



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

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COCP-4348-2025 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 06.04.2026

BHAN SINGH**.....Petitioner**

Vs.

RISHI PAL SINGH AND ANOTHER**.....Respondents****CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE SUDEEPTI SHARMA**

Present: Mr. Shvetanshu Goel, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Uday Agnihotri, Advocate
for the respondents.

SUDEEPTI SHARMA J. (Oral)

1. On the last date of hearing, Mr. Uday Agnihotri, Advocate appeared for respondent Nos.1 and 2 but, inadvertently, his attendance was not marked.
2. The present contempt petition has been filed for deliberate and intentional disobedience of order dated 05.02.2025 passed by this Court in CWP-13176-2023, whereby, direction was issued to the respondent-University to decide the claim of the petitioner by passing the speaking order.
3. Learned counsel for respondents contends that in compliance of order dated 05.02.2025, affidavit of Mr. Rishi Pal Singh, IAS, Registrar, Punjab Agricultural University, Ludhiana dated 17.02.2026 along with Annexure R-1 dated 14.05.2025, speaking order dated 19.05.2025 attached as Annexures R-2 and Annexure R-3 dated 19.05.2025 has been filed. The



same is taken on the record. A copy thereof has been supplied to learned counsel for the petitioner.

3. A perusal of speaking order dated 19.05.2025 shows that order dated 05.02.2025 passed in CWP-13176-2023 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 19.05.2025 in accordance with law.

6. All the pending miscellaneous applications, if any, are also disposed of.

06.04.2026

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(SUDEEPTI SHARMA)

JUDGE

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