

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

(255)

CWP-2123-2021

Date of decision: - 20.02.2023

Roshan Lal

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VIKAS BAHL

Present:- Mr. J.S. Saneta, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Rohit Ahuja, DAG, Punjab
for respondent nos.1 to 5.

VIKAS BAHL, J. (ORAL)

This writ petition has been filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus directing the respondents No.2 to 5 to take legal action against respondent No.7 for recovery of embezzled amount as he has caused financial loss to the State Exchequer by embezzling an amount of Rs.31,347/- as per the order dated 15.11.20219 (Annexure P-2), against which the appeal filed by the respondent No.7 has been dismissed, vide order dated 06.02.2020 (Annexure P-4).

Learned State counsel, on instructions from Mr. Gurmeet Singh, Panchayat Officer and Mr. Chamandeep Singh, Tax Collector, O/o BDPO, Bhunerheri, District Patiala, has submitted that since in the present case, appeal of respondent No.7 has been dismissed, thus, the

necessary action as per orders (Annexures P-2 & P-4) would be taken within a period of two months from today.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that in view of the above-said statement of learned State counsel, the present writ petition has been rendered infructuous, at this stage and the same may be disposed of as such.

Keeping in view the above-said facts and circumstances, the present writ petition is disposed of, as having been rendered infructuous, at this stage.

The respondents-State would be bound by the above-said statement made before this Court.

February 20, 2023
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(VIKAS BAHL)
JUDGE

Whether reasoned/speaking?
Whether reportable?

Yes/No
Yes/No