

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

CWP-10474-2023

Date of decision: 15.05.2023

HARJINDER SINGH

...Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

...Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SURESHWAR THAKUR
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KULDEEP TIWARI**

Present: Mr. N.P.S. Mann, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Monika Jalota, Sr. DAG, Punjab

SURESHWAR THAKUR, J. (ORAL)

1. The present petitioner who claims himself to be affected by the resolution of the Panchayat concerned, whereby an exchange of the land of the Gram panchayat, was offered to be made with the land of the then Sarpanch, and, which action led to the institution before this Court of CWP-18191-2020, thus leading this Court to make thereons, the hereinafter extracted direction. That since the imperative direction as made therein, thus for initiation of lawful action within one month against Shri Piar Singh, BDPO, Shri Nirvail Singh, Panchayat Officer and Shri Harbhajan Singh, Panchayat Secretary, rather remaining unenforced, given, the Gram Panchayat concerned, not coming forth. to enforce the said part of the order, thus has led the present petitioner to access this Court.

Learned counsel for the State has sent an order dated 10.12.2020 passed by the Financial Commissioner, Punjab Government, Rural Development and Panchayat Department, whereby resolutions dated 01.03.2018 and 12.03.2018 passed by the Gram Panchayat have been annulled, vide which the

exchange of the land was made. Departmental action has also been directed to be initiated within a period of one month against Shri Piar Singh, BDPO, Shri Nirvail Singh, Panchayat Officer and Shri Harbhajan Singh, Panchayat Secretary.

In the light of the above order, counsel for the parties are ad idem that the present writ petition has been rendered infructuous.

Disposed of as infructuous.

2. Since the order (supra), as made by this Court is required to be enforced, thus the learned State counsel is directed to, ensure that the Competent Authority in terms of the said order, promptly initiates lawful action against the above named persons.

3. Disposed of accordingly.

(SURESHWAR THAKUR)
JUDGE

15.05.2023

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(KULDEEP TIWARI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:-
Whether reportable:

Yes/No
Yes/No