

HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CWP-6846-2022

Date of decision: 04.08.2022

Harinder Singh

....Petitioner

V/s.

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE RITU BAHRI

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ASHOK KUMAR VERMA

Present: Mr. Mohinder Kumar, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Anu Pal, DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Namit Kumar, Advocate
for respondents No. 2 and 3.

Ritu Bahri, J. (Oral)

By this petition, the petitioner is seeking direction to the respondents to take appropriate action against the officers who have deleted his name from the voter list (Annexure P-3).

Mr. Namit Kumar, Advocate for respondents No. 2 and 3 submits that as per the reply dated 25.07.2022 filed by respondent No. 5 on behalf of respondents No. 1 to 6, it is admitted that the name of the petitioner from the voter list had been deleted erroneously. As far as representations dated 14.02.2022 and 16.02.2022 made by the petitioner are concerned, legal action under Section 32 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 against the concerned erring booth level officer Smt. Paramjit Kaur, Anganwari Worker C/o Child Development Project Officer, Ajnala has been initiated. Similarly, legal action under Section 31 of the Act, 1951 against Sh. Sarwan Singh Sarpanch/Sh. Sarwan Singh son of Sh. Ajit Singh resident of village Nizampura has been taken for wrongful deletion of entry

belonging to the petitioner by making false declaration in Form 7 (Annexure R-1). It is further stated therein that the prescribed Form 6 dated 16.02.2022 (Annexure R-2) submitted by the petitioner for re-inclusion of his name in the electoral roll has been duly processed and his name has been restored in the electoral roll.

Keeping in view of the above submissions, no further direction is required to be passed. However, the concerned Department will conclude the legal proceedings/action taken against the concerned erring officer expeditiously.

Writ petition is disposed of.

(RITU BAHRI)
JUDGE

04.08.2022

Divyanshi

(ASHOK KUMAR VERMA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:

Yes/No

Whether reportable:

Yes/No