

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

CWP-PIL-56-2021

Date of decision : 22.03.2021

Tanuj Mittal

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

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

Present: Mr. Aalok Jagga, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Ms. Monica Chhibber Sharma, Senior DAG, Punjab.

RAVI SHANKER JHA, CHIEF JUSTICE (Oral)

Learned counsel for the petitioner, after arguing at length, submits that respondent No.1 be directed to consider and decide the representation dated 11.01.2021 (Annexure P-4) that has been filed by the petitioner against illegal commercial construction being carried out by respondent No.6 in connivance with the local authorities.

Learned Senior Deputy Advocate General, Punjab, appearing on behalf of the State of Punjab, on advance copy, submits that the petitioner himself had applied for obtaining such permission and has now filed this petition on being denied the same.

Be that as it may, without going into the merits of the case, this petition filed by the petitioner is disposed of directing the respondent authorities to consider and decide the representation dated 11.01.2021

(Annexure P-4) filed by the petitioner expeditiously in accordance with law, after hearing all the concerned, if so required, and by passing a reasoned order. It is made clear that this Court has not expressed any opinion on the merits of the case and, therefore, the 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

March 22, 2021
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No