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

**CWP-35313-2024
Date of Decision: 07.01.2025**

Sunil Kundal

..... Petitioner

Versus

Deputy Commissioner, Amritsar, Punjab and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSH BUNGER

Present: Mr. Gursimranjit Singh, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Navneet Singh, Senior DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Ashish Grover, Advocate
for respondent No.2.

HARSH BUNGER J. (ORAL)

Petition herein is, *inter alia*, for issuance of a writ in the nature of Mandamus seeking direction upon the official respondents to issue 'No Objection Certificate' as regards the petrol pump to the petitioner.

1.1 A further prayer has been made to direct the official respondents to decide legal notice dated 04.12.2024 (Annexure P-19).

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner, at the outset, submits that the petitioner has served legal notice dated 04.12.2024 (Annexure P-19) upon respondents No 1 to 4; however, the same has not been adverted to by the concerned authorities, till date. Learned counsel further submits that the

petitioner would be satisfied at this stage, in case a time bound direction is issued to respondent No.1 – Deputy Commissioner, Amritsar, Punjab, to consider and decide the aforesaid legal notice dated 04.12.2024 (Annexure P-19).

3. On advance service of copy of petition, Mr. Navneet Singh, Senior Deputy Advocate General, Punjab and Mr. Ashish Grover, Advocate appear on behalf of the respondent-State and respondent No.2, respectively. Learned State counsel submits that the Deputy Commissioner, Amritsar, Punjab/competent authority shall take decision either way, on the pending legal notice dated 04.12.2024 (Annexure P-19) within a period of four weeks from today.

4. Keeping in view the submissions made by learned counsel for the parties and without commenting on the merits of the case, the present writ petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.1 – Deputy Commissioner, Amritsar, Punjab/competent authority to consider and decide legal notice dated 04.12.2024 (Annexure P-19) by way of passing a speaking order, after affording due opportunity of hearing to all the concerned parties, within a period of four weeks from today.

5. All the pending application(s), if any, shall also stand closed.

07.01.2025*Apurva***(HARSH BUNGER)
JUDGE**

1. Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

2. Whether reportable : Yes/No