

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

CWP No.3976 of 2015

Date of Decision: 28.05.2015

Jaipal and others

....Petitioners

Vs.

State of Haryana and others

....Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJIVE BHALLA
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMOL RATTAN SINGH.**

Present: Mr. Rajesh Khandelwal, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. D. Khanna, Addl. Advocate General, Haryana
for respondents No.1 to 3.

Mr. S.S. Kharab, Advocate
for respondent No.4-Gram Panchayat.

Rajive Bhalla, J (Oral)

The petitioners pray for issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus to direct the respondents to allow the petitioners to purchase the land which is the site of their houses, by resort to Rule 12 of the Punjab Village Common Lands (Regulation) Rules, 1964 (hereinafter to be referred to as 'the Rules').

Counsel for respondent No.4-Gram Panchayat submits that petitioners have already filed an application under Rule 12 of the Rules, which shall be decided in accordance with law.

In view of the statement made by the counsel for the Gram Panchayat and the fact that an application under Rule 12 of the Rules is pending consideration before the Gram Panchayat, we dispose of the writ petition by directing the Gram Panchayat to decide the application in accordance with law, within 3 months.

The dispossession of the petitioners shall remain stayed for three months.

(Rajive Bhalla)
Judge

May 28, 2015
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(Amol Rattan Singh)
Judge