

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

**Date of Decision :22.03.2022
CWP-PIL No.76 of 2019**

Ram Kumar

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE RAVI SHANKER JHA, CHIEF JUSTICE
HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE ARUN PALLI, JUDGE**

Present : Mr. Munish Bhardwaj, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Avineet Avasthi, AAG, Punjab.

(The aforesaid presence is being recorded through video conferencing
since the proceedings are being conducted in virtual Court)

RAVI SHANKER JHA, CHIEF JUSTICE (Oral):

This Public Interest Litigation has been filed by the petitioner alleging that the respondents-authorities in spite of having spent 500 crores rupees has not made the new bus terminal (Baba Banda Singh Bahadur ISBT, Phase VI, SAS Nagar, Mohali).

Learned State counsel appearing for the State of Punjab, on instructions from Sukhwinder Kumar, Secretary, Regional Transport Authority, SAS, Nagar (Mohali), submits that the bus terminal has already been made functional.

Learned counsel appearing for the petitioner vehemently opposes the said statement. However, as the said statement has been made at the behest of an officer of the authorities, we take it on record believing it to be true and dispose of the petition by directing the respondents-authorities

to act upon the statement and ensure that no incorrect statement is made before this Court regarding functionality of the bus terminal. It is, further, observed that, in case, the petitioner has any other grievance remaining in respect of the said bus terminal, he may approach the authorities in that regard.

Learned Assistant Advocate General appearing for the State of Punjab, submits that, in case, the petitioner does so, the authorities shall immediately look into the issue, raised by the petitioner, and take a decision thereon expeditiously and in accordance with law.

(RAVI SHANKER JHA)
CHIEF JUSTICE

(ARUN PALLI)
JUDGE

22.03.2022
Manoj Bhutani

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