

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

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**RFA No.3001 of 2016(O & M)**

**Date of Decision:21.09.2016**

Mela Ram (deceased) th.LRs

....appellants

Versus

State of Haryana and others

.....respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE ARUN PALLI**

Present: Mr.S.S.Dinarpur, Advocate  
for the appellants

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**ARUN PALLI, J. (ORAL):**

**CM No.8264-CI of 2016**

Application is allowed as prayed for.

**CM No.8262-CI of 2016**

This is an application for condonation of delay of 812 days in filing the appeal. All what has been urged by learned counsel for the applicants is that the matter in issue is squarely covered by the judgement dated 05.05.2016, rendered by this Court in **RFA No.3356 of 2010**, titled “State of Haryana and another versus Santokh Singh and others”, and other connected matters, vide which, in the appeals arising out of the same acquisition, this Court had enhanced the compensation uniformly to ₹ 2887/- per square meter.

Notice in the application.

On the asking of the Court, Mr.Shivendra Swaroop, AAG Haryana, present in the Court, accepts notice on behalf the respondents. The factual position as set out above, is not disputed by the learned State counsel.

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

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 812 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.

**CM No.8263-CI of 2016**

For the reasons set out in the application, that is duly supported by an affidavit, same is allowed, subject to all just exceptions. Consequently, legal representatives of deceased Mela Ram-appellant No.1, who is stated to have died on 12.03.2008, as depicted in para No.2 of the application, are brought on record, for the purpose of pursuing the appeal only.

CM stands disposed of.

**RFA No.3001 of 2016**

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 Santokh Singh's case (Supra), the present appeal is disposed of in terms of the said decision. However, the appellants shall not be entitled to interest for the period of delay in filing the appeal i.e.812 days.

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**(ARUN PALLI)**  
**JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether reportable-

Yes/No