

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

CWP No. 3420 of 2021

Date of decision : 12.2.2021

Jaswinder Singh

.... Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

**Coram: Hon'ble Mr. Justice Jaswant Singh
Hon'ble Mr. Justice Sant Parkash**

Present Mr. Navdeep Singh, Advocate, for the petitioner.

[The aforesaid presence is being recorded through video conferencing
since the proceedings are being conducted in virtual court.]

Jaswant Singh, J. (Oral)

Pursuant to issuance of notification dated 30.1.2021 (**Annexure P-1**), whereby schedule for holding General Election/ Bye Elections to elect the Members of Municipal Corporations, Municipal Councils and Nagar Panchayats in the State of Punjab, on 14.2.2021, was notified, petitioner-Jaswinder Singh filed his nomination paper on 1.2.2021 for contesting election from Ward No. 2 of Nagar Panchayat, Mamdot, District Ferozepur, as an independent candidate.

It is alleged that final list of contesting candidates for election to the said seat was displayed on 5.2.2021 (Annexure P-4), wherein only two candidates i.e. the petitioner and respondent no. 6 remained in the fray. It is further allegation of the petitioner that though he has not withdrawn his candidature yet he is not being allotted election symbol. Hence, the present

writ petition *inter alia* with a prayer to direct the official respondents to allot him election symbol.

After arguing for some time and having failed to convince the Court, learned counsel for the petitioner prays for permission to withdraw the present writ petition with liberty to the petitioner to avail appropriate remedy, in accordance with law.

Dismissed as withdrawn with the aforesaid liberty.

(Jaswant Singh)
Judge

12.2.2021
vs

(Sant Parkash)
Judge

Whether speaking/ reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	Yes/No