

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CWP-10362-2023

Date of decision : 12.05.2023

Durga Dass

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE VIKAS BAHLPresent: Mr.Surinder Pal Singh Tinna, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr.Ferry Sofat, Addl.A.G. Punjab.

VIKAS BAHL, J.(ORAL)

1. 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 mandamus directing respondent no.3 to meticulously comply with the order dated 29.07.1993 passed by respondent no.1 and order dated 09.04.1992 passed by respondent no.2 so as to decide the surplus area cases of the big land owners, in accordance with law as expeditiously as possible.

2. Learned State counsel has submitted that in pursuance of the remand order dated 29.07.1993, the proceeding has started and respondent no.3 has sought the report of the legal heirs of big land owners vide report dated 17.04.2023 and respondent no.3 would conclude the proceedings as expeditiously as possible preferably within a period of 7 months from the date of receipt of the certified copy of the present order.

3. Keeping in view the above said facts and circumstances, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent no.3 to decide

the surplus area case of Hari Ram after remand order dated 29.07.1993 as expeditiously as possible preferably within a period of 7 months from the date of receipt of the certified copy of the present order.

(VIKAS BAHL)
JUDGE

May 12, 2023
Davinder Kumar

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