

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CWP-10114-2023

Date of decision: 10.05.2023

HARSH KUMAR KHATTAR

.....Petitioner

VERSUS

STATE OF HARYANA AND OTHERS

.....Respondents

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

Present:- Mr. Vaibhav Narang, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Pankaj Mulwani, DAG, Haryana.

VINOD S. BHARDWAJ, J. (Oral)

The instant petition has been filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India for seeking issuance of directions to respondent No.2 to decide the Appeal No. 455 of 2021 in a time bound manner as the right of the petitioner and others members are claimed to be prejudiced.

Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner contends that the appeal No. 455 of 2021 was filed by the petitioner before the Registrar General of Societies on 23.12.2021. The matter has thereafter been adjourned repeatedly by the office of Registrar General for the one reason or the other and the matter is not being heard. He is placed reliance on the communication received by him from the office of the Registrar General postponing the date of hearing for reasons not attributable to the petitioner himself. He contends that at this juncture

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he would be satisfied in case the respondent No.2 -Registrar General of Firms & Societies, Haryana is directed to look into the grievance of the petitioner and to decide the pending appeal in a time bound manner.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Pankaj Mulwani, DAG, Haryana accepts notice on behalf of respondent No.1 to 4.

In view of the order which this Court proposes to pass for effecting service on respondent No.5 would not be necessary.

Counsel for the respondent State has no objection to issuance of any such directions to the Registrar General, Firms & Societies, Haryana to decide the pending appeal in a time bound manner after granting an opportunity of hearing to the concerned parties.

In view of the above and without commenting on the merits of the case, the present petition is disposed of with the consent of the parties directing the Registrar General of the Firms & Societies, Haryana to decide the pending Appeal No. 455 of 2021 in a time bound manner and preferably within a period of 04 months of the date next fixed before the Registrar General and after granting an opportunity of hearing to the concerned parties.

(VINOD S. BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE

MAY 10, 2023

Vishal sharma

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