

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

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**CWP No.13545 of 2016**

**Date of Decision: 01.02.2017**

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Chiranji & Ors.

... Petitioners

VS.

State of Haryana & Ors.

... Respondents

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**CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE SURYA KANT  
HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE SUDIP AHLUWALIA**

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Present: Mr. Sanjay Mittal, Advocate for the petitioners

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**SURYA KANT, J. (Oral)**

(1) The petitioners have raised various factual contentions to allege that the 'Utilization Plan' prepared by the Gram Panchayat of their village under which a part of the Gram Panchayat land has been allotted to landless persons of the village who are living below poverty line by carving out residential plots of 100 sq.yards, is contrary to law especially in view of the provisions of the Punjab Village Common Lands (Regulation) Act, 1961 as applicable to the State of Haryana. Similarly, they have also questioned the order dated 11/19.01.2016 (P44) passed by the Deputy Commissioner, Rewari whereby 'Utilization Plan' prepared by the Gram Panchayat of their village, has been duly approved.

(2) Since the residential plots have been allotted to landless persons to give effect to the welfare policy formulated by the State Government and the petitioners' entire case is based upon factual issues, the writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the Director, Department of Panchayats – respondent No.2 to treat this writ petition as a representation against the 'Utilization Plan' duly approved by the Deputy Commissioner and dispose of the same in accordance with law.

(3) It shall be appreciated if a reasoned order is passed after hearing the parties within six months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order

(4) Ordered accordingly.

(Surya Kant)  
Judge

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(Sudip Ahluwalia)  
Judge

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| 1. Whether speaking/reasoned? | Yes |
| 2. Whether reportable?        | No  |