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

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**CWP-3855-2025
Date of Decision: 13.02.2025**

DHANPATI

... Petitioner

VERSUS

STATE OF HARYANA AND ANOTHER

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VINOD S. BHARDWAJ.

Present: Mr. A.P. Bhandari and Ms. Bhargvi,
Advocates for the petitioner.

VINOD S. BHARDWAJ, J. (ORAL)

Prayer in the present petition is for directing the respondents to decide the legal notice dated 28.06.2024 served by the petitioner upon the respondents.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that with regard to her grievance, the petitioner has already got served a legal notice dated 28.06.2024 (Annexure P-5) upon the respondents but they are sitting over the same as they have neither responded to the same nor did they take any action upon the same.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Tapan Kumar, DAG, Haryana accepts notice on behalf of respondents and submits that the concerned Authority i.e. respondent No.2 shall look into and decide the legal notice dated 28.06.2024 (Annexure P-5) as early as possible.

Even though the learned counsel for the petitioner has no objection to the abovesaid arrangement, however, he makes a request that respondent No.2 be directed to do the needful in a time bound manner.

Accordingly, in view of the above; with the consent of the parties and without commenting anything on the merits of the case, the present petition is disposed of while directing respondent No.2 – Divisional Forest Officer, Forest Division, Kaithal, District Kaithal to consider and decide the legal notice dated 28.06.2024 (Annexure P-5) by passing a reasoned and speaking order after affording an opportunity of hearing to the respective parties within a period of three months of the receipt of certified copy of this order.

Needless to mention that upon considering the said legal notice, if any amount is found due and payable to the petitioner, the same shall be disbursed in her favour within a further period of two months.

Petition stands disposed of accordingly.

FEBRUARY 13, 2025.
Rajender

(VINOD S. BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No