IN THE HIGH COURT OF HIMACHAL PRADESH, SHIMLA

CWP No.8376/2024.
Date of Decision: 20th August, 2024.

Prince Kumar Sharma & Ors. .....Petitioners.

Versus

State of HP & Anr. .....Respondents.

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The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Bipin Chander Negi, Judge.

Whether approved for reporting?[1]

For the Petitioners: Mr. Ashwani K. Sharma, Advocate.

For the Respondents: Mr. B.N. Sharma, Addl. Advocate General.

Bipin Chander Negi, Judge *(oral).*

Notice. Mr. B.N. Sharma, Ld. Addl. Advocate General, appears and waives service of notice on behalf of the respondents.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that w.r.t. the grievances being raised in the present petition, same are squarely covered by the judgment passed by this Court in ***CWP No.2004 of 2017, Taj Mohammad & Ors. Vs. State of HP & Ors.*** a/w connected matters, decided on 03.08.2023. He further submits that similarly situate individuals have been extended the benefit of the aforesaid judgment.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioners further submits that w.r.t. the grievances being raised in the present petition, a representation dated 21.07.2024 stands made to the concerned authorities. The same is appended with the present petition as Annexure P6.

4. Learned Addl. Advocate General submits that the representation so made by the petitioner, shall be decided within a period of eight weeks from today.

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1 Whether reporters of Local Papers may be allowed to see the judgment? YES

5. In view thereof, present petition is disposed of, so also the pending application(s), if any.

6. List for compliance on **18.11.2024**.

(Bipin Chander Negi)
Judge

20th August, 2024
(Gaurav Rawat)