

2024:PHHC:093166



IN THE PUNJAB AND HARYANA HIGH COURT AT
CHANDIGARH

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CWP-17115-2024
Date of Decision: 24.07.2024

DHARMVIR

... Petitioner

VERSUS

STATE REGISTRAR FIRM AND SOCIETIES HARYANA
AND OTHERS

... Respondents

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

Present: Mr. Jitender Sharma, Advocate for the petitioner.

VINOD S. BHARDWAJ, J. (ORAL)

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Allowed as prayed for.

MAIN CASE

Challenge in the present petition has been raised to the order dated 16.07.2024 (Annexure P-1) passed by the State Registrar of Societies, Haryana in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 40 of the Haryana Registration and Regulation of Societies Act, 2012, whereby the election of the collegiums held w.e.f. 24.08.2023 to 03.09.2023 and the subsequent election of the Governing Body of the Society held on 24.09.2023 have been set aside.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has been confronted with the provisions contained under Section 79 of the Haryana Registration and Regulation of Societies Act, 2012, which provides for an efficacious remedy of filing appeal before the Registrar General, Firms and Societies, Haryana against the orders passed by the State Registrar of Societies, Haryana.

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Faced with the above, learned counsel for the petition does not intend to press the present petition so as to approach the Appellate Authority i.e. Registrar General of Firms and Societies for seeking redressal of his grievance. He further prays that the Appellate Authority i.e. Registrar General of Firms and Societies may be directed to examine the prayer of the petitioner for interim relief in a time bound manner.

Disposed of as not pressed with the liberty as aforesaid.

Needless to mention that in the event of the petitioner approaching the Appellate Authority i.e. Registrar General of Firms and Societies for seeking redressal of his grievance(s) by way of filing an appropriate appeal, the same shall be decided expeditiously and if, in any case, the same is not possible to be decided expeditiously, then the prayer of the petitioner for seeking interim relief shall be considered and decided in a time bound manner and preferably within a period of two weeks from the date of filing of application for seeking interim relief.

JULY 24, 2024*rajender***(VINOD S. BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE***Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No**Whether reportable : Yes/No*