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

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Date of decision : 08.07.2024

Keshav Chander**.....Petitioner****versus****State of Punjab****.... Respondent****CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BHARDWAJ*********

Present :- Mr. Raman Kumar, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Karunesh Kaushal, AAG, Punjab.

*********RAJESH BHARDWAJ, J. (Oral)**

1. In pursuance to the order passed by this Court dated 11.01.2024, the learned trial Court was directed to submit its report which has been received and placed on record at Flag "A". The learned trial Court has sent its report dated 25.01.2024 wherein it has been observed as under:-

"Hence it is humbly submitted that vide order dated 05.03.2021 passed by Ld. Predecessor of this Court, the Committee has already been constituted for disposal of the insecticides lying in the premises of the petitioner. However, the petitioner has failed to deposit the amount of Rs.35,400/- i.e. costs and expenses of expert which he agreed to deposit vide his statement dated 05.03.2021 and the respondent i.e. Chief Agriculture Officer, has initiated communication with Director, Agriculture and Farmer Welfare, Punjab seeking funds to the tune of Rs.10,35,400/- for the purpose of disposal of the insecticides lying in the premises of the petitioner. No response has been received from the Director Agriculture and Farmer Welfare, Punjab."

2. Faced with the above, learned counsel for the petitioner submits before this Court that he is ready and willing to deposit Rs.35,400/- i.e. costs and expenses of the expert, which was agreed to deposit within two weeks.



3. In view of the aforesaid statement made by counsel for the petitioner that he is ready to deposit Rs.35,400/-within two weeks from today and complete the other formalities as required for proceeding further, this petition is disposed of with a direction that on doing the needful by the petitioner, the learned trial Court would proceed further as per law and concluded the matter expeditiously.

08.07.2024
Anjal

(RAJESH BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether reportable	:	Yes/No