

**SECTION-IV**  
**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA**  
**CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION**  
**CIVIL APPEAL NO. 7230 OF 2009**

State of Punjab & Ors.

...Appellants

Versus

Joginder Singh & Ors.

...Respondents

**OFFICE REPORT FOR DIRECTIONS**

The matter above-mentioned was listed before the Hon'ble Judge in Chamber on 19.08.2015 with Office Report dated 28.07.2015, when the following Order was passed:-

**“It is stated that respondents Nos. 2 and 3 are represented by one Mr. Jarnail Singh who is constituted attorney of the said respondents. Service on the constituted attorney has been affected. Office to verify and proceed.”**

It is submitted that all the three Respondents are represented through their General Power of Attorney holder, Sh. Jarnail Singh. In terms of Court's order dated 24.06.2014, notice was issued to the Respondents through their General Power of Attorney holder Mr. Jarnail Singh for effecting service through the High Court. High Court vide letter dated 26.09.2014 has reported that Mr. Jarnail Singh, Attorney holder for all the 3 Respondents is not residing at the given address and is residing out of the country with his family. Thus, the Notice could not be served upon him.

It is further submitted that Mr. S.C. Patel, Counsel for the Appellants has on 13.07.2015 filed Affidavit of dasti service stating therein that copy of petition of appeal has been served upon Sh. Joginder Singh, who is Respondent No. 1 herein represented through General Power of Attorney holder Sh. Jarnail Singh, but the Counsel has not filed proof of acknowledgment of notice which was to be served upon all the Respondents through power of attorney holder Mr. Jarnail Singh. Affidavit of dasti service with Annexure enclosed herewith for kind perusal of the Hon'ble Court.

The appeal above mentioned is listed before the Hon'ble Judge in Chamber with this Office Report for directions.

Dated this the 26<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2015.

**ASSISTANT REGISTRAR**