek instructions in this respect.

Mr. Abhaypal Singh Gill, AAG., Punjab, on instructions from

Jaspreet Singh, Additional Secretary, Department of Food, Civil Supply and Consumer Affairs, informs that the petitioner's appeal has not been dismissed as yet and is still pending for 06.11.2020. It is submitted that the petitioner/his counsel should appear before the concerned authority on the said date and present his case.

In this view of the matter, learned counsel for the petitioner seeks to withdraw this writ petition, at this stage and pursue his appeal before the competent authority.

Writ petition is accordingly dismissed as withdrawn.

October 28, 2020.

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(LISA GILL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether reportable: Yes/No