



**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

(Sr. No. 112)

CWP No. 21620 of 2025

Date of decision: 26.11.2025

Gram Sabha Jassowal

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

**CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK SIBAL
HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE LAPITA BANERJI**

Present : Mr. Amandeep Saini, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Himanshu Raj, Addl. A. G., Punjab.

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DEEPAK SIBAL, J. (Oral)

(1) Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that order dated 29.08.2024, passed by Divisional Deputy Director, Rural Development and Panchayat, Patiala – respondent No.2, was challenged by the petitioner through filing of a statutory appeal available to the petitioner under Section 201 of the Punjab Panchayati Raj Act, 1994 in which appeal arguments of both the sides have been heard on 14.08.2025 but till date, no judgment has been pronounced by respondent No.1 and in the meanwhile, order dated 29.08.2024, passed by respondent No.2 is being implemented.

(2) After considering the afore submissions, we consider it just and appropriate to dispose of this petition with a direction to respondent No.1 to finally decide the statutory appeal filed by the petitioner to challenge therein

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order dated 29.08.2024 passed by respondent No.2 within one month from the date of receipt of a copy of this order, as the delay in its decision is likely to prejudice the petitioner's rights.

(DEEPAK SIBAL)
JUDGE

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(LAPITA BANERJI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes / No

Whether reportable : Yes / No