

CWP-12547-2020

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

(PROCEEDINGS THROUGH V.C.)

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Date of Decision: 15.03.2021

Jai Bhagwan

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana & others

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASI
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ASHOK KUMAR VERMA

Present: Mr. Dinesh Kumar Dakoria, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Shubhra Singh, Addl.A.G.,Haryana,
for the State.

AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASI, J. (ORAL)

In compliance with the order passed by this Court on 15.12.2020, status/compliance report by way of an affidavit of the Block Development and Panchayat Officer, Jhojhu, District Charkhi Dadri, dated 15.01.2021, has been filed, according to which the possession of the plots has been handed over to the petitioner and others, as per the Mahatma Gandhi Gramin Basti Yojna Scheme.

Counsel for the petitioner states that the Gram Panchayat has not provided the basic necessities/amenities so that the houses could be constructed on the said plots.

If that be so, the petitioner may move an appropriate

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application before the Gram Panchayat and other Competent Authorities for the said purpose. If such applications are moved, the same be considered and decision taken thereon within a period of four weeks from the date of submission of such representation(s).

It goes without saying that decision will be taken by the Competent Authority(s) sympathetically keeping in view the purpose for which the Scheme has been formulated i.e. to help the downtrodden and needy persons to enable them to build and own houses on the plots made available to them. Merely making the plots available to the needy homeless persons would not be enough as the other amenities also need to be taken care of and provided so that they are able to enjoy the benefits of the Scheme.

The present writ petition is disposed of with above observations.

(AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH)
JUDGE

(ASHOK KUMAR VERMA)
JUDGE

15.03.2021

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