

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP No.9031 of 2021

Date of decision: 27.04.2021

Kalu Ram

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and others

..Respondents

(Through video conferencing)

CORAM: *HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI*

Present: Mr. Sanjeev Kumar Panwar, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Sharad Aggarwal, AAG, Haryana.

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Harsimran Singh Sethi, J. (Oral)

The present petition has been filed with a prayer that an inadvertent typographical/clerical mistake, which has occurred in letter dated 11.04.2013 (Annexure P/1), stated to be written by the Sub Divisional Officer (C) Faridabad to Registrar (Birth and Death) Municipal Corporation, Faridabad on the basis of which, death certificate in respect of the death of the mother of the petitioner was issued, which has been appended as Annexure P/2, be corrected.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the said letter should have been written by the Sub Divisional Magistrate, Faridabad instead of Sub Divisional Officer (C) Faridabad.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has not been able to point out any illegality/mistake in the death certificate dated 23.10.2018 (Annexure P/2), which has been issued by the Municipal Corporation, Faridabad.

Prayer of the petitioner is that the letter written by the respondent No.3 to Municipal Corporation Faridabad be corrected.

Once, there is no illegality or mistake in the death certificate, the grievance being raised by the petitioner is misplaced. The death certificate is a material document and not the inter-department communication i.e. Annexure P/1, which is important for ascertaining the details given in the death certificate. Learned State counsel informs this Court that S.D.M. Faridabad and Sub Divisional Officer (C) is the same officer.

Faced with this situation, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that he be allowed to withdraw the present writ petition with liberty to approach the respondents for the grievance as raised in the present petition.

Dismissed as withdrawn with liberty as prayed for.

April 27, 2021
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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No