



Karam Chand versus The State of Himachal Pradesh & Others

CWPIL No.85 of 2022

[Item No.D-8]

01.05.2025

Present: Mr. Pushpinder Verma, Advocate for Mr. Kul Bhushan Khajuria, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Rakesh Dhaulta, Additional Advocate General, for respondents-State.

Mr. Sat Parkash, Advocate, for respondent No.4.

Mr. Vijay Kumar Arora, Senior Advocate with Ms. Godawari, Ms. Lalita Sharma, Mr. Gaurav Kumar, Mr. Hitansh Raj and Ms. Aastha Kohli, Advocates, for respondent No.5.

Mr. Sohail Khan, Advocate, for Mr. Om Parkash, Deputy Ranger.

Registry is directed to reflect the name of Mr. Rajesh Kumar, Advocate, in the cause list in future as counsel for Om Prakash.

2. Order dated 24.03.2025 be complied with by State and filing of personal affidavits of the concerned Officials be done, since affidavit has only been filed by Managing Director of HPSFC.

3. The said affidavit goes on to show that an action has been taken against Ram Krishna, Assistant Manager and Om Prakash, Deputy Ranger. As per the charge sheet, an Inquiry Officer has been



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appointed and the statement of the PW3-Amit Kumar was recorded. As per the damage, a bill of Rs.16,71,308/- was issued regarding which a civil suit has been filed against the Contractor. The said affidavit does not depict that any security was available and whether any action has been taken for forfeiting the same.

4. Let necessary affidavit be filed regarding this aspect and also steps be taken to complete the inquiry expeditiously by the next date.

List on **17.06.2025.**

(G.S. Sandhawalia)
Chief Justice

(Ranjan Sharma)
Justice

May 01, 2025
(Chiranjeev/Bhardwaj)