



**IN THE HIGH COURT OF HIMACHAL PRADESH AT SHIMLA**  
**Contempt Petition No.1242 of 2026**  
**Date of decision: 18.09.2026**

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Priyanka Thakur

....Petitioner

Versus

Sudha Devi & Ors.

....Respondents

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*Coram:*

**The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Sushil Kukreja, J.**

*Whether approved for reporting ?<sup>1</sup>*

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**For the Petitioner:**

Ms. Mamta Garg, Advocate.

**For the Respondents:**

Mr. B.N. Sharma, Additional Advocate  
General.

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**Sushil Kukreja, Judge(Oral):**

Learned Additional Advocate General, has placed on record communication dated 17.09.2026, wherein, it has been stated that judgment dated 21.03.2024, passed in CWP No.2056 of 2023, titled as Ghanshyam Dass vs. State of H.P. & Ors., with a lead case titled as Yashwant Kumar vs. State of H.P. & Ors. bearing CWP No.8148 of 2022, has been stayed by the Hon'ble Division Bench vide LPA No.295 of 2026 and 316 of 2025, respectively. Accordingly, keeping in view the above factual position, the representation of the present petitioner has been kept pending by the respondent-department till the final outcome/decision in the aforesaid LPA.

2. Therefore, in view of the above, at this stage, no further order is required to be passed in the present contempt petition and accordingly,



the same is closed and disposed of. However, the petitioner is at liberty to revive the present contempt petition, as and when the occasion arises.

**( Sushil Kukreja )**  
**Judge**

**September 18, 2026**  
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