IN THE HIGH COURT OF HIMACHAL PRADESH, SHIMLA

CWP No.16037 of 2025
Date of Decision: 14.10.2025

Surender Sharma & Ors. .....Petitioner

Versus

State of Himachal Pradesh & Ors. .....Respondents

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Hon'ble Mr. Justice Sandeep Sharma, Judge.
Whether approved for reporting?

For the Petitioner: Mr. Parkash Sharma, Advocate.

For the respondents: Mr. Anup Rattan, Advocate General, Mr. Rajan Kahol & Mr. Vishal Panwar, Additional Advocates General with Mr. Ravi Chauhan, Deputy Advocates General.

Sandeep Sharma, J. *(Oral)*

Before reply, if any, from the respondents could be received, learned counsel representing the petitioners, while inviting attention of this Court to judgment passed by Coordinate Bench of this Court in *CWP No.3630 of 2024,* titled as ***Tej Ram Vs. State of HP and Ors.***, states that issue raised in the instant proceedings already stands adjudicated by Coordinate Bench of this Court in ***Tej Ram*** (*supra*) and as such, petitioners would be content and satisfied in case directions are issued to the respondents to consider the representation of the petitioners in light of aforesaid judgment in a time bound manner.

2. While putting in appearance on behalf of respondents, Mr. Vishal Panwar, learned Additional Advocate General, states that he is

not averse to aforesaid innocuous prayer made on behalf of the petitioners and representation, if any, filed by the petitioners shall be considered and decided expeditiously.

3. Consequently, in view of the above, this Court, without going into the merits of the case, deems it fit to dispose of the present petition with a direction to the respondents to consider and decide the representation of the petitioners ***(Annexure P-4 colly)*** in light of ***Tej Ram*** *(supra)*, expeditiously, preferably within a period of six weeks from today. Ordered accordingly. Needless to say, authority concerned, while doing the needful in terms of instant order, shall afford an opportunity of being heard to the petitioners and pass appropriate orders thereafter. Pending applications, if any, stand disposed of.

October 14, 2025 **(Sandeep Sharma),**
(sunil) **Judge**