

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

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CWP-13093-2019

Date of Decision: November 23, 2023

Ajaypal Singh

.....Petitioner(s)

Vs.

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BHARDWAJ

Present: Mr. Munish Gupta, Advocate
for the petitioner(s).

Mr. Arun William, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. B.S. Ichhewal, Advocate
for respondent No.5.

RAJESH BHARDWAJ J. (ORAL)

The present petition has been filed for the issuance of writ in the nature of mandamus directing the official respondents No.1 to 4 to take immediate necessary action upon the representations (Annexure P-4 to P-6) moved by the petitioner/his father for directing Gram Panchayat of Village Ghasipur (Respondent No.5) to initiate work of disposal of waste water in terms of resolution dated 01.03.2018 (Annexure P-3) already passed and Grant/Funds having already received from govt. Department, as existing waste water of pond overflows in rainy season and causes damages to crop of petitioner and also creates unhygienic atmosphere.

2. Reply has been filed by respondent No.5-Gram Panchayat. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of respondent No.5 has submitted that

grievance of the petitioner i.e. cleaning the pond has already been completed and thus nothing remains to be adjudicated in this case.

3. Learned State counsel has also drawn attention of this Court to the reply filed by BDPO, Hoshiarpur-respondent No.4. He submits that as per reply, Sarpanch, Gram Panchayat of village Ghasipur had informed that Rs.2,36,000/- related to the pond had been spent by the Gram Panchayat and pond has been cleaned with the help of machine. Dam has been constructed on the side of the pond with soil. Thus, he submits that the grievance raised by the petitioner in the present petition has already been redressed which renders the present petition infructuous.

4. In view of the aforesaid submissions as the grievance of the petitioner has already been redressed, the present petition is disposed of as having been rendered infructuous.

5. However, the petitioner is at liberty to avail any other remedy available to him in case any cause of action survives.

(RAJESH BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE

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