

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF HIMACHAL PRADESH,
SHIMLA**

CWP No. 1233/2026

Decided on: 06.04.2026

Lekh Raj

...Petitioner

Versus

State of H.P. & Ors.

....Respondents

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Coram

Ms. Justice Jyotsna Rewal Dua, Judge.

Whether approved for reporting?¹

For the petitioner:

Mr. Surinder Saklani, Advocate.

For the respondents:

**Mr. Vishwadeep Sharma,
Additional Advocate General, for
respondents No.1 to 4.**

**Mr. Rajesh Parkash, Advocate for
respondent No.5.**

Jyotsna Rewal Dua, J.

Grievances of the petitioner were noticed as under in
the order dated 27.02.2026: -

“Notice confined to respondents No.1 to 5 at this stage.
*Mr. Y.P.S. Dhaulta, learned Additional Advocate General and Mr.
Rajesh Parkash, learned counsel, accept notice on behalf of
respondents No.1 to 4 and 5 respectively.*

*Let the learned Additional Advocate General to have
instructions in the matter with respect to petitioner’s allegation of
his complaints having been not taken to their logical conclusion
after the issuance of office letters dated 17.01.2025 (Annexure P-
2) and 24.04.2025 (Annexure P-3). Further steps, if any, taken
pursuant thereto, be also placed on record.*

List on 01.04.2026.”

¹ Whether reporters of the local papers may be allowed to see the judgment? yes

2. Following order was passed in the matter on 01.04.2026: -

“Learned Assistant Advocate General has placed on record a copy of office instructions dated 01.04.2026 received from the District Panchayat Officer-cum-Secretary, Zila Parishad, Una. The said office instructions refer to the completion of inquiry proceedings based on the material available on record and evidence in view of petitioner’s noncooperation with the inquiry proceedings. However, the documents appended along with the office instructions do not include the inquiry report.

Let the respondents place on record the inquiry report in terms of the aforesaid instructions.

List on 06.04.2026.”

3. Learned Assistant Advocate General has placed on record a copy of office instructions dated 02.04.2026 received from the office of the Secretary, Zila Parishad Una, H.P., inter alia, placing on record the inquiry report.

4. Taking note of the office instructions dated 01.04.2026 filed on the previous date, as also the office instructions dated 02.04.2026 and the inquiry report furnished therewith, the present petition is disposed of, with liberty reserved to the petitioner to seek appropriate remedy, in accordance with law, for redressal of his surviving grievance, if any. Pending miscellaneous applications, if any, shall also stand disposed of.

Jyotsna Rewal Dua
Judge

6th April, 2026 (rohit)