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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT  
CHANDIGARH

(208)

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Date of decision: - 19.02.2025

Union of India and another

...Appellants

Versus

Ramesh Chand

....Respondent

**CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VIKAS BAHL**

Present:- Mr. Anil Chawla, Senior Panel Counsel  
for the appellants-UOI.

None for the respondent.

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**VIKAS BAHL, J. (ORAL)**

1. In the present appeal, the respondent-plaintiff/Ramesh Chand had filed a suit for declaration to the effect that the order of discharge dated 06.09.1987 was illegal, null and void and the suit filed by the respondent-plaintiff was decreed and the appeal filed by the present appellants/UOI was dismissed.

2. On 19.02.1998, a Co-ordinate Bench of this Court had stayed the operation of the judgment and decree, which stay has continued till date.

3. None has appeared on behalf of the respondent in spite of the fact that notices have been issued to him.



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4. Learned counsel for the appellants has submitted that in the such circumstances, the present appeal be disposed of but liberty be granted to the appellants to revive the same in case the respondent comes to enforce the judgment passed by the trial Court and the 1<sup>st</sup> Appellate Court.

5. In view of the above, the present appeal is disposed of with the aforesaid liberty. However, it would also be open to the respondent to revive the present appeal in case any cause survives.

**February 19, 2025**  
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**( VIKAS BAHL )**  
**JUDGE**

Whether reasoned/speaking?	Yes/No
Whether reportable?	Yes/No