

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

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**CWP No.856 of 2021 (O&M)
Decided on : 16.02.2021**

The Tribune Employees Union, Chandigarh & another
... Petitioners

Versus

The Tribune Trust, Chandigarh and others
... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE G.S. SANDHAWALIA

Present: Mr. Ashok Aggarwal, Senior Advocate with
Mr. Saurabh Gautam, Advocate and
Mr. Rohit Chandel, Advocate for the petitioner (s).

Mr. D.S. Patwalia, Senior Advocate with
Mr. Kannan Malik, Advocate for respondents No.1 to 3.

Mr. S.P. Jain, Additional Solicitor General with
Mr. Rajnish Shelly, Advocate for respondent No.4-UOI.

Mr. Arjun Lakhanpal, Advocate and
Mr. M.K. Dogra, Advocate for respondent No.5-U.T.

(The proceedings are being conducted through
video conferencing, as per instructions.)

G.S. Sandhawalia, J. (Oral)

Mr. Saurabh Gautam, has submitted that in view of the last order, the matter has been amicably resolved. He submits that the summary as such of the compromise which has been arrived at can be termed as under:-

“In terms of the order dated 10.02.2021, certain suggestions have emerged during course of proceedings, duly noticed by the Hon'ble Punjab and Haryana High Court, in order dated 10.02.2021, pursuant thereto a meeting was held between two trustees, Chief Justice (Retd) S S Sodhi and Mr. Gurbachan Jagat along with Mr. Vinay Verma (Respondent No.2) and Mr. Amit Sharma, Head HR, Legal and Administration, The Tribune Trust, with representatives of Petitioner No.1-Mr. Anil Kumar Gupta and Mr. Karam Vir, and Petitioner No.-2-Ms. Ruchika M. Khanna, on the morning of February 14, 2021.

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During the meeting, it was decided that the matter be amicably resolved between the Petitioners and the Respondents No.1-3.

Consequently, it has been decided that upon Petitioners withdrawing the instant writ petition, and Petitioner No.2, making a formal request for revocation of her transfer orders, the same will be revoked by Respondent No.2, upon instructions and advice of The Tribune Trust, on the same day matter is withdrawn.

Consequently and in view of the aforesaid, the Petitioners crave leave and indulgence of this Hon'ble Court to withdraw the present matter, at this stage, as not pressed being amicably resolved.”

Mr. Patwalia on instructions from Mr. Kannan Malik, does not dispute the said factual aspect.

Resultantly, all proceedings before respondent No.5 will also be withdrawn, thereafter.

Keeping in view the above, the present writ petition is disposed off in terms of the settlement which has been arrived at between the parties. It is obviously expected that parties shall adhere the terms of the settlement, which has been reproduced above.

FEBRUARY 16, 2021
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(G.S. SANDHAWALIA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:

Yes/No

Whether Reportable:

Yes/No