

2023:PHHC:139114-DB

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP-22658-2023

Date of decision: 31.10.2023

Harjit Singh

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN PALLI
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VIKRAM AGGARWAL

Present: Mr. Umesh Aggarwal, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

ARUN PALLI, J. (Oral)

The petitioner herein has prayed for the following
substantive relief:-

***“Civil Writ Petition under Article 226 of the
Constitution of India for issuance of writ in the nature of
Mandamus, directing the Respondent No.2 to take
appropriate legal action against the private respondents
Nos.4 and 5 for doing illegal mining in the adjoining land
of the petitioner;***

AND

***Further issuance of writ in the nature of
Mandamus directing the Respondents No.2 and 3 to decide
and take appropriate legal action upon the Representation
dated 13.03.2023 (Annexure P-1) submitted by petitioner to
Respondent No.3 by passing of a speaking order in
accordance with law.”***

The limited grievance that is being expressed by the learned for the petitioner is that prior to the institution of this petition, the petitioner had served respondent authorities with a representation dated 13.03.2023 (P-1) qua his concerns/grievances. However, even though, a considerable time has elapsed, but the matter has not made any tangible progress.

Served with the advance copy of the petition, Mr. V.G. Jauhar, Additional Advocate General, Punjab, is present in Court. He submits that in case any such representation is, indeed, pending before the competent authority, the same shall be considered. And, appropriate orders, in accordance with law, shall be passed thereon, as expeditiously as possible.

To this, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that let this petition be disposed of, in terms of the statement made by learned State counsel.

In the wake of the statements made by learned counsel for the parties, the petition is disposed of, in terms thereof.

(ARUN PALLI)
JUDGE

(VIKRAM AGGARWAL)
JUDGE

31.10.2023
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No