

Tek Chand versus State of Himachal Pradesh & Others

CWPIL No.76 of 2025

[Item No.S-1]
22.08.2025

Present: Mr. Ankit Dhiman, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Gobind Korla, Additional Advocate General, for the respondents-State.

Inter alia submits that the petitioner, on the ground of suffering from leprosy, was allotted Room No.4 in Block-A, Sarvodya Leper Colony, Phagli, way back on 29.12.2012. It is pointed out that on ground of poor maintenance, a representation was submitted and, accordingly, a sum of Rs.11,89,998/- was sanctioned on 03.08.2024 [*Annexure P-5*]. However, instead of carrying out the repair work, the departments concerned have entered into *inter se* communications regarding another amount of Rs.82.82 lakh, which has been provided, yet the repair work has not been carried out.

2. Reference is made to photographs placed on record to show that maintenance of the said building, in which other inmates are also stated to be residing, requires immediate redressal.

3. Notice. Mr. Gobind Korla, Additional Advocate General, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents and prays for time to file a status report.

4. It is made clear that in case the said premises requires maintenance, as pleaded, and the amount has already been sanctioned, the mere pendency of the present litigation shall not prevent the respondents from carrying out the necessary work.

5. List on **26.09.2025**.

(G.S. Sandhawalia)
Chief Justice

(Ranjan Sharma)
Judge

August 22, 2025
(Shivender/Himani)