

**CWP- 18090-2023 (O&M)**

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

**CWP- 18090-2023 (O&M)  
Date of Decision:21.08.2023**

*Ranjit Singh Uppal*

*... Petitioner*

V/s.

*Punjab State Warehousing Corporation and another*

*... Respondents*

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK MANCHANDA**

Present : Mr. J.P. Rana, Advocate  
for the petitioner.

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**DEEPAK MANCHANDA, J.(Oral)**

Present writ petition has been filed under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India claiming that the statutory appeal filed by the petitioner is pending with the appellate authority since 01.08.2023 and prayed for direction to respondent No. 1 to stop the recovery of Rs. 3,75,585/- from the salary of the petitioner till the pendency of the statutory appeal dated 01.08.2023 (Annexure P-3), filed by the petitioner against the order of punishment dated 20.07.2023. The Petitioner has further prayed for staying the operation of the orders dated 20.07.2023(Annexure P-2), till the final decision of the Statutory Appeal dated 01.08.2023.

Learned counsel for the petitioner at the outset prays for

deciding the appeal filed by the petitioner dated 01.08.2023 (Annexure P-3) expeditiously by passing a speaking order within a time bound frame.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Amanpreet (A.P.) Singh, Advocate, who is present in Court accepts notice on behalf of the respondents and submits that the appeal filed by the petitioner shall be decided expeditiously.

I have heard learned counsel for the parties and have gone through the record of the case.

The appellate authority-respondent No. 2 is directed to consider and decide the appeal dated 01.08.2023 (Annexure P-3) in accordance with law, by passing a speaking order as expeditiously as possible preferably within a period of one year from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

Since the statutory appeal is still pending and yet to be decided, it will be in the interest of justice that no further recovery be effected from the petitioner.

The petition stands disposed of.

(DEEPAK MANCHANDA)  
JUDGE

21.08.2023

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| Whether speaking/reasoned | Yes     |
| Whether Reportable        | Yes /No |