

CWP-18826-2020

Date of decision: 09.11.2020

Vikas Mann

.....Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE FATEH DEEP SINGH**Present:** Mr. M.S. Joshi, Advocate
for the petitioner.**FATEH DEEP SINGH, J. (ORAL)**

Due to outbreak of pandemic COVID-19, the instant case is being taken up for hearing through video conferencing.

The petitioner has invoked the jurisdiction of this Court in terms of Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India seeking prayer by way of writ of *mandamus* for issuance of directions to the official respondents to take final decision on the representation (Annexure P4) immediately as there is risk of life of child and the child Harman requires proper food, protection, care and proper education.

Counsel for the petitioner has also made statement giving up respondents No.7 to 9. In light of the same, service of respondents No.7 to 9 is hereby dispensed with.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Shireesh Gupta, Senior DAG, Punjab has put in appearance and accepts notice on behalf of the official respondents No.1 to 6-State. Copy supplied.

Service is complete.

Heard.

Upon hearing learned counsel of both the sides and on perusal of the records, the present petition stands disposed off with the directions to the official respondents to consider and decide the representation dated 08.10.2020 (Annexure P-4), moved by the petitioner, by passing a speaking order, in accordance with law, preferably within a period of 15 days from the date of receipt of the copy of this order.

The petition stands disposed off accordingly.

09.11.2020

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**(FATEH DEEP SINGH)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No