

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

CR No. 8445 of 2017

Date of Decision: 04.12.2017

RAKESH AND OTHERS

-PETITIONERS

VS

RESHMI DEVI

-RESPONDENT

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJ MOHAN SINGH

Present: Mr. Mohit Malik, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

RAJ MOHAN SINGH, J. (ORAL)

[1]. Defendants are in revision petition against the order dated 27.09.2017 passed by Civil Judge (Junior Division), Chandigarh vide which application filed by the petitioners for appointment of Handwriting Expert for comparison of signatures of grandmother of the petitioners namely Harkauri Devi on the sale deed dated 14.05.1965 and complaint dated 15.10.1981 filed by said Harkauri Devi was declined.

[2]. Plaintiff evidence was concluded and thereafter, defendants evidence was fixed for 12.01.2017. Defendants availed seventeen opportunities in leading evidence.

[3]. On 06.09.2017, an application was filed to re-cross-examine PW1 Reshmi Devi. On 07.09.2017, the said application was allowed. Only one and last opportunity was granted to re-

cross-examine PW1.

[4]. Defendants failed to conclude their evidence despite the aforesaid opportunities. Even after re-cross-examination of PW1, defendants filed the present application for comparison of signatures of their grandmother Harkauri Devi with the signatures appearing on the sale deed and the complaint.

[5]. Having availed seventeen opportunities while leading defence evidence and one opportunity thereafter to re-cross-examine PW1 Harkauri Devi, in my considered opinion, defendants-petitioners are not entitled to any indulgence by this Court.

[6]. This revision petition is, accordingly, dismissed.

04.12.2017
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(RAJ MOHAN SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No