



CWP-22417-2020 & connected case 1

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

(286+287)

**CWP-22417-2020**

**Date of Decision : March 11, 2025**

**Jagdish Kumar Arya and others**

**.. Petitioners**

**Versus**

**State of Punjab and another**

**.. Respondents**

(287)

**CWP-22491-2020**

**Hari Krishan Garg and others**

**.. Petitioners**

**Versus**

**State of Punjab and another**

**.. Respondents**

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI**

Present: Mr. Vikas Singh, Advocate, for the petitioners  
in both petitions.

Ms. Akshita Chauhan, DAG, Punjab.

**HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI J. (ORAL)**

1. By this common order, two writ petitions, the details of which have been given in the heading, are being disposed of as both the petitions involve the same question of law on similar facts.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that the issue raised in the present writ petitions has already been decided by this Court while passing order in *CWP No.14913 of 2015 titled as Nareshjit Singh Anand and others vs. State of Punjab and another, decided on 06.12.2019* and the same has already been upheld by the Division Bench in appeal.

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3. Learned counsel for the respondents does not object to the same but submits that the aforementioned judgment has already been upheld by the LPA Bench in LPA No.582 of 2021 but the review has been filed, which is pending.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that there is no interim order even in the review as even notice is yet to be issued in the said review.

5. Keeping in view the fact that the parties are agreed that the issue raised in the present petition is covered by the judgment of this Court passed in *Nareshjit Singh Anand's case (supra)*, merely that the review has been filed against the order of LPA Bench, will be no ground not to grant the petitioners the same relief as per the judgment in *Nareshjit Singh Anand's case (supra)*.

6. The present writ petitions are also disposed of in above terms.

7. A photocopy of this order be placed on the file of other connected case.

**March 11, 2025**  
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**(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)**  
**JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes  
Whether reportable : No