



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

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RSA-1675-2014 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 11.05.2026

Malkiat Singh

.... Appellant

Versus

Sucha Singh and others

.... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE NIDHI GUPTA

Present: - None for the appellant.

Mr. Pritam Saini, Advocate for respondents No. 1 and 2.

NIDHI GUPTA, J. (ORAL)

1. Appellant/plaintiff is in second appeal against the concurrent judgments and decrees rendered by both the District Courts whereby suit for declaration filed by the plaintiff was dismissed.

2. The present second appeal is of the year 2014. On the last date of hearing i.e. 11.07.2025, following order has been passed by this Court:-

“Perusal of order sheets shows that on the almost dates when the matter was put up for hearing, the same was adjourned on request of learned counsel for the appellant.

Today none has put in appearance on behalf of the appellant.

The matter pertains to the year 2014.

In the interest of justice, adjourned to 09.5.2026.

Registry to inform learned counsel for the appellant(s) about the date fixed.

It is made clear that no further adjournment shall be granted.”

3. Pursuant thereto, office report dated 07.05.2026 has been received as per which Mr. SM Sharma, Advocate for the appellant has



been informed about the date fixed through e-mail, but despite that, none has put in appearance on behalf of the appellant in Court today.

4. A bare reading of the above facts shows that the appellant has exhibited an utterly casual attitude in his pursuit of the present litigation. It is to be appreciated that very valuable public time of the Court has been expended in affording opportunities to the appellant in the interest of justice. On the other hand, the appellant has adopted an utterly casual and careless approach. It is clear that neither the appellant nor his counsel is seriously interested in pursuing the present matter. Thus, this Court is left with no other option except to **dismiss** the same for non-prosecution.

5. Ordered accordingly.

6. Pending application(s), if any, shall also stand disposed of.

11.05.2026
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(NIDHI GUPTA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned Yes/No

Whether Reportable Yes/No