

Civil Writ Petition No. 21561 of 2019 (O&M)

Date of decision : January 10, 2020

Mamta

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

....Respondents

**CORAM:- HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE LISA GILL**

Present: None for the petitioner.

Ms. Safia Gupta, AAG, Haryana

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**LISA GILL, J.**

This petition has been filed seeking direction to respondents No. 2 to 4 to decide representations dated 07.03.2018 and 19.03.2018 submitted by the petitioner in respect to conducting of an inquiry to find out the factual reason for the death of Ram Niwas @ Bunty i.e. the husband of the petitioner in a tragedy, which occurred due to burning of the huts built at the brick kiln as mentioned in the said representations. It is claimed that the applicant's husband was working at brick kiln. He was asleep in the hut when the fire incident took place. Unfortunately, Ram Niwas @ Bunty lost his life in the incident. Allegations are being raised against the contractor/owner of the brick kiln. It is stated in the petition that no action is being taken by the police authorities, despite various representations being given.

Though formal notice of motion was not issued in this petition, advance copy of the writ petition was served upon the respondent – State.

The matter was adjourned twice at request of learned counsel for the petitioner.

Today, there is no representation on behalf of the petitioner.

Learned counsel for the State, on instructions from SI Ashok Kumar, Police Station, Barwala, submits that an inquiry was duly conducted on the representations submitted by the petitioner and as per report dated 07.05.2019 by the SHO Police Station, Barwala, none was found at fault for the fire incident in question. The fire it was found took place due to an accident. A candle which was burning in the hut of the deceased fell upon his quilt and the fire incident took place in which Ram Niwas unfortunately lost his life. As the representations stand decided, no further orders are called for in this case.

Accordingly, this petition is disposed of.

Needless to say, in case, the petitioner has any grievance against the inquiry conducted by the police officials, she is at liberty to avail the remedy/remedies as may be available to her in accordance with law.

January 10, 2020  
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**(Lisa Gill)**  
**Judge**

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