

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

**CWP-8302-2022 (O&M)**  
Date of decision: 06.01.2023

Gurmeet Singh  
Versus

....Petitioner

State of Punjab and others

..Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KSHETARPAL**

Present: Mr.Onkar Singh, Advocate for the petitioner  
Mr. R.K.Kapoor, Addl. AG, Punjab

**ANIL KSHETARPAL, J (Oral)**

This writ petition was filed to issue a writ in the nature of Certiorari to quash the charge-sheet dated 05.01.2022 and the proceedings subsequent thereto. A prayer was also made to issue a writ of Mandamus to direct the respondent authorities to consider the petitioner's reply. In the written statement, it has been stated that an inquiry officer to hold the regular inquiry has already been nominated and the petitioner can join the proceedings in the regular inquiry.

Since the regular inquiry is in progress, therefore, the petitioner, if so advised, may join the inquiry proceedings. It shall be open to him to take all the defences before the inquiry officer.

At this stage, no further order is required to be passed.

Disposed of.

All the pending miscellaneous applications, if any, are also disposed of.

06.01.2023

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No  
Whether reportable : Yes/No

**(ANIL KSHETARPAL)**  
**JUDGE**