

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

RFA No.1097 of 2016(O&M)
Date of decision: 13.07.2016

Mehro Rani and others

... Appellants

Versus

State of Haryana and others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN PALLI

Present: Mr. Rakesh Gupta, Advocate for the appellants.
Ms. Safia Gupta, AAG, Haryana.

ARUN PALLI J. (Oral)

CM-3928-CI-2016

This is an application for condonation of delay of 376 days in filing the accompanying appeal. All what has been urged by learned counsel for the applicants is that the matter in issue is squarely covered by the judgment, dated 03.03.2016, rendered by this court in RFA No.2963 of 2015 - Haryana State Industrial & Infrastructure Development Corporation Ltd. and another v. Mangal Singh and others, vide which the compensation awarded to the landowners was enhanced to ₹1013/- per sq. yard.

Notice in the application.

On the asking of the court, Ms. Safia Gupta, AAG, Haryana, present in court, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents.

I have heard learned counsel for the parties and perused the records.

In the wake of the decision of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in Imrat Lal and others v. Land Acquisition Collector and others, 2015(2) RCR (Civil) 437, delay of 376 days in filing the accompanying appeal is condoned. However, for the period of delay the applicant shall not be entitled to interest on the enhanced compensation.

CM stands disposed of.

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For, the learned counsel for the parties are *ad idem* that the matter in issue is squarely covered by the decision rendered by this court in Mangal Singh and others' case (supra), the present appeal is disposed of in terms of the said decision. However, the appellant shall not be entitled to interest for the period of delay in filing the appeal i.e. 376 days.

July 13, 2016
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(Arun Palli)
Judge