

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

(273)

CWP-25173-2022

Date of decision: - 27.02.2023

Preetam Kaur and others

....Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VIKAS BAHL

Present:- Mr. Jagjot Singh Lalli, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Karan Puggal, DAG, Punjab.

VIKAS BAHL, J. (ORAL)

This writ petition has been filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus directing the respondents No.1 to 7 to take action on the resolution dated 20.08.2022 (Annexure P-1) passed by the Gram Panchayat, Lapran as well as the complaint dated 22.08.2022 (Annexure P-2) filed by the petitioners along with other residents of the village against the private respondents.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from Ms. Ramanpreet Kaur (Legal Assistant), Department of Rural Development Panchayat, has pointed out that the Gram Panchayat of village Lapran, Tehsil Payal and District Ludhiana, of which the petitioner No.1 is stated to be the authorized Sarpanch, has filed a petition under Section 7 of the Punjab Village Common Lands and Regulation Act read with Sections, 4, 5 & 7

of the Punjab Public Premises and Rent Recovery Act, 1973, before the District Development and Panchayat Officer-cum-Collector, Ludhiana and the same is now pending for 30.03.2023.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the petitioner be permitted to withdraw the present writ petition and has prayed that a direction be issued to the District Development and Panchayat Officer-cum-Collector, Ludhiana to decide the said eviction petition as expeditiously as possible.

In view of the above-said statement of learned counsel for the petitioner, the present writ petition is dismissed as withdrawn.

The District Development and Panchayat Officer-cum-Collector, Ludhiana is directed to decide the said eviction petition filed by the Gram Panchayat of village Lapran, Ludhiana, as expeditiously as possible.

February 27, 2023
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(VIKAS BAHL)
JUDGE

Whether reasoned/speaking?
Whether reportable?

Yes/No
Yes/No