



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

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CWP-14338-2026

Date of Decision : **May 08, 2026**

SH ARJUN KRISHAN

.....Petitioner

VERSUS

SUB DIVISIONAL MAGISTRATE AND OTHERS

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPINDER SINGH NALWA

Present : Mr. Chaitanya RV, Advocate for the petitioner.

DEEPINDER SINGH NALWA, J. (Oral)

1. In the present writ petition, the petitioner is praying for issuance of a direction to the respondents to refund the stamp duty amounting to Rs.9,13,600/- and Rs.3,48,700/- to the petitioner due to extreme medical condition of the father of the petitioner, who had purchased the stamp papers.
2. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner, on instructions from the petitioner, submits that at this stage, the petitioner will be satisfied if a direction is given to respondent No.1 to decide the legal notice dated 13.10.2025 (Annexure P-8) submitted by the petitioner, in a time bound manner.
3. Notice of motion.
4. Mr. Rohit Ahuja, DAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents and does not object to the prayer made by learned counsel for the petitioner.

5. In view of the above and without commenting upon the merits of the case, this petition is hereby disposed of with a direction to respondent No.1 to consider and decide the legal notice dated 13.10.2025 (Annexure P-8), submitted by the petitioner within a period of 06 weeks from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order, in accordance with law.

6. Pending application(s), if any, shall also stand(s) disposed of accordingly.

May 08, 2026

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(DEEPINDER SINGH NALWA)

JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned. : Yes/No

Whether Reportable. : Yes/No