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

**CWP-11175-2026 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 10.04.2026**

M/s Balaji Rice Mills, Babanpur Through Its Proprietor and others

..... Petitioners

Versus

Haryana State Warehousing Corporation Through Its Managing Director
and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSH BUNGER

Present: Mr. R.K. Sharma, Advocate for the petitioners.

HARSH BUNGER J. (ORAL)

Petition herein is, *inter alia*, seeking a writ in the nature of Certiorari for quashing the letter dated 02.04.2026 (Annexure P-9) issued by the Managing Director, Haryana State Warehousing Corporation, Panchkula, to the District Manager, Haryana State Warehousing Corporation, Fatehabad.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that subsequent to the filing of the present writ petition, the Managing Director, Haryana State Warehousing Corporation, has passed an order dated 08.04.2026. A copy thereof has been handed over in Court today by learned counsel for the petitioners. Same is taken on record, subject to all just exceptions.

3. The relevant extract of the aforesaid order dated 08.04.2026 reads as under:-

“ Following Officers are hereby deputed for conducting Physical Verification along with videography of stock of paddy/CMR lying in

M/s Ganpati Rice Mill, Babanpur, M/s Bala Ji Rice Mill, Babanpur & M/s Shri. Ram Rice Mill, Rattangarh, i.r.o. KMS 2025-26. The committee shall also thoroughly scrutinize all relevant records and documents pertaining to the rice mills. The Physical Verification is to be conducted immediately and report to be submitted to Competent Authority:

<i>Sr. No.</i>	<i>Name of Officer/Official</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
1.	Sh. Harish Kumar, DM, HSWC, Sirsa	M/s Ganpati Rice Mill, Babanpur
2.	Sh. Dilbag Singh, DM, HSWC, Bhiwani	M/s Shri. Ram Rice Mill, Rattangarh
3.	Sh. Rohtas Dahiya, DM, HSWC, Rohtak	M/s Bala Ji Rice Mill, Babanpur

Besides above, necessary assistance of staff of your respective circle may be taken so that the PV may be done immediately.”

4. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that subsequent to the passing of the aforesaid order dated 08.04.2026 by the Managing Director, Haryana State Warehousing Corporation, a physical verification of the stock of paddy/CMR lying in the mills has been carried out and, according to the petitioners, no shortage has been found therein. Accordingly, learned counsel for the petitioners prays for withdrawal of the present writ petition with liberty to the petitioners to avail their remedies in terms of Clause 25 of the Agreement executed between the parties and also to approach the Managing Director, Haryana State Warehousing Corporation, for seeking recall of letter dated 02.04.2026 (Annexure P-9).
5. Ordered accordingly.
6. All the pending application(s), if any, shall also stand closed.

10.04.2026
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(HARSH BUNGER)
JUDGE

1. Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

2. Whether reportable : Yes/No