

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

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**CWP-22774-2020(O&M)
Date of Order:08.01.2021**

AJIT SINGH

..Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF HARYANA AND OTHERS

..Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KSHETARPAL

Present: Mr. Vikram Singh, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Samarth Sagar, Addl.A.G.,Haryana.

ANIL KSHETARPAL, J(Oral)

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

In deference to the order dated 05.01.2021, Shri Aditya Dahiya, IAS, Collector-cum-Deputy Commissioner, Jind, accompanied by Sh. Parmod Sharma, District Food and Supplies Controller, Jind, have attended the hearing.

On 05.01.2021, the following order was passed:-

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

It has been noticed that prima-facie the orders passed by the District Food and Supplies Controller, Jind which has been affirmed by the Collector-cum-Deputy Commissioner, Jind, canceling the licence of ration depot to the petitioner are wholly non-speaking apart from being bereft of reasons. The quasi judicial authorities who have been conferred powers to decide civil rights cannot be expected to take the matters casually.

Notice of motion for 08.01.2021.

On the request of this Court, Mr. Samarth Sagar, Additional Advocate General, Haryana, accepts notice on behalf of the State.

Let District Food and Supplies Controller, Jind and Collector-cum-Deputy Commissioner, Jind, shall attend the hearing of the case through video conferencing on the next date of hearing to explain how the orders impugned herein are sustainable.”

Mr. Samarth Sagar, Additional Advocate General, Haryana, on instructions from the officers present through video conferencing, has made a statement that the orders dated 30.06.2020 and 30.09.2020, have been withdrawn and the department would proceed in accordance with law.

Keeping in view the aforesaid facts, the present petition has been rendered infructuous and is disposed of as such.

However, the officers have been impressed upon to be careful in future while passing the orders affecting the civil rights of the parties.

Needless to observe that the respondents shall be at liberty to proceed afresh, in accordance with the law.

January 08, 2021
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(ANIL KSHETARPAL)
JUDGE

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