

Swarna Devi versus State of H.P. and others

CWPOA No.5652 of 2019

14.10.2025 Present: Mr. Tarun Brakta, Advocate, vice Mr. Atharv Sharma, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Navlesh Verma, Additional Advocate General for respondents No. 1 to 3-State.

Mr. Lokinder Paul Thakur, Senior Panel Counsel, for respondent No.4.

Reply not filed for the last 10 years, since filing of the petition on 27.07.2015.

2. At this stage, Learned State Counsel prays for three weeks' time to file reply.

3. Reluctantly, prayer for filing reply is allowed, subject to cost of Rs.10,000/-, which shall be deposited with Himachal Pradesh Chief Justice Disaster Relief Fund, 2025 before filing of the reply.

List the matter after three weeks.

14th October, 2025

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**(Ranjan Sharma)
Judge**