

IN THE HIGH COURT OF HIMACHAL PRADESH AT SHIMLA

ON THE 31st DAY OF MAY, 2022

BEFORE

**HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE SABINA
ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE**

&

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SATYEN VAIDYA

CIVIL WRIT PETITION No.3393 of 2022

Between:-

**JODH SINGH, SON OF SHRI MANGAT RAM,
RESIDENT OF VILLAGE DHABOTA, POST OFFICE,
KHANI, TEHSIL BHARMOUR, DISTRICT
CHAMBA, H.P. EX HOME GUARD,
8TH BATTALION, CHAMBA, DISTRICT CHAMBA,
HIMACHAL PRADESH. AGE 43 YEARS.PETITIONER**

**(BY MS. BABITA CHAUHAN, ADVOCATE ON
BEHALF OF MR. A.K. GUPTA, ADVOCATE)**

AND

- 1. STATE OF HIMACHAL PRADESH THROUGH
THE PRINCIPAL SECRETARY (HOME) WITH
HEADQUARTERS AT SHIMLA-2, HIMACHAL
PRADESH.**
- 2. THE COMMANDANT GENERAL (HOME GUARDS)
WITH HEADQUARTERS AT SHIMLA, HIMACHAL
PRADESH.**
- 3. THE COMMANDANT, HOME GUARDS 8TH
BATTALION, CHAMBA, DISTRICT CHAMBA,
HIMACHAL PRADESH. RESPONDENTS**

**(BY MR. ASHWANI K. SHARMA, ADDITIONAL
ADVOCATE GENERAL)**

*This Civil Writ Petition coming on for admission this day, **Hon'ble Ms. Justice Sabina**, passed the following:*

ORDER

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the issue in question is squarely covered by the judgment rendered by a Coordinate Bench of this Court in **CWP No. 3628 of 2020**, in case titled as **Inder Singh versus State of H.P. & Others**, decided on 05.01.2021. This is a matter, which is required to be examined by the respondents.

2. Having regard to the limited submissions and without going into the merits of the case, the writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents to consider the case of the petitioner in light of the aforementioned judgment rendered by a Coordinate Bench of this Court in **Inder Singh's case (supra)**.

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

**(Sabina)
Acting Chief Justice**

May 31, 2022 (ks)

**(Satyen Vaidya)
Judge**