

CWP-17286-2020 (O&M)
Date of Decision:19.03.2021

Jarnail Singh and another **Petitioners**

versus

State of Punjab and others Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AJAY TEWARI
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BHARDWAJ

Present: Mr. Hardeep Singh Saini, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Shireesh Gupta, Senior DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Manish Kumar Singla, Advocate
for respondent No.7.

Dr. Naresh Kaushik, Advocate
for respondent No.8.

AJAY TEWARI, J. (Oral)

1. This petition has been filed against the non-execution of warrants of possession whereby the land belonging to the Gram Panchayat has to be retrieved from persons who are alleged to be illegal encroachers.
2. It is stated that against the order under Section 11 of Punjab Village Common Lands (Regulation) Act, 1961 the affected persons have filed appeals before the Joint Development Commissioner, Mohali. Earlier, all the appeals were listed for same date but now some of them have been listed for 24.03.2021 and the others are listed for 28.04.2021.
3. It is suggested that it would be appropriate if the Appellate Authority is directed to decide all the appeals so that this issue of public importance can be resolved. It is therefore, directed that the Appeal No.769 of 2020 which is stated to be listed for 24.03.2021, be adjourned for

28.04.2021 and the Appellate Authority is also directed to fix all the appeals on the same date and to decide them, if not on 28th April, 2021, but in any case before 31st May, 2021 in accordance with law.

4. Ordered accordingly. Petition is disposed of with above observation.

5. Since the main case has been decided, the pending Civil Misc. Application(s), if any, also stands disposed of.

**(AJAY TEWARI)
JUDGE**

**(RAJESH BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE**

19.03.2021
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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No