

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

CWP No.18774 of 2015(O&M)
Date of decision: **September 29, 2015**

Sarangra Cooperative L & C Society Ltd. ...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others ...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE HARINDER SINGH SIDHU

Present: Mr.Ashish Aggarwal, Advocate
for the petitioner.

HARINDER SINGH SIDHU, J.

The petitioner is a registered society. It was allotted the work of rehabilitation of Gharka minor from R.D.74242 slice R.D. 0-24000 and Jamarai disty system from R.D. 0 to 74242 slice RD 5000 to 12760, vide work orders dated 22.12.2014 and 19.12.2014, respectively (Annexure P-1). After completion of the work within the stipulated time, the petitioner raised demand for full and final payment of Rs.12,64,685/- and 16,23,558/- as also for release of the security amount. It is stated that despite repeated requests and legal notice dated 15.6.2015 (Annexure P-2) to respondent-authorities, no action for the clearance of the dues has been taken.

Learned counsel states that at this stage, the petitioner would be satisfied if a direction is issued to respondent No.4 to take a decision on its claim as contained in the legal notice dated 15.6.2015 (Annexure P-2).

In view of the above, without going into the merits of the claim of the petitioner, this petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.4 to look into the grievance of the petitioner, as contained in the legal notice dated 15.6.2015 (Annexure P-2) and take a decision thereon in accordance with law, expeditiously, preferably within three months from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

September 29, 2015

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**(HARINDER SINGH SIDHU)
JUDGE**