

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

CWP-15081-2021 (O&M)

Date of decision: 09.08.2021

Gram Panchayat Village Tonsa Block Balachaur, District SBS Nagar
....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

..Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KSHETARPAL

Present: Mr. Onkar Singh, Advocate for the petitioner
 Ms. Kanica Sachdeva, AAG, Punjab

ANIL KSHETARPAL, J (Oral)

The hearing of the case was held through video
conferencing on account of restricted functioning of the Courts.

The petitioner before this Court is a Gram Panchayat of
Village Tonsa. The petitioner alleges that the elected representatives are
not being allowed to function due to the interference by a particular
Panchayat Secretary.

Ms. Kanica Sachdeva, AAG, Punjab, enters appearance on
behalf of the respondents- State of Punjab and submits that the Director,
Rural Department and Panchayat, Punjab, has already marked an inquiry
in this matter to the Additional Deputy Commissioner, SBS Nagar. She
further submits that the inquiry will be completed within a period of
three weeks.

Keeping in view the aforesaid facts, the writ petition has
been rendered infructuous and the same is disposed of as such.
However, the Additional Deputy Commissioner, Punjab, is requested to

expedite the inquiry and positively conclude the same within three weeks. If the Additional Deputy Commissioner considers it appropriate he may pass interim orders in order to facilitate the working of the elected representatives.

All the pending miscellaneous applications, if any, are also disposed of.

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No

(ANIL KSHETARPAL)
JUDGE