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

CWP-6257-2019 (O&M)
Date of decision : 22.02.2023

Gram Panchayat, Bakhli Khurd

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VIKAS BAHL

Present: Mr. Vikram Singh, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Rajneesh Chadwal, AAG, Haryana
for respondent Nos.1 to 3.

Mr. Chander Shekhar, Advocate for respondent No.4.

VIKAS BAHL, J. (ORAL)

This is a Civil Writ Petition filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a writ in the nature of certiorari for setting aside the order dated 17.10.2018 (Annexure P-6) and for upholding the order dated 15.09.2017 (Annexure P-4) passed by the Collector-cum-Deputy Commissioner, Kurukshetra, vide which, the application under Section 215-A of the Haryana Panchayati Raj Act has been allowed.

Learned counsel appearing on behalf of respondent No.4 has submitted that in the present case, the Commissioner, Ambala Division, Ambala Cantt, vide order dated 17.10.2018 had remanded the matter back to the Collector, Kurukshetra with the directions to pass speaking order within

a period of six months. It is further submitted by learned counsel for respondent No.4 that best course in the present writ petition would be to direct the Collector, to whom the matter had been remanded, to decide the same expeditiously within time bound frame.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has not been able to dispute the fact that the matter has been remanded back and it was directed that the matter be decided within a period of six months.

Keeping in view the abovesaid facts and circumstances, the present Civil Writ Petition is disposed of with directions to the Collector, Kurukshetra, before whom the matter is pending, to decide the case as expeditiously as possible and in any case, within a period of three months from the date of receipt of certified copy of the present order.

All the pending miscellaneous applications, if any, shall stand disposed of in view of the abovesaid order.

22.02.2023

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**(VIKAS BAHL)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned:- Yes/No

Whether reportable:- Yes/No