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IN THE PUNJAB AND HARYANA HIGH COURT AT
CHANDIGARH.

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CWP-12640-2023 (O&M).
Date of Decision: 09.05.2024.

MANJIT SINGH

... Petitioner(s)

Versus

UNION OF INDIA AND OTHERS

... Respondent(s)

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

Present: Mr. Gurvinder Singh Aulakh, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

None for respondent No.1.

Ms. Niharika Sharma, AAG, Punjab,
for respondents No.2 to 4.

VINOD S. BHARDWAJ, J. (ORAL)

The instant writ petition has been filed for seeking issuance of
directions to respondent No.3-the Regional Transport Authority, Patiala, to
issue Certificate of Registration in terms of Form 23-A.

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Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner had purchased a car on 27.01.2020, Maruti Vitara Brezza VDI BS-IV, from Eakansh Motors Pvt. Ltd., Ambala Road Kaithal 136027, (Haryana) and a Temporary number HR2020-T/R-9459K was issued at the time of purchase. The said vehicle is having Chassis No.MA3NYFB1SLA622551 and Engine No.D13A5892233. He submits that data was uploaded on the E-Vahan Portal on 20.03.2020, however, at that time the tax was not paid due to lockdown and the tax amounting to Rs.58,232/- was paid on 03.06.2020. However, despite repeated requests neither the certificate of registration is being issued nor any decision on the representation dated 20.12.2022 (Annexure P-15) submitted by the petitioner is being taken.

Learned counsel for the petitioner further submits that, at this juncture, the petitioner would be satisfied in case a direction is issued to the respondent No.3-the Regional Transport Authority, Patiala, to decide the aforesaid representation sent by the petitioner by passing a speaking and reasoned order in accordance with law and in a time bound manner.

Ms. Niharika Sharma, AAG, Punjab, who is present in the Court, has no objection to the aforesaid prayer being granted.

Accordingly, with the consent of the parties and without commenting upon the merits of the case, the present writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondent No.3-the Regional Transport Authority, Patiala, to consider the representation dated 20.12.2022 (Annexure P-15) filed by the petitioner and to pass a speaking and reasoned

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order thereupon in accordance with law within a period of three months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order after granting an opportunity of hearing to the petitioner.

Petition stands disposed of accordingly.

May 09, 2024.
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JUDGE

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