IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

205 **CWP-21627-2023**
Date of Decision: 05.03.2024

M/s New Rice Mills **…Petitioner**

Versus

Director, Department of Food Civil Supplies & Consumer Affairs and Others **…Respondents**

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAGMOHAN BANSAL

Present:- Mr. A.K. Kansal, Advocate for the petitioenr

Mr. Aman Dhir, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab

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JAGMOHAN BANSAL, J. (Oral)

1. On 26.09.2023, the following order was passed:-

> "*Lawyers are abstaining from work.*
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> *The petitioner through instant petition under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India is seeking direction to the respondents to implement Custom Milling Policy 2023-24 in its letter and spirit and ensure equal distribution of free paddy/R.O. paddy to the petitioner.*
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> *The petitioner submits that respondents are allocating paddy according to installed capacity of the units. In case of few Districts, higher quantity is allocated than quantity allocated to District like Barnala. The installed capacity of the petitioner's mills is 6 MT and it is not getting paddy corresponding to its capacity whereas units located in Gurdaspur and Amritsar are getting much more quantity than the quantity allocated to the petitioner.*
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> *Notice of motion returnable for* ***09.10.2023****.*
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> *Process dasti as well."*

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2. Short reply by way of affidavit dated 14.12.2023 of Minakshi, District Controller, Food Civil Supplies & Consumer Affairs, Barnala filed on behalf of respondent Nos.1 and 2 is taken on record. Registry is directed to tag the same at an appropriate place.

3. The matter relates to Custom Milling Policy 2023-24 and as per learned State counsel, the process of allotment has already completed, thus, present petition has rendered infructuous.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner does not dispute the aforesaid factual position.

5. In the wake of statement of learned counsel for the parties, the present petition is disposed of as infructuous.

(JAGMOHAN BANSAL)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned *Yes/No*
Whether reportable *Yes/No*

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