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

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Date of Decision: 26.11.2025**

Rani Devi and others

....Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

....Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSH BUNGER**Present : Mr. Karanveer Singh, Advocate  
for the petitioners.

Mr. Nirmaljit Singh Diwana, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

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**HARSH BUNGER, J. (Oral)**

The instant Writ Petition has been filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India *inter alia* seeking issuance of a writ in the nature of Mandamus for directing respondents No.3 to 5 to ensure that the meetings of Gram Panchayat Ismailpur, Block Dinanagar, District Gurdaspur are conducted in a democratic manner and petitioner No.1- Sarpanch is permitted to exercise her casting vote in case of equality of votes in terms of Section 24 of the Punjab Panchayati Raj Act, 1994.

2. Learned State counsel, on instructions from Mr. Nirmal Singh, Block Development and Panchayat Officer, Dinanagar, informs the Court that the meeting of the Gram Panchayat Ismailpur was held under the supervision of Block Development and Panchayat Officer, Dinanagar and a resolution for carrying out the development works of the village already stands passed and therefore, the present petition has been rendered infructuous.



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3. Keeping in view the aforesaid stand taken by learned State counsel, no further orders are required to be passed in the instant writ petition and the same is disposed of as having been rendered infructuous.
4. All pending application(s), if any, shall also stand closed.

26.11.2025

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Whether speaking/reasoned:  
Whether reportable:

(HARSH BUNGER)

JUDGE

Yes/No  
Yes/No