

[133] IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

COCP No.799 of 2022 (O&M)

Date of Decision : 26.05.2022

Joginder Singh, Senior Lab Attendant (Retd.)
s/o Sh. Sawaaran Singh

...Petitioner

versus

Ajoy Sharma, IAS, Principal Secretary to Govt.
of Punjab, Deptt. Of Education, Punjab, Civil
Secretariat, Chandigarh and another

....Respondents

Coram : Hon'ble Mr. Justice B.S. Walia

Present : Mr. Shashi Bhushan Nagpal, Advocate for the petitioner.
Mr. Aditya Sharda, Asstt. A.G., Punjab.

B.S. Walia, J. (Oral)

[1] Prayer in the instant petition is for initiating proceedings against the respondents for intentional and willful defiance of order, Annexure P-1, dated 26.11.2021, in CWP No.24049 of 2021.

[2] A perusal of order (Annexure P-1), reveals that CWP No.24049 of 2021, was disposed of by directing the respondent-authorities to consider and decide legal notice dated 03.06.2019 in accordance with law by passing a speaking order, preferably, within one month.

[3] Learned Asstt. AG, Punjab, has produced copy of speaking order dated 18.05.2022, rejecting the claim made by the petitioner. Speaking order dated 18.05.2022 is taken on record. Copy thereof supplied to learned counsel for the petitioner, who on perusal thereof states that in the circumstances, the petitioner is not interested in pursuing

the instant petition and may be permitted to withdraw the same with liberty to challenge order dated 18.05.2022 by way of appropriate proceedings, in accordance with law.

[4] In view of the position noted above, as well as statement of learned counsel for the petitioner, the instant petition is *disposed of* as not calling for any action against the respondents under the Contempt of Courts Act, 1971, while granting liberty to the petitioner as prayed for.

[5] *Rule discharged.*

(B.S. Walia)
Judge

26.05.2022

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<i>Whether speaking/ reasoned</i>	:	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether reportable</i>	:	<i>Yes/No</i>