IN THE HIGH COURT OF HIMACHAL PRADESH, SHIMLA

CWP No. 10824 of 2024
Decided on: 24.04.2026

Arvind Thakur **.....Petitioner**

Versus

State of H.P and others **.....Respondents**

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Ms. Justice Jyotsna Rewal Dua

Whether approved for reporting?[1]

For the Petitioner: Mr. Oshin Anand Chauhan, Advocate vice Mr. Vishwa Bhushan, Advocate.

For the Respondents: Ms. Seema Sharma, Deputy Advocate General.

Jyotsna Rewal Dua, Judge

Following order was passed in this matter on 20.03.2026:-

> "Petitioner seeks payment for the work completed by him.
>
> Notice was issued in this petition on 24.09.2024. Despite grant of umpteenth number of opportunities, neither respondents have filed the reply nor any instructions have forth come.
>
> Learned Additional Advocate General again seeks an adjournment. Prayer is allowed. The matter is adjourned to 24.04.2026, subject to the cost of Rs.10,000/- to be paid to the petitioner on the next date. It is made clear that no further opportunity shall be granted to the respondents."

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that petitioner has received the cost imposed upon the respondents in the previous order.

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[1]Whether reporters of print and electronic media may be allowed to see the order? Yes.

3. Learned Deputy Advocate General has placed on record office instructions dated 23.04.2026 from Executive Engineer, Dharampur Division, H.P.P.W.D, Dharampur and on that basis submits that entire admitted liability towards the petitioner has been disbursed to him.

Learned counsel for the petitioner acknowledges the above position.

4. In view of above, present petition is disposed of as grievance of the petitioner has now been redressed. Pending miscellaneous application(s), if any, shall also stand disposed of.

Jyotsna Rewal Dua
Judge

April 24, 2026
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