



COCP No.1951 of 2024 (O&M)

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

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Date of Decision: 01.10.2024

KULDEEP SINGH BADWAL

.....Petitioner

Vs

AJOY SHARMA AND ORS

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARKESH MANUJA

Present: Mr. Gurnoor Singh Sethi, Legal Aid Counsel
for the petitioner.

Mr. Athar Ahmed, DAG, Punjab.

HARKESH MANUJA, J. (Oral)

1. By way of present petition filed under Section 10 read with Section 12 of the Contempt of Courts Act, 1971, contempt proceedings are sought to be initiated against the respondents towards alleged willful non-compliance of order dated 20.10.2023 passed by this Court in CWP No.17610 of 1996.

2. Mr. Kumar Rahul, IAS, Principal Secretary, Department of Health & Family Welfare, Punjab has joined through video-conferencing and informs that the financial benefits payable to the petitioner shall be released within three weeks from today.

3. In view of the aforesaid undertaking by the respondent(s), learned counsel for the petitioner does not press the present petition.

4. Dismissed as not pressed. Rule stands discharged.

5. However, in case the needful is not done within the aforementioned period, as per the undertaking, the petitioner would be at liberty to seek revival of contempt petition and in that eventuality, the erring/concerned officer would be liable to pay a sum of Rs.50,000/- as cost(s) from his/her own pocket in favour of the petitioner towards litigation expenses, immediately i.e. on the first date of listing of revival application.

**(HARKESH MANUJA)
JUDGE**

October 01, 2024

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Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable

Yes/No
Yes/No