

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

CWP No.22498 of 2017
Date of decision: 03.10.2017

Balbir Singh and others

... Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana and others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN PALLI

Present: Mr. Kuldeep Khandelwal, Advocate for
Mr. Rajesh Khandelwal, Advocate for the petitioners.

ARUN PALLI, J. (Oral)

Notice of motion.

Mr. Shivendra Swaroop, AAG, Haryana, present in court,
accepts notice on behalf of the respondents. Copy furnished.

For the nature of order I propose to pass in the matter, no
formal written statement/counter-affidavit is indeed necessary on behalf of
the respondents, at this stage. Thus, with the consent of the parties, the
petition is being disposed of finally.

The limited grievance of the petitioners is that their application
dated 08.06.2017 (Annexure P8), under Section 28-A of the Land
Acquisition Act, 1894, for re-determination of compensation, is pending
before the Collector. It is urged that although a considerable time has
elapsed, but the matter has not made any tangible progress. And no result is
in sight either.

In response, learned State counsel submits that the claim of the petitioners as also their application/representation dated 08.06.2017 (Annexure P8) shall be considered and decided by the competent authority within a period of eight weeks from today and appropriate order shall be passed in this regard.

Accordingly, the petition is disposed of in the above terms. Needless to assert that in the event the petitioners are not found entitled to the compensation being claimed, the competent authority shall pass a comprehensive order assigning reasons in support thereof.

October 3, 2017
Rajan

(Arun Palli)
Judge

Whether speaking / reasoned:
Whether Reportable:

YES
NO