

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CWP No. 20436 of 2020 (O&M)

Date of decision:- 27.11.2020

Balwinder Rai

.....Petitioner

Versus

District Tender Committee and others

...Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAVI SHANKER JHA, CHIEF JUSTICE
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN PALLI, JUDGE.**

Present:- Mr. Jastej Singh, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Vikas Mohan Gupta, Addl. Advocate General, Punjab.

(The aforesaid presence is being recorded through video conferencing since the proceedings are being conducted in virtual Court).

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RAVI SHANKER JHA, C.J. (ORAL)

The petitioner has filed this petition for issuance of writ in the nature of mandamus directing respondent No.1 to consider the technical bid of the petitioner in the re-tendering process on the basis of the documents submitted during the first tender process as envisaged under Clause 5 (C) (Note-1) and Clause 5(E) (Note-4) of the policy.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that to redress his grievances, the petitioner has already served upon the respondents a legal notice dated 23.11.2020 (Annexure P-17) upon the respondents but till date no decision thereon has been taken.

Learned Additional Advocate General appearing for the respondent-State of Haryana submits that the authority concerned shall consider and take a decision on the legal notice dated 23.11.2020 (Annexure P-17) issued by the petitioner before proceeding any further in the matter and the decision taken in this regard shall be communicated to the petitioner provided the technical bid has not already been opened and finalized.

In view of the aforesaid statement made by learned Additional Advocate General appearing for the respondent-State of Punjab, the petition stands disposed of.

It is made clear that this Court has not expressed any opinion on the merits of the case and therefore, the respondent-authorities would be at liberty to examine the matter keeping all facts and facets into consideration and thereafter accept or reject the same in accordance with law.

(RAVI SHANKER JHA)
CHIEF JUSTICE

(ARUN PALLI)
JUDGE

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Whetherspeaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whetherreportable	Yes/No