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

CWP No. 326 of 2022
Date of Decision: 10.01.2022

M/s Lassen Farms LLC

-Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

-Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJ MOHAN SINGH

Present: Mr. K.D.S. Sidhu, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

(Through V.C.)

RAJ MOHAN SINGH, J. (Oral)

Petitioner has preferred this writ petition for issuance of an appropriate direction to the respondents to pay cash award and other amounts as were declared for the 6th World Kabaddi Cup, 2016 (Punjab), organized by the respondents.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the respondents have been organizing the World Cup Kabaddi-Punjab since 2011 for both men and women teams. Prize money for the winning teams was decided in the following terms:-

1 st position men's team	-	Rs.2 crores
1 st position women's team	-	Rs.1 crore
2 nd position men's team	-	Rs.1 crore

2 nd position men's team	-	Rs.51 lacs
3 rd position men's team	-	Rs.51 lacs
3 rd position women's team	-	Rs.25 lacs

The team of the petitioner got third position in men's category and the amount has not been paid so far.

The stand taken by the respondents in similar situated petitions is that the matter is still under consideration.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petition may be disposed of in the light of order dated 30.09.2021 passed in two writ petitions i.e. CWP No.15214 of 2021 and CWP No.15413 of 2021 filed by similarly situated petitions.

Notice of motion.

On the asking of the Court, Mr. T.P.S. Chawla, D.A.G., Punjab accepts notice on behalf of State of Punjab.

In view of nature of order which this Court proposes to pass, there is no necessity of calling upon any response from the respondents as no order prejudicial to the interest of any party is being passed.

In view of order dated 30.09.2021 passed in aforesaid writ petitions, this petition is also disposed of without meaning anything on the merits of the case. Legal notice dated 06.10.2021 filed by the petitioner is ordered to be decided by respondent No.3 in accordance with law within a period of 03

months.

If the petitioner is found entitled for the amount in question, the same be released to the petitioner within six weeks thereafter.

Nothing observed hereinabove shall be construed to be an expression on the merits of the case.

10.01.2022

Jyoti Sharma

(RAJ MOHAN SINGH)
JUDGE

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