

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

Sr. No.217

CWP-355-2021

Date of Decision: 16.03.2021

JASKARAN SINGH

... Petitioner

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANOTHER

... Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE RITU BAHRI
HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE ARCHANA PURI**

Present: Mr. Vijay Lath, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Ms. Anu Pal, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab.

Mr. H.K. Aurora, Advocate
for respondent No.2.

RITU BAHRI, J.

The present petition has been filed by the petitioner under Articles 226 and 227 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a writ in the nature of Mandamus directing the respondents to decide the representation dated 24.06.2020 (Annexure P-9).

Learned Counsel for respondent No.2 puts in appearance and states that the representation dated 24.06.2020 (Annexure P-9) made by the petitioner can be decided by the respondents by passing a speaking order.

In the representation dated 24.06.2020 (Annexure P-9), the petitioner states that the land comprised in Khasra No.35, 36 situated at Village Nangal Shama, Tehsil and District Jalandhar, Punjab was earlier vested in Gram Panchayat, Village Nangal Shama and now the same falls within the limits of Municipal

Corporation, Jalandhar. This land has been reserved for common purposes of the village. However, one Bhupinder Singh s/o Mohan Singh is hell bent to encroach upon this land. In this process, he has illegally dismantled the boundary walls and removed bricks from the spot.

Without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, this petition is being disposed of by giving directions to respondent No.2 to look into the representation dated 24.06.2020 (Annexure P-9) and pass a speaking order thereon within a period of four weeks, from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order, in accordance with law.

(RITU BAHRI)
JUDGE

(ARCHANA PURI)
JUDGE

16.03.2021

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No