

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

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CWP-PIL-346-2025**Date of Decision:- 01.12.2025**

MEGAFAUNA WELFARE FOUNDATION

....Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF HARYANA AND OTHERS

...Respondent(s)

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SHEEL NAGU, CHIEF JUSTICE
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJIV BERRY**

Present: Mr. Gaurav Vir Singh Behl, Advocate,
Mr. Jugraj Singh Chouhan, Advocate for the petitioner.

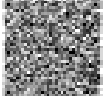
Mr. Neeraj Gupta, Additional A.G. Haryana.

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SHEEL NAGU, C.J. (Oral)

1. The present petition has been preferred under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India for issuance of writ in the nature of *mandamus* directing the official respondents to take an appropriate action over the grave and continuing violation of the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act, 1960, Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (Regulation of Livestock Markets) Rules, 2017, Transport of Animals (Amendment) Rules 2001 and Environment and Public Health Laws at the weekly goat market (Rupu Majra, District Ambala).

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner has already moved a representation dated 26.09.2025 (Annexure P-3) before the respondents, which has not yet been dealt with or responded to. He contends that at this stage, for the purpose of the instant petition, the petitioner would be satisfied if appropriate directions are given to



respondents to consider and decide the aforementioned representation dated 26.09.2025 (Annexure P-3) in accordance with law and thereafter, if need be, to revisit the Court for redressal of his grievance.

3. Mr. Neeraj Gupta, Additional A.G. Haryana appears on behalf of respondent-State of Haryana and submits that the aforesaid representation will be considered in accordance with law by the competent authority.

4. In view of above, without commenting on the merits of the case and considering the limited prayer made by learned counsel for the petitioner, the petition is hereby disposed of with a direction to respondent No.4 to decide the representation 26.09.2025 (Annexure P-3) moved by the petitioner, in accordance with law by passing a speaking order, within a period of 30 days from the date of receipt of copy of this order.

5. Copy of the order so passed by the competent authority be also communicated to the petitioner as well.

6. Disposed of.

(SHEEL NAGU)
CHIEF JUSTICE

(SANJIV BERRY)
JUDGE

01.12.2025

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i)	<i>Whether speaking/reasoned?</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
ii)	<i>Whether reportable?</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>