IN THE HIGH COURT OF HIMACHAL PRADESH, SHIMLA

CWP No. 18416/2026 a/w connected matters
Decided on: 27.10.2026

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1. CWP No. 18416/2026

Narender Kumar & Ors. **…..Petitioners**

Versus

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

2. CWP No. 18507/2026

Ganesh Kumar **…..Petitioner**

Versus

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

3. CWP No. 18747/2026

Pawan Kumar **…..Petitioner**

Versus

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

4. CWP No. 18748/2026

Ravinder Singh …Petitioner

Versus

State of H.P. & Ors. ….Respondents

5. CWP No. 18749/2026

Jitender Singh …Petitioner

Versus

State of H.P. & Ors. ….Respondents

6. CWP No. 18746/2026

Pragya Devi …Petitioner

Versus

State of H.P. & Ors. ….Respondents

7. CWP No. 18682/2026

Keshva Nand & Ors. …Petitioners

Versus

State of H.P. & Anr. ….Respondents

8. CWP No. 18673/2026

Balinder Singh …Petitioners

Versus

State of H.P. & Ors. ….Respondents

9. CWP No. 18639/2026

Ram Lal & Ors. …Petitioners

Versus

State of H.P. & Ors. ….Respondents

10. CWP No. 18763/2026

Rajesh Kumar …Petitioner

Versus

State of H.P. & Anr. ….Respondents

11. CWP No. 18576/2026

Surender Singh …Petitioner

Versus

State of H.P. & Anr. ….Respondents

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Ms. Justice Jyotsna Rewal Dua
Whether approved for reporting?[1]

For the Petitioners: M/s. Mandeep Chandel, Akash Dehru, Ram Kumar, Vijay Mokhta, Gambhir Singh

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

Chauhan, Anil Kumar, for the petitioners in the respective petitions.

For the Respondents: Ms. Seema Sharma, Deputy Advocate General, for the respondents in the respective petitions.

Jyotsna Rewal Dua, Judge

Petitioners seek applicability of ***Ghanshyam Dass and Ors Vs. State of H.P. and Ors***[2].

2. Learned Additional Advocate General has apprised that the aforesaid decision has been stayed under order dated 17.08.2026 passed in *LPA No.205 of 2025 and other connected matters*.

3. In view of above position, the relief in the nature claimed by the petitioners cannot be granted to them at this stage. These writ petitions, therefore, are disposed of with direction to the respondents to consider the cases of the petitioners within six weeks after the adjudication of *LPA No.205 of 2025* and in terms thereof.

4. With the above observations, these writ petitions stand disposed of.

Pending miscellaneous application(s), if any, also to stand disposed of.

Jyotsna Rewal Dua
Judge

27th October, 2026
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[2] CWP No. 2056 of 2023 decided alongwith connected matters on 21.03.2024