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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

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Date of decision: 30.04.2026

Kulwant Singh

....Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab and others

....Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSH BUNGER

Present: Mr. S.L. Chander Shekhar, Advocate
for the petitioner.

HARSH BUNGER J. (Oral)

1. Petition herein is, *inter alia*, seeking a writ in the nature of Mandamus, for directing the respondents to decide the petitioner's representation dated 22.04.2026 (Annexure P-2).

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that as regards the relief claimed in the present writ petition, the petitioner has moved the representation dated 22.04.2026 (Annexure P-2), but the same has not been adverted to by the concerned authorities, till date. He submits that petitioner would be satisfied, if time bound directions are issued to respondent No.3 – District Development and Panchayat Officer, Block Ferozepur, District Ferozepur/competent Authority to decide aforesaid representation dated 22.04.2026 (Annexure P-2).

3. At this stage, Mr. Navneet Singh, Addl. A.G. Punjab, appears on behalf of the respondents-State, in pursuance of the advance copy of paper book having already been supplied to him, and submits that although an Administrator has been appointed vide order dated 17.04.2026 for a period of 30 days and his term would expire on 16.05.2026; however, before

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extending that period (if the circumstances so warrant), the representation dated 22.04.2026 (Annexure P-2) submitted by petitioner would be considered and decided by respondent No.3 – District Development and Panchayat Officer, Block Ferozepur, District Ferozepur/competent authority, after affording due opportunity of hearing to the petitioner and all other concerned parties, within a period of one month from today.

4. Keeping in view the above, no further order is required to be passed and the present petition stands disposed of accordingly.

5. All the pending application(s), if any, shall also stand closed.

30.04.2026*ankit***(HARSH BUNGER)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned:

Yes/No

Whether reportable:

Yes/No