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Santuk Ram v. State of Himachal Pradesh and Ors.

CWP No. 8981 of 2023

12.3.2024 Present: Mr. Aashish Kumar, Advocate, for the petitioner.
Mr. Rajan Kahol, Mr. Vishal Panwar and Mr. B.C. Verma, Additional Advocates General, with Ms. Menka Raj Chauhan, Deputy Advocate General, for the State.

As per report of the Registry, notice issued to respondent No.4 has been received back for want of correct address. Learned counsel for the petitioner prays for and is granted one week's time to furnish correct address of respondent No.4, enabling the Registry to issue notice returnable within four weeks thereafter.

Since despite service, respondent No.5 has chosen not to be represented before this Court, it is ordered to be proceeded *ex-parte*.

Reply on behalf of respondents No.1 to 3 be filed within four weeks, failing which right to file the same shall stand closed.

List after four weeks.

March 12, 2024
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(Sandeep Sharma),
Judge