



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

CWP No.30520 of 2025 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 13.11.2025

Saurabh Bhargava

...Petitioner

Versus

The Central Board of Direct Taxes and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE LISA GILL
HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MEENAKSHI I. MEHTA

Present:- Mr. Vaibhav Suri, Advocate (*joined through VC*) and
Mr Himanshu Kashyap, Advocate
for petitioner.

Mr. Varun Issar, Sr. Standing Counsel, and
Ms. Pridhi Sandhu, Jr. Standing Counsel, Income Tax Dept.
for respondents.

LISA GILL, J.(Oral)

CM No.15468-CWP of 2025

Notice of this application, whereby applicant-petitioner seeks
amendment in memo of parties.

Mr. Varun Issar, Senior Standing Counsel, Income Tax
Department, accepts notice on behalf of respondents and does not raise any
objection.

At request and with consent of learned counsel for parties,
application is allowed and amended memo of parties, annexed along-with
application, is taken on record, subject to just exception.

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1. Prayer in this writ-petition is for directing respondent No.2 to



expeditiously hear and decide appeal bearing No.CIT(A), Gurgaon-1/10926/2019-20 filed on 18.12.2019 against assessment order dated 19.11.2019.

2. Learned counsel for respondents, on instructions from Deputy Commissioner of Income Tax Circle 3(1) Gurgaon, submit that appeal filed by petitioner was listed for hearing on 24.10.2025; thereafter adjourned at his request, to 03.11.2025, wherein a request for VC hearing was made. The matter was, then, adjourned to 06.11.2025 on which date the assessee sought more time and matter was adjourned to 10.11.2025 and now, it is stated to be listed for hearing on 14.11.2025.

3. Learned counsel for respondents submit that matter shall be decided expeditiously and preferably within six weeks subject to any adjournment etc. which may be sought by the petitioner.

4. Learned counsel for petitioner submits that no adjournment shall be sought by petitioner.

5. Keeping in view facts and circumstances as above, this writ-petition is disposed of in view of statement made before us on behalf of respondents and their specific stand. It is expected that appeal shall be decided by competent authority within the period as above.

6. Pending application(s), if any, stand(s) disposed of.

(LISA GILL)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes
Whether Reportable: Yes/No