



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

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COCP-477-2026

Date of Decision: 16.03.2026

ASHWANI KALIA**.....Petitioner**

Vs.

KUMAR RAHUL, IAS, AND OTHERS**.....Respondents****CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE SUDEEPTI SHARMA**

Present: Mr. Raghav Puggal, Advocate and
Mr. Karan Bansal, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Ravneet S. Joshi, DAG, Punjab.

SUDEEPTI SHARMA J. (Oral)

1. The contempt petition has been filed for deliberate and intentional disobedience of order dated 20.01.2025 passed by this Court in CWP-1465-2025, whereby, a direction was issued to the respondents to decide the claim of the petitioner.

2. Learned counsel for respondents contends that in compliance of order dated 20.01.2025, speaking order dated 12.03.2026 has been passed. Copy of the same has been supplied to learned counsel for the petitioner and is also taken on record.

3. A perusal of speaking order dated 12.03.2026 shows that order dated 20.01.2025 passed in CWP-1465-2025 has been complied with.

4. In view of the same, the contempt is purged and rule is discharged.



5. Needless to say that liberty is however granted to the petitioner to challenge the speaking order dated 12.03.2026 in accordance with law.
6. All the pending miscellaneous applications, if any, are also disposed of.

16.03.2026

(SUDEEPTI SHARMA)
JUDGE

P. Seth

Whether speaking/non-speaking : Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No