

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

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**CWP-17895-2022
Date of Decision: 16.08.2022**

ASHOK KUMAR JHA AND ORS

... Petitioners

Versus

UNION OF INDIA AND ORS

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VINOD S. BHARDWAJ.

Present: Mr. Ramandeep Singh Pandher, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. S.P. Jain, Addl. Solicitor General of India.

VINOD S. BHARDWAJ, J. (ORAL)

The instant petition has been filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India with a prayer for issuance of a writ in the nature of Mandamus directing the respondents No.1 to 3 to stop the release and relay of web series 'Shahi Majra' being released on 12.08.2022 on OTT platform CHAUPAL TV and remove/block its promo advertisement from internet already released on internet and further to direct the producer and director of the web series/respondents No.4 and 5 to change the title of the web series and remove objectionable content from the same portraying 'Shahi Majra' (which is the name of place/village now falling in Sector 55, SAG Nagar, Mohali where the petitioners are residing), as hub of drugs and unlawful activities.

After arguing for some time, learned counsel for the petitioner seeks permission to withdraw the instant petition with liberty to take recourse to the alternative remedies available to him in accordance with law.

Dismissed as withdrawn with liberty as aforesaid.

16.08.2022
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**(VINOD S. BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No