

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP-20162-2023 (O&M)
Date of decision: 29.04.2024

Pritam Chand and othersPetitioners

versus

Financial Commissioner Punjab and others Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BHARDWAJ

Present :- Mr. Gur Aadesh Singh, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Nirmaljit Singh Diwana, Senior DAG, Punjab.

RAJESH BHARDWAJ, J. (Oral)

Prayer in the present petition is for quashing/setting aside the impugned orders dated 27.07.2023 (Annexure P-9), 12.06.2023 (Annexure P-7) passed by learned Courts below vide which the petitioners have illegally and arbitrarily been suspended from the post of Member Panchayat, Village Jhela Aamda Shakargarh, Block Narot Jaimal Singh, District Pathankot, completely on account of political consideration by ignoring the factual position as well as on the basis of a show cause notice dated 06.07.2020 (Annexure P-2) which was issued to the petitioner more than three years ago as a counterblast to the order dated 01.03.2023 (Annexure P-10) by this Court in CWP-24880-2019 which was filed at the behest of the petitioners against the Sarpanch and her husband for misappropriation and misusing her position.

Learned State counsel has stated that the Panchayats in the Punjab have already been dissolved and as such, the present petition has been rendered infructuous as nothing survives in the same for the disposal of the case.

Learned counsel for the petitioners has not been able to controvert the above submissions made by learned State counsel.

In view of the above, the present petition is disposed of as having been rendered infructuous.

As the main case has been disposed of as infructuous, there is no need to implead the complainant in the present petition and as such CM No.4120-CWP-2024 also stands disposed of.

29.04.2024

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(RAJESH BHARDWAJ)

JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No