

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

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2023:PHHC:098837-DB

CWP-13973-2023

Date of Decision: 02.08.2023

Gurjit Singh

.....Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Punjab and others

....Respondent(s)

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE G.S.SANDHAWALIA
HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE HARPREET KAUR JEEWAN**

Present: Mr. Nipun Gupta, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

G.S.SANDHAWALIA, J. (Oral)

1. The petitioner, in the present writ petition filed under Articles 226 and 227 of the Constitution of India, challenges the order dated 22.10.2020 (Annexure P-8) wherein, his claim as such for allotment of house being 1984 riot affected victim has been denied primarily on the ground that his father has already been allotted the house.

2. It finds mention in the order impugned that as per the policy of the Government, against a single Red Card, only one facility of house/plot/booth can be granted, which was communicated to the petitioner on 11.03.2020. It is in such circumstances, the representation dated 19.10.2020 has been rejected.

3. Counsel for the petitioner has argued regarding the tenability as such of allotments made to other persons while referring to Annexure P-9. None of the said persons are either arrayed as respondents and, therefore, we do not wish to comment upon their rights as such without hearing them.

Even otherwise also, we are of the considered opinion that the petitioner was

aged around 5 years at the time when 1984 riots took place and he was residing with his parents and had no separate status as such for which he could claim consideration having an independent right. Benefit to the immediate family has been given and multiple allotments to the same family members cannot be made.

4. Resultantly, we do not find any ground as such to interfere with the order dated 22.10.2020 (Annexure P-8), which is also challenged after a period of almost three years. Accordingly, we decline to exercise our extra ordinary writ jurisdiction and the writ petition stands dismissed.

(G.S. SANDHAWALIA)
JUDGE

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(HARPREET KAUR JEEWAN)
JUDGE

Whether reasoned/speaking
Whether reportable

Yes
No