

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

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CWP-34130-2019

Date of Decision:23.01.2023

Harjit Singh

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VINOD S. BHARDWAJ.

**Present: Mr. Anureet Singh Sidhu, Advocate,
for the petitioner.**

Mr. Saurav Verma, Addl. A.G., Punjab.

VINOD S. BHARDWAJ , J.(Oral)

The instant 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 respondent Nos.1 to 4 to take immediate action on the complaints of the petitioner pending against respondent Nos.5 to 7 for having engaged certain private persons to carry out the work of Revenue Department as helpers in the Patwari office.

Written statement on behalf of respondent Nos.1 to 4 by way of affidavit of Kumar Amit, IAS, Deputy Commissioner, Patiala had been filed on 16.01.2020 as per which the complaint submitted by the petitioner was enquired into and the petitioner could not produce any evidence to substantiate the allegations levelled in the said complaint. It is further submitted that the petitioner avoided adducing his evidence before the

Enquiry Officer and as such, there was no material on record to assume that the allegations levelled are corroborated by any evidence. No replication controverting the aforesaid specific stand adopted by the respondents-Department had been filed.

Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner seeks permission to withdraw the present petition, at this stage, with liberty to file appropriate representation along with supporting evidence, if any, to the respondents-authorities in accordance with law.

Disposed of as withdrawn with liberty, as aforesaid.

January 23, 2023
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(VINOD S. BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether Reportable: Yes/No