



2025:HHC:40472

IN THE HIGH COURT OF HIMACHAL PRADESH, SHIMLA

CWP No.18409 of 2024

Date of Decision: 27.11.2025

Ajudhaya Devi

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Himachal Pradesh & Ors.

.....Respondents

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Hon'ble Mr. Justice Sandeep Sharma, Judge.

Whether approved for reporting?

For the Petitioner: Ms. Aafreen Kaushal, Advocate.

For the respondents: Mr. Rajan Kahol, Mr. Vishal Panwar, Additional Advocates General with Mr. Ravi Chauhan & Mr. Anish Banshtu, Deputy Advocates General, for the respondents-State.

Mr. Tek Ram Sharma, Advocate, for respondent No.4.

Sandeep Sharma, J. *(Oral)*

Before reply, if any, from the respondents could be received, learned counsel representing the petitioner, while inviting attention of this Court to judgment 27.06.2025 passed by Coordinate Bench this Court in CWP No.6688 of 2021 titled ***Bimla Devi Vs. State of H.P. & others***, states that issue raised in the instant proceedings already stands adjudicated by Coordinate Bench this Court in ***Bimla Devi*** (*supra*) and as such, petitioner would be content and satisfied in case directions are issued to the respondents to consider the representation of the petitioner in light of aforesaid judgment in a time bound manner.



2. While putting in appearance on behalf of respondents, Mr. Rajan Kahol, learned Additional Advocate General, states that he is not averse to aforesaid innocuous prayer made on behalf of the petitioner and representation, if any, filed by the petitioner shall be considered and decided expeditiously.

3. Consequently, in view of the above, this Court, without going into the merits of the case, deems it fit to dispose of the present petition with a direction to the respondents to consider and decide the representation of the petitioner (**Annexure P-3**) in light of **Bimla Devi** (*supra*), expeditiously, preferably within a period of six weeks. Ordered accordingly. Needless to say, authority concerned, while doing the needful in terms of instant order, shall afford an opportunity of being heard to the petitioner and pass appropriate orders thereafter. Pending applications, if any, stand disposed of.

November 27, 2025
(*sunil*)

(Sandeep Sharma),
Judge