

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

CWP-10247-2024

Date of Decision: 03.05.2024

Jaimal Singh

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BHARDWAJ

Present: Mr. Rajeev Dev Sharma, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Rajesh Bhardwaj, J.

1. Prayer in the present petition is issuance of direction to respondent No.4 to complete the partition proceedings in accordance with the partition order dated 25.02.2015 (Annexure P-1) passed by respondent No.4.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that partition proceedings were initiated in the year 2015 and thereafter, appeal and revision were also dismissed and now the partition application is pending before respondent No.4 i.e. Assistant Collector Ist Grade, Pathankot (wrongly mentioned in memo of parties as Assistant Collector Ist Grade, Dhar Kalan, District Pathankot) since January 2024 but there is no progress in the partition proceedings so far. He has further prayed that respondent No.4 be directed to conclude the partition proceedings in a time bound manner.

3. Notice of motion.

4. Mr. Navneet Singh, Sr. DAG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the respondents and on instructions from Mr. Parampreet Singh, Tehsildar-cum- Assistant Collector Ist Grade, Pathankot has submitted that revision filed was dismissed on 10.08.2023 and now the case is pending

before Assistant Collector Ist Grade, Pathankot and further proceedings would be concluded after harvesting of the present crops.

5. Heard.
6. After hearing learned counsel for the parties and perusing the record, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.4 i.e. Assistant Collector Ist Grade, Pathankot to conclude the partition proceedings pending before him expeditiously within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of copy of this order, in case there is no legal impediment in the present case. Learned Collector is free to take into consideration the stay, if any granted by any higher authority/Court in the present case and proceed further in accordance with law.

A copy of this order be sent to respondent No.4 forthwith who on receipt of the same will proceed with the matter.

03.05.2024

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(RAJESH BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE

Whether Speaking/Reasoned

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Yes/No

Whether Reportable

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Yes/No