

IN THE PUNJAB AND HARYANA HIGH COURT AT
CHANDIGARH

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CWP-5387-2023

Date of Decision: 18.10.2023

RANJIT SINGH

... Petitioner

VERSUS

ADDITIONAL DISTRICT JUDGE LUDHIANA, AND ORS.

... Respondents

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

Present: None for the petitioner.
None for respondents No.1 and 2.
Mr. A.K. Ahluwalia, Advocate for respondent No.3.

VINOD S. BHARDWAJ, J. (ORAL)

Prayer made in the present writ petition is for seeking directions to respondent No.1 to expedite Civil Appeal that has been entered vide misc application bearing No.CM-1020 of 2019 which is stated to be pending since 2019.

Mr. A.K. Ahluwalia enters appearance on behalf of respondent No.3 i.e. the contesting respondent and has no objection to the same.

There is no representation on behalf of the petitioner today.

However, in view of the aforesaid statement made by the contesting respondent No.3, the present writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondent-lower Appellate Authority/Court to decide the pending appeal registered vide misc. application bearing No.CM-1020 of 2019 within a period of four months from the date next fixed in the aforesaid appeal after granting opportunity of hearing to the respective parties.

Disposed of accordingly.

Liberty is, however, granted to the petitioner to seek revival of the present petition in case any of his grievance(s) still subsists.

(VINOD S. BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE

18.10.2023.
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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No