



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

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**COCP No.1928 of 2025 (O & M)****Date of decision :-23.07.2025****Baljinder Singh and another****.....Petitioners****Versus****Sh. Arun Sharma, Divisional Deputy Director, Rural  
Development and Panchayat, Patiala Division, Patiala****.....Respondent****CORAM:- HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE NIDHI GUPTA**

Present:- Mr. Harinder Pal Singh Ishar, Advocate (through VC)  
for the petitioners.

Mr. Manmeet Singh Teji, AAG Punjab.

**NIDHI GUPTA J. (Oral)**

Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that contempt proceedings be initiated against the respondent(s) for not complying the order dated 06.8.2022 (Annexure P-1) passed by a co-ordinate Bench of this Court in CWP-17241-2022 titled as “Baljinder Singh and another vs. State of Punjab and others”, vide which direction was issued to the respondent “....to decide the pending proposal dated 19.12.2020 (Annexure P-5) by passing a Speaking Order within four weeks from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.”

Learned counsel for the respondent-State has filed the Compliance Report dated 01.7.2025 by way of affidavit of Shri Arun Sharma, Divisional Director, Rural Development and Panchayat, Patiala Division, Patiala and submits that necessary compliance has



been made, while passing a speaking order dated 17.6.2025 by the respondent; thus, no cause survives in the present petition.

Copy of the aforesaid Compliance Report dated 01.7.2025 produced by the learned counsel for the respondent-State is taken on record. Copy thereof is supplied to learned counsel for the petitioner(s). Registry to tag/paginate the same at appropriate place in the paper-book.

In view of the above, no further orders are required to be passed in the present petition, the same is **disposed of** accordingly.

The petitioner would be at liberty to challenge the aforesaid Speaking Order as per law.

Rule stands discharged.

Pending application(s), if any, shall stands disposed of.

July 23, 2025

Vijay Asija

( NIDHI GUPTA )  
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned Yes / No

Whether Reportable Yes / No