



Poonam Gehlot Vs. State of HP & others.

CWP No. 153 of

2018

17.06.2024

Present: None for the petitioner.

Mr. Anup Rattan, Advocate General with Mr. Rakesh Dhaulta, Mr. Pranay Pratap Singh, Mr. Sushant Kaprate, Mr. Gobind Korla, Additional Advocates General with Ms. Priyanka Chauhan & Mr. Arsh Rattan, Deputy Advocates General, for the respondents-State.

Mr. Adarsh K. Vashista, Advocate, for respondent no. 5.

Mr. Sunil Mohan Goel, Advocate, for respondent no. 6.

Mr. Surya Chauhan, Advocate, vice Mr. Tara Singh Chauhan, Advocate, for respondent no. 8.

None for respondent no. 9.

The Secretary, Rural Development and the Secretary, Urban Development, Government of Himachal Pradesh shall hold a meeting with the respective Secretaries of the Gram Panchayats in the State and also the Municipal Councils alongwith the respective Deputy Commissioners to co-ordinate efforts in the State for management of the solid waste being generated and prevent it being dumped below National Highways or in water bodies.

Penal action against the miscreants be also taken appropriately and emphasis should be made on prevention instead of dealing with the problem after it arises keeping in view the laws pertaining to environment of



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respective Forest Act and the applicable Forest laws in question.

Reply be filed by the said Secretaries by the next date of hearing.

List on **12.08.2024**.

Ramachandra Rao)

**(M.S.
Chief Justice.**

**(Satyen Vaidya)
Judge**

June 17, 2024
(hemlata)