IN THE HIGH COURT OF HIMACHAL PRADESH SHIMLA

CWP No.18967 of 2026.
Decided on : 28th October, 2026

Lekh Ram ...**Petitioner.**

Versus

State of H.P. & Ors. ...**Respondents.**

Coram:

Ms. Justice Jyotsna Rewal Dua, Judge.

Whether approved for reporting?[1]

For the Petitioner: Mr. Naresh Verma, Advocate.

For the respondents: Ms. Seema Sharma, Deputy Advocate General.

Jyotsna Rewal Dua, Judge.

Notice. Ms. Seema Sharma, learned Deputy Advocate General appears and waives service of notice on behalf of the respondents.

2. Petitioner's grievance is that his representations (Annexure P-3), seeking applicability of ***Baldev Singh vs. State of H.P. & Ors.***[2] has not been decided till date by the respondents/competent authority. Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner would be content in case the respondents/competent authority(s) are directed to consider and decide the aforesaid representation in accordance with law within a fixed-time schedule. Learned Deputy Advocate General is not averse to this prayer.

[1] Whether reporters of the local papers may be allowed to see the judgment?
[2]CWP No.2711 of 2017, decided on 22.02.2022.

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3. Having regard to the afore-submissions, but without examining the merits of the matter, this writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents/competent authority to consider and decide the aforesaid representation of the petitioner in accordance with law as well as taking into consideration the above judgment within a period of six weeks from today. The decision so arrived at shall also be communicated to the petitioner.

The writ petitions stand disposed of in the above terms, so also the pending miscellaneous application(s), if any.

Jyotsna Rewal Dua
Judge

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