

**LALIT KUMAR AND ANOTHER Versus THE STATE OF HP
AND OTHERS a/w connected matter**

**CWP-5608 of 2024 a/w
CWP-7238 of 2024**

05.01.2026 Present: Mr. Sanjeev Bhushan, Senior Advocate with Mr. Sohail Khan, Advocate, for the petitioner(s), in both the petitions.

Mr. Rajan Kahol, Additional Advocate General with Mr. Ravi Chauhan & Mr. Anish Banshtu, Deputy Advocates General, for the respondents-State.

Mr. Arun Kaushal, Advocate, for respondents No.4 to 7 in CWP-5608 of 2024.

Mr. Vinod Chauhan, Advocate, for respondent No.3 in CWP-7238 of 2024.

Mr. Vikrant Chandel, Advocate, for respondents No.4 to 14 in CWP-7238 of 2024.

Last opportunity of four weeks, as prayed for, is granted to respondent No. 3 to file supplementary affidavit, failing which this Court would be constrained to decide the petition on the next date of hearing on the basis of material already available on record.

List on 24.02.2026.

January 05, 2026
(*sunil*)

**(Sandeep Sharma),
Judge**