

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CWP-PIL No. 72 of 2021 (O&M)

Date of decision:- 27.04.2021

Resident Welfare Association

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and others

...Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAVI SHANKER JHA, CHIEF JUSTICE
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUVIR SEHGAL, JUDGE.**

Present:- Mr. R.K.Singla, Advocate, for the petitioner.
Mr. Deepak Balyan, Addl. Advocate General, Haryana.
(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)

This petition has been filed allegedly in public interest by the petitioner contending that the respondent-authorities are not removing encroachments made by the vendors in front of the residential houses Nos. 652 to 661 and 678, Sector 12, Panchkula and that they are proposing to allot the site to the vendors though this is a residential area where such allotment cannot be made. It is submitted that the petitioner association has already filed a representation dated 12.03.2021 (Annexure P-6) in this regard before the respondent authorities which is still pending and no decision thereon has been taken as yet.

Learned Additional Advocate General appearing for the respondent-State of Haryana submits that all the encroachments from the area in question have already been removed by the respondent-authorities today in the morning. He further submits that the aforesaid representation of the petitioner-association shall be considered and a decision thereon shall be taken and communicated to the petitioner at the earliest.

In view of the statement made by learned Additional Advocate General, Haryana before this Court and by taking the same on record, the petition filed by the petitioner is disposed of with a direction to the respondent-authorities to consider and decide the representation dated 12.03.2021 (Annexure P-6) at the earliest and in the meanwhile keep the area in question encroachment free.

(RAVI SHANKER JHA)
CHIEF JUSTICE

(SUVIR SEHGAL)
JUDGE

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