

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

CR No.6101 of 2015

Date of decision: 17.09.2015

M/s Venus Rice & General Mill and another

...Petitioners

versus

Punjab State Warehousing Corporation and another

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE RITU BAHRI

Present: Mr. R.S. Rangpuri, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

RITU BAHRI, J.

Challenge in this petition is to the order dated 12.08.2015 (Annexure P-6) passed by the sole Arbitrator-respondent No.2, whereby application filed by the petitioners for appointment of Handwriting Expert to compare the signatures on receipts, Ex.P4 and Ex.P7 with the admitted/specimen signature of petitioner No.1 and his attorney, has been dismissed.

At the time of filing of petition before the Arbitrator, receipts dated 18.12.2012 and 13.12.2012 (Ex.P4 and Ex.P7) were placed on record. The respondent-petitioners are disputing the genuineness of these receipts as those were never executed by Saurav Kathuria or his attorney Aseem Kumar (petitioners).

While dismissing the application, the Arbitrator has observed that there was ample evidence on record to show that the receipts were issued by the applicant or his attorney Aseem Kumar. No complaint had been made by the petitioners against any of the officials of Punjab State Warehousing

Corporation with regard to forgery of the receipts in question.

Perusal of the impugned order shows that apart from these receipts, the Arbitrator had other ample evidence to examine. The proceedings before the Arbitrator being at the fag end, no ground is made out to interfere in the impugned order.

Dismissed.

(RITU BAHRI)
JUDGE

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