IN THE HIGH COURT OF HIMACHAL PRADESH SHIMLA

CWP No.19028 of 2026 along with
CWP No. 18969 of 2026.
Decided on : 28th October, 2026

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1. CWP No. 19028 of 2026.

Mohan Lal ...**Petitioner.**

Versus

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

2. CWP No. 18969 of 2026.

Asha Devi ...**Petitioner.**

Versus

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

Coram:

Ms. Justice Jyotsna Rewal Dua, Judge.

Whether approved for reporting?[1]

For the Petitioners: Mr. Manohar Lal Sharma, Advocate and Ms. Narvada Kashyap, 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. Petitioners' grievance is that their representations (annexed with the respective petitions), seeking applicability of ***Inder Singh Thakur & Ors Vs. State of H.P. & Ors.***[2] have not been decided till date by the

[1] Whether reporters of the local papers may be allowed to see the judgment?
[2] CWP No. 4830 of 2023, decided alongwith connected matter on 07.04.2025.

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respondents/competent authority. Learned counsel for the petitioners submitted that the petitioners would be content in case the respondents/competent authority(s) are directed to consider and decide the aforesaid representations in accordance with law within a fixed-time schedule. Learned Deputy Advocate General is not averse to this prayer.

3. Having regard to the afore-submissions, but without examining the merits of the matter, these writ petitions are disposed of with a direction to the respondents/competent authority to consider and decide the aforesaid representations of the petitioners 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 petitioners.

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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