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

**CWP-37138-2025 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 18.02.2026**

Jagtar Singh

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSH BUNGER

Present: Mr. R.K.S. Brar, Advocate
for the petitioner.

HARSH BUNGER J. (ORAL)

Petition herein is. *inter alia*, seeking a writ in the nature of Mandamus, directing the official respondents No.1 to 7 to take appropriate action against respondents No.8 to 13 for causing damage to the public property, i.e. green trees standing in the school premises which have been cut and sold out without any authorization.

2. At this stage, Mr. Nirmaljit Singh Diwana, Senior Deputy Advocate General, Punjab, appears on behalf of the respondent-State, in pursuance of the advance copy of paper book having already been supplied to him. He, on instructions from Mr. Amrik Singh, Block Development and Panchayat Officer, Nurpur Bedi, Ropar, informs the Court that the matter is presently pending consideration before the learned Block Development and Panchayat Officer, Nurpur Bedi, Ropar. He further submits that the

proceedings shall be taken to the logical end expeditiously and, in any case, not beyond a period of eight weeks from today, in accordance with law.

3. Keeping in view the aforesaid submissions made by learned State counsel, no further orders are required to be passed in the present writ petition and the same is, accordingly, disposed of.

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

18.02.2026

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(HARSH BUNGER)

JUDGE

1. Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

2. Whether reportable : Yes/No