

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

COCP No.2162 of 2016
in
CWP No.1567 of 2014
Date of Decision: 24.01.2017

Jasbir KaurPetitioner

Versus

Karan Bir SinghRespondent

BEFORE :- HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE DAYA CHAUDHARY

Present:- Mr. H.C. Arora, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. T.N. Sarup, Addl. A.G., Punjab

DAYA CHAUDHARY, J. (ORAL)

Learned State counsel has filed comprehensive affidavit of Karan Bir Singh Sidhu, IAS, Additional Chief Secretary-cum-Financial Commissioner Revenue, Department of Revenue, Rehabilitation and Disaster Management Government of Punjab, Chandigarh in the Court today and the same is taken on record. He has also brought to the notice of this Court the stand taken in para No.9 of the affidavit, wherein, it has been mentioned that as per notification dated 24.11.2016, the rate has been fixed at the rate of ₹ 5 lacs per acre for disbursement of cash grant.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in case, total amount is paid in cash in *lumpsum*, the petitioner has no grouse as delay is already there as the directions issued in the writ petition was to make payment within a period of two months but in spite of passing much time,

the payment has not been released so far.

Learned counsel for the respondent submits that as per policy, the payment is to be released in three instalments.

Since the delay is there as the writ petition filed by the petitioner was allowed on 19.05.2015 and the amount of benefit was to be released within a period of two months, the respondents are directed to pay the total amount of the land of the petitioner within a period of two months from the date of receipt of certified copy of the order. In case, the amount is not paid within a period of two months from the date of receipt of certified copy of the order, the petitioner is at liberty to move an application for revival of proceedings of the contempt and respondent will have to present in the Court.

The petition is disposed of accordingly.

(DAYA CHAUDHARY)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes

Whether Reportable

Yes