

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

RFA No.2771 of 2016(O&M)
Date of decision: 01.09.2016

Anand and others

... Appellants

Versus

State of Haryana and others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN PALLI

Present: Mr. Ajit Malik, Advocate for the appellants.
Ms. Safia Gupta, AAG, Haryana,
for respondents No.1 & 2.
Mr. Pritam S. Saini, Addl. AG, Haryana,
for respondents No.3 &4-HSIDC.

ARUN PALLI J. (Oral)

CM-7826-CI-2016

Allowed, as prayed for.

CM-7827-CI-2016

This is an application for condonation of delay of 497 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 and Infrastructure Development Corporation Ltd. through its Managing Director and another v. Mangal Singh and others, vide which the compensation awarded to the landowners was enhanced by this court to ₹ 1013/- per sq. yard.

Notice in the application.

Ms. Safia Gupta, AAG, Haryana and Mr. Pritam S. Saini, Addl. AG, Haryana, accept notice on behalf of respondents No.1 & 2 and 3 & 4, respectively.

Heard.

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 and Dhiraj Singh (D) Tr. LRs. v. Haryana State and others, 2015 (2) RCR (Civil) 507, delay of 497 days in filing the accompanying appeal is condoned. However, for the period of delay the applicants 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's case (supra), the present appeal is disposed of in the same terms. However, the appellants shall not be entitled to interest for the period of delay in filing the appeal i.e. 497 days.

September 1, 2016
Rajan

(Arun Palli)
Judge

Whether speaking / reasoned: YES/NO

Whether Reportable: YES/NO