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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

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Date of Decision: 23.04.2026

Gurwinder Singh

..... Petitioner

Versus

Superintending Canal Officer, Ferozepur Canal Circle,
Ferozepur and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSH BUNGER

Present: Mr. Sandeep Khunger, Advocate and
Mr. Saksham Khunger, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Navneet Singh, Addl. A.G. Punjab.

None for respondent No.4.

HARSH BUNGER J. (ORAL)**CM-18638-CWP-2025:**

Prayer in the present application is for placing on record the RTI application and reply dated 17.09.2025 received from Water Resources Department, Punjab.

For the reasons mentioned in the application, same is allowed and the RTI application and reply dated 17.09.2025 received from Water Resources Department, Punjab, are taken on record, subject to all just exceptions.

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Application is disposed of, accordingly.

CM-6139-CWP-2026:

Prayer in the present application is for placing on record the copy of order dated 19.12.2025 passed by the learned Tehsildar-cum-Assistant Collector, Grade-1, Jalalabad, District Fazilka (Annexure P-9) and copy of site plan (Annexure P-10) and for exemption from filing the certified copies thereof.

For the reasons mentioned in the application, same is allowed and the copy of order dated 19.12.2025 passed by the learned Tehsildar-cum-Assistant Collector, Grade-1, Jalalabad, District Fazilka (Annexure P-9) and copy of site plan (Annexure P-10), are taken on record, subject to all just exceptions.

Application is disposed of, accordingly.

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Prayer in the instant civil writ petition filed under Articles 226/227 of Constitution of India, *inter alia*, is for issuance of a writ in the nature of *Certiorari* for setting aside the order dated 22.04.2025 (Annexure P-5) passed by the learned Divisional Canal Officer, Abohar Canal Division, Abohar and order dated 16.07.2025 (Annexure P-6) passed by the learned Superintending Canal Officer, Ferozepur Canal Circle, Ferozepur.

2. Today, there is written request for adjournment circulated on behalf of respondent No.4. However, learned counsel for the petitioner while referring to Annexures P-1 and P-10 submits that the present writ petition has been rendered infructuous, as the land wherein the water course was existing already stands partitioned between the parties and even the water course stands shifted to different location than the one depicted in

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Annexure P-10 (site plan). He further submits that in the light of the said subsequent fact, the petitioner would be required to again approach the canal authorities for seeking appropriate relief, if need so arises; accordingly, he prays that he may be permitted to withdraw the present writ petition with liberty to the petitioner to avail his remedies before the canal authorities, in view of the aforesaid changed factual situation at site.

3. Ordered accordingly.
4. All the pending application(s), if any, shall also stand closed.

23.04.2026*Pd***(HARSH BUNGER)
JUDGE**

1. Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
2. Whether reportable : Yes/No