



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

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CWP-13616-2024

Date of decision: 31.05.2024

PAWAN KUMAR SONI

.....Petitioner

VERSUS

STATE OF HARYANA AND OTHERS

.....Respondents

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

Present:- Ms. Maloo Chahal, Advocate
for the petitioner.

VINOD S. BHARDWAJ, J. (Oral)

Challenge in the present writ petition is to the order dated 26.02.2021 (Annexure P-5) passed by respondent No.5 who is the Claim Commissioner, Haryana on a claim preferred by the petitioner with respect to the damages caused.

A perusal of the order shows that the above said application/representation of the petitioner was dismissed by the Claim Commissioner after observing that the mandate of the Claim Commissioner was only with respect to assessing liability for the losses suffered on account of Jat agitation in February, 2016. Since the occurrences for which the claim had been raised was for a period prior thereto and was not related to the Jat agitation, hence, the Claim Commissioner was not competent to examine the said claims.

Counsel for the petitioner contends that she does not wish to press the present writ petition so as to take recourse to the alternative remedy available to the petitioner in accordance with law.

Disposed of as withdrawn with liberty as aforesaid.

(VINOD S. BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE

MAY 31, 2024
Vishal sharma

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