

2025:PHHC:060302



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

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COCP-1598-2025 (O&M)

Date of Decision : 07.05.2025

RISHI RAJ

... Petitioner

VERSUS

RIPUDHAMAN SINGH DHILLON, IAS

... Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE ALKA SARIN

Present : Mr. Parveen Chauhan, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Suneel Ranga, DAG Haryana for the respondent.

ALKA SARIN, J. (ORAL)

1. The present petition has been filed under Section 12 of the Contempt of Courts Act, 1971 for initiation of contempt proceedings against the respondent for intentionally and deliberately violating the order dated 20.12.2024 passed by this Court in CWP-34795-2024.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner would contend that vide order dated 20.12.2024 passed by this Court, the writ petition being CWP-34795-2024 was disposed off with a direction to the respondents therein to consider and decide the representation dated 20.09.2024 within a period of 4 months in a just, fair and reasonable manner. However, the order dated 23.01.2025 (Annexure P-2) passed by the respondent herein deciding the representation is not passed in a just, fair and reasonable manner.

3. Heard.

4. The only direction issued by this Court vide order dated 20.12.2024 passed in CWP-34795-2024 was to consider and decide the representation dated 20.09.2024 within a period of 4 months in a just, fair and reasonable manner. The said representation had been decided by a speaking order dated 23.01.2025 which has been appended with the petition itself as Annexure P-2.

5. In view of the fact that a decision had already been taken and a speaking order has also been passed, the present contempt petition is not maintainable and the same is accordingly dismissed. Pending applications, if any, also stand disposed off.

07.05.2025
Aman Jain

(ALKA SARIN)
JUDGE

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