

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT  
CHANDIGARH

CWP-PIL No. 83 of 2021 (O&M)

Date of decision:- 28.06.2021

Ranjan Lakhanpal, Advocate

.....Petitioner

Versus

Union of India and others

...Respondents

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

**Present:-** Mr. Ranjan Lakhanpal, Advocate-petitioner in person.  
Mr. S.P.Jain, Addl. Solicitor General of India with  
Mr. Dheeraj Jain, Sr. Panel Counsel for UOI.  
Mr. Pankaj Jain, Sr. Advocate with  
Mr. Anil Kumar Mehta, Advocate, for U.T. Chandigarh.  
Mr. V.M.Gupta, Addl. Advocate General, Punjab.  
Mr. Ankur Mittal, 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, CHIEF JUSTICE (oral)**

This petition has been filed by the petitioner praying for issuance of general directions to the respondent-authorities to stop sale, stocking and selling of fake Remdesivir injections and other life saving medicines and also to take action against all those manufacturing such spurious drugs. The petitioner has also prayed for verification and authentication of the drugs that have been administered in the hospitals.

Such directions sought for are general in nature and from the documents placed on record by the petitioner itself, it is evident that the respondent-authorities have already taken necessary action against those who are indulging in the trade of fake life saving medicines.

In such circumstances and looking to the fact that the petition filed by the petitioner is general in nature without giving particular instances, the petition filed by the petitioner is disposed of granting liberty to the petitioner to approach the respondent-authorities in case he has some specific and clear information regarding the grievances raised by him.

Learned Additional Advocate General appearing for the States of Punjab and Haryana, learned senior counsel appearing for the respondent-Union Territory, Chandigarh and learned Additional Solicitor General appearing for the respondent-Union of India undertake to take immediate action in case any such information is brought to their notice.

In view of the aforesaid circumstances and taking the statements made by learned counsel for the respondents on record, the petition filed by the petitioner stands disposed of.

(RAVI SHANKER JHA)  
CHIEF JUSTICE

(ARUN PALLI)  
JUDGE

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| Whetherspeaking/reasoned | YesNo |
| Whetherreportable        | YesNo |