

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

(241-1)

CWP-3370-2020

Date of decision: - 24.03.2023

Dharam Singh

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VIKAS BAHL

Present:- Mr. Harchand Singh Batth, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Yadwinder Singh Bhangu, AAG, Punjab.

Ms. Rupinder Kaur Thind, Advocate
for respondent No.7.Mr. Sushil Jain, Advocate
for respondent No.8.

VIKAS BAHL, J. (ORAL)

This writ petition has been filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India for the issuance of an appropriate writ, order or direction especially a writ in the nature of mandamus directing the respondents to take appropriate action and to lodge the FIR under relevant sections against respondents No.7 and 8 for causing financial loss to the Gram Panchayat and committing theft of thousands of bricks by breaking them up from the public street of the village of Gram Panchayat village Dudala, Block Jandiala Guru, now Block Verka, District Amritsar and misappropriating the funds and property of the said Gram Panchayat.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from Mr. Kulbir

Singh, SEPO, has pointed out that in the present case, an inquiry has been done by the DDPO and the same has been forwarded to the Director, Department of Rural Development and Panchayat, Punjab and the action in accordance with law will be taken by the Director, Department of Rural Development and Panchayat, Punjab, as expeditiously as possible, preferably, within a period of three months.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that on account of the said statement made by learned State counsel, the present writ petition has been rendered infructuous and the same may be disposed of as such.

In view of the above, the present writ petition is disposed of, as having been rendered infructuous.

The respondent-State would be bound by the statement made before this Court.

March 24, 2023

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**(VIKAS BAHL)
JUDGE**

Whether reasoned/speaking?

Yes/No

Whether reportable?

Yes/No