

IN THE PUNJAB AND HARYANA HIGH COURT AT
CHANDIGARH

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CWP-29359-2023 (O&M).
Date of Decision: 22.12.2023.

SMT. VERSHA GUPTA

.. Petitioner

Versus

THE INDIAN OIL CORPORATION LIMITED AND ANOTHER

... Respondents

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

Present: Mr. Nikhil Chopra, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

VINOD S. BHARDWAJ, J. (ORAL)

The present writ petition has been filed for seeking issuance of directions to the respondents not to stop the supply to the petrol pump owned by the petitioner under the firm named Maharaja Filling Station.

It is evident from a perusal of the paper book that the petitioner had earlier approached this Court vide CWP-2584-2017 titled as 'M/s Maharaja Filling Station Vs. Indian Oil Corporation Limited and another,' which was disposed of on 13.02.2017 and it was ordered that in the event of the respondent No.1-Indian Oil Corporation Limited passing any order prejudicial to the petitioner, the same shall not be given effect to for a period of one month to enable the petitioner to avail the legal remedies available to it in accordance with law.

Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner contends that notwithstanding the said order, the respondent had discontinued the supply

to the petitioner for which a contempt petition had to be initiated before the Coordinated Bench of this Court before the supply could be restored. He further contends that he is in receipt of certain communication whereby the supply of petrol was not made to him on account of an error and that notwithstanding the earlier order, the respondents are likely to dis-continue the supply.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Ashish Kapoor, Advocate, enters appearance and accepts notice on behalf of the Indian Oil Corporation Limited. He submits that no order has been passed by the respondent-the Indian Oil Corporation Limited and that they shall adhere to the order already passed on 13.02.2017 passed by this Court.

In view of the above, I find that the present writ petition is based on conjectures and apprehensions. There is no accrued cause of action and therefore, the present writ petition is accordingly found to be pre-mature.

Disposed of accordingly.

December 22, 2023

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(VINOD S. BHARDWAJ)

JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned

: Yes/No

Whether reportable

: Yes/No