IN THE HIGH COURT OF HIMACHAL PRADESH, SHIMLA

CWP No. 19745/2026 a/w connected matters
Decided on: 04.11.2026

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1. **CWP No. 19745/2026**

Veena Kashyap **…..Petitioner**

Versus

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

2. CWP No. 19663/2026

Pushpender Pankaj **…..Petitioners**

Versus

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

3. **CWP No. 19661/2026**

Arti **…..Petitioner**

Versus

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

4. CWP No. 19640/2026

Anil Kumar & Anr. …Petitioners

Versus

State of H.P. & Ors. ….Respondents

5. CWP No. 19639/2026

Usha Kumari …Petitioner

Versus

State of H.P. & Ors. ….Respondents

6. CWP No. 19638/2026

Ashok Kumar …Petitioner

Versus

State of H.P. & Ors. ….Respondents

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7. CWP No. 19633/2026

Jagdish Chand …Petitioner

Versus

State of H.P. & Ors. ….Respondents

8. CWP No. 19595/2026

Poonam Kumari & Anr. …Petitioners

Versus

State of H.P. & Ors. ….Respondents

9. CWP No. 19560/2026

Davinder Bhatia …Petitioner

Versus

State of H.P. & Ors. ….Respondents

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Ms. Justice Jyotsna Rewal Dua
Whether approved for reporting?[1]

For the Petitioners: M/s Sakshi, Mandeep Chandel, Vivek Thakur, Surender K. Sharma, Jagmohan Sharma, Ravneet Kumar and Kush Sharma, Advocates for the petitioners in the respective petitions.

For the Respondents: Mr. Y.P.S. Dhaulta, Additional Advocate General, for the respondents.

Jyotsna Rewal Dua, Judge

Petitioners seek applicability of ***Ghanshyam Dass and Ors Vs. State of H.P. and Ors***[2].

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[1] **Whether reporters of print and electronic media may be allowed to see the order? Yes.**
[2] CWP No. 2056 of 2023 decided alongwith connected matters on 21.03.2024

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2. Learned Additional Advocate General has apprised that the aforesaid decision has been stayed under order dated 17.08.2026 passed in *LPA No.205 of 2025 and other connected matters*.

3. In view of above position, the relief in the nature claimed by the petitioners cannot be granted to them at this stage. These writ petitions, therefore, are disposed of with direction to the respondents to consider the cases of the petitioners within six weeks after the adjudication of *LPA No.205 of 2025* and in terms thereof.

4. With the above observations, these writ petitions stand disposed of.

Pending miscellaneous application(s), if any, also to stand disposed of.

Jyotsna Rewal Dua
Judge

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