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211/1 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP-18664-2021(O&M)

Date of decision: 03.09.2024

Citizen Committee House Owners
and another

...Petitioners

Vs.

Union of India and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SHEEL NAGU, CHIEF JUSTICE
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KSHETARPAL

Present: Mr. Amit Jhanji, Sr. Advocate with
Mr. Prashant Gupta, Advocate and
Ms. Nikita Garg, Advocate
Mr. Anhad Batta, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Satya Pal Jain, Additional Solicitor General of India with
Mr. Ashish Rawal, Advocate
for respondents No. 1 and 2-UOI.

Mr. Deepak Balyan, Addl. A.G. Haryana.

Mr. Ankur Mittal, Advocate with
Ms. Kushaldeep Kaur, Advocate
Mr. Siddhanath Arora, Advocate
Ms. Saanvi Singla, Advocate
for respondent No.6-M.C. Panchkula.

Mr. Mahender Joshi, Advocate for
Mr. R.S. Madan, Advocate
for respondent No.8.

Mr. Aman Bahri, Advocate
for respondent No.9-Pollution Control Board.

Mr. Anil Chawla, Advocate
for respondent No.10 in CWP-18664-2021.

SHEEL NAGU, CHIEF JUSTICE, (ORAL)

1. This petition has been filed by the members of Citizen Committee



House Owners, residing in Sector-25, Panchkula, complaining about the environment being polluted by the respondents No.3 to 6 by dumping solid waste at the site in Village Jhuriwala, Panchkula.

2. The respondents in their reply by way of affidavit have revealed that solid waste dumped at Village Jhuriwala has been cleared.
3. The prayer in this petition was essentially with regard to the adverse affects being caused by dumping of solid waste at Village Jhuriwala.
4. In view of the revelation made by the respondents in their affidavit, it appears that for the time being the grievance of the petitioners stands redressed.
5. It is informed by the learned counsel for the parties that the issue as regards establishment of solid waste treatment plant as well as all other issues ancillary thereto are being dealt with in several petitions by the National Green Tribunal (hereinafter referred to as 'NGT').
6. However, this Court gives liberty to the petitioners to re-visit this Court or NGT, as the case may be, to raise any grievance which either recurs or has not been redressed.
7. With the aforesaid liberty, the petition stands disposed of.

(SHEEL NAGU)
CHIEF JUSTICE

(ANIL KSHETARPAL)
JUDGE

03.09.2024

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Whether speaking/reasoned :
Whether Reportable :

Yes
Yes

No
No