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

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Date of decision: 28.04.2026

M/S AMAR COLOUR CHEM INDIA

...PETITIONER

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

...RESPONDENTS

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

Present: - Mr. Aman Pal, Sr. Advocate (arguing counsel)
with Ms. Isha Goyal, Advocate;
Mr. Raja Paramdeep Saini, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Salil Sabhlok, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

Ms. Anu Chatrath, Sr. Advocate (arguing counsel)
with Mr. Ratik Chatrath Kapur, Advocate;
Mr. Gurbhej Singh, Advocate
for respondent No.2-PPCB.

Ms. Gurneet Sagoo, Advocate for respondent No.3.

SHEEL NAGU, C.J. (Oral)

1. Learned counsel for respondent No.2-PPCB, after seeking instructions from Mr. Amrik Singh, SLO, PPCB and Mr. Sukhdev, Environmental Engineer, PPCB, has fairly submitted that since the show cause notice was not issued, the Board, after withdrawing the impugned order, may be granted liberty to issue a fresh order.
2. Learned counsel for respondent No.2 submits that they are withdrawing the impugned order dated 24.03.2026 (Annexure P-14).

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3. In view of the above, we grant liberty to respondent No.2-PPCB to afford a reasonable opportunity of being heard to the petitioner within 15 days and thereafter pass an appropriate order in accordance with law.
4. Consequently, the impugned order dated 24.03.2026 pales into insignificance.
5. We make it clear that we have not entered into the merits of the allegations in this petition or comment on the impugned order and, we leave it to the Board to take a decision either way, in accordance with law.
6. In view of the above, the present petition stands disposed of.

(SHEEL NAGU)
CHIEF JUSTICE

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(SANJIV BERRY)
JUDGE

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| i) | Whether speaking/reasoned? | Yes/No |
| ii) | Whether reportable? | Yes/No |