



235 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CWP-13403-2018

Date of Decision: January 20, 2025

Ashok Kumar (Retired Inspector Nagar Panchayat, Bhikhi) ... Appellant

Versus

State of Punjb and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK GUPTA

Present:- None for the appellant.

Mr. Surya Kumar, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Tarunjit S. Grewal, Advocate for respondent No.3.

DEEPAK GUPTA, J.(Oral)

On the last date of hearing, following order was passed:-

“There was no representation on behalf of the petitioner on 22.11.2023, when the matter was taken up for hearing. Even today also, position is the same.

Learned counsel for respondent No.3 submits that Nagar Councils- Gidderbaha, Mansa and Bucho are necessary parties to the lis as the petitioner had earlier rendered services with those Municipal Councils. The said averments have been made in Paras 2 and 3 of the preliminary objections. However, the petitioner has not impleaded the said Municipal Councils as necessary party-respondents in the present petition.

In the interest of justice, adjourned to 20.01.2025.

Copy of the order be served upon the counsel for the petitioner.

It is made clear that no further adjournment shall be granted on the next date of hearing.”

Today again, the position is same, inasmuch as there is no representation on behalf of the petitioner.

In the aforesaid, it is apparent that the petitioner is no longer interested in pursuing this petition.

Dismissed in default for want of prosecution.

January 20, 2025

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Whether reasoned/speaking:

Yes/No

Whether reportable:

Yes/No

**(DEEPAK GUPTA)
JUDGE**