

2024:PHHC:097604-DB



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

(125)

CWP-17905-2024

Decided on : 31.07.2024

Lovedeep Singh

.....Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Punjab & others

.....Respondent(s)

**CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE G.S. SANDHAWALIA
HON'BLE MRS.JUSTICE MEENAKSHI I. MEHTA**

Present: Mr.B.S.Kundra, Advocate for the petitioner (s).

G.S. Sandhawalia, J.(Oral)

1. Present writ petition has been filed under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India praying for release of the vehicle and for quashing the challan dated 19.07.2024 (Annexure P-2).

2. A perusal of the same would go on to show that the petitioner was asked to put in appearance on 26.07.2024 before the competent authority. Instead of approaching the competent authority, petitioner has approached this Court by way of filing the present writ petition on 25.07.2024. In such circumstances, we are not inclined to invoke our extraordinary writ jurisdiction as obviously, there is an alternative and efficacious remedy available to the petitioner though it has been mentioned in the petition that there is no other alternative remedy available. We also refrain ourselves from imposing exemplary costs.

3. With the above-said observations, the present writ petition is dismissed in limine.

**(G.S. SANDHAWALIA)
JUDGE**

**(MEENAKSHI I. MEHTA)
JUDGE**

31.07.2024

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Whether speaking/reasoned :

Yes

Whether Reportable :

No