

CWP No.5398 of 2015

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

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Date of Decision: March 23, 2015

**The Sekhon Co-operative Labour &
Construction Society Ltd.**

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab & others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH

Present: Mr. Ajay Pal Singh, Advocate
for the petitioner.

AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH, J. (Oral):

It is the contention of the counsel for the petitioner that the work assigned to the petitioner stands completed and thereafter, the petitioner has been approaching the respondents for release of the payment of ₹37,74,000/-. The claim of the petitioner having been processed and the work having been completed, the respondents are delaying the finalization of his claim. He contends that the petitioner has submitted representation dated 15.01.2015 (Annexure P-2) to the Sub Divisional Officer, Punjab Water Resources Management and Development Corporation, Sub-Division No.3, Malout, District Shri Muktsar Sahib-respondent No.4 but no final decision has been taken thereon. He submits that said representation of the petitioner may be directed to be considered and decided at an early date.

In the light of the statement made by the counsel for the petitioner, without going into merits of the case or commenting thereon, the present writ petition is disposed of with direction to Sub Divisional Officer,

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Punjab Water Resources Management and Development Corporation, Sub-Division No.3, Malout, District Shri Muktsar Sahib-respondent No.4 to consider and decide the representation dated 15.01.2015 (Annexure P-2) within a period of two months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order. Decision so taken be conveyed to the petitioner forthwith.

If the claim of the petitioner is accepted, the consequential benefits be released to him within a further period of one month.

March 23, 2015

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**(AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH)
JUDGE**