

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

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C.W.P No. 3998 of 2017 (O&M)

Date of Decision : 01.03.2017

Chaturbhuj & Ors.

... Petitioners

versus

State of Haryana and Ors.

... Respondents

**CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BINDAL
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARINDER SINGH SIDHU**

Present : Ms. Radhika Suri, Sr. Advocate, with
Mr. Manpreet Singh Kanda, Advocate, for the petitioners.

RAJESH BINDAL, J.

Present petition has been filed with a prayer that acquisition proceedings have lapsed in terms of Section 24(2) of the Right to Fair Compensation and Transparency in Land Acquisition, Rehabilitation and Resettlement Act, 2013, (for short 'the Act') as neither the compensation has been paid for the acquisition of the land nor the possession has been taken.

Admittedly, earlier the petitioners had filed C.W.P No. 4827 of 2014, which was disposed of on 29.04.2015, directing the petitioners to file a detailed representation before the authorities, which was to be decided after affording opportunity of hearing to the petitioners. Till such time the matter was decided by the authorities, the parties were directed to maintain status quo.

Stand of the petitioners is that till date the representation has not been decided by the authorities and petitioners are sought to be dispossessed.

As this Court had already decided the earlier petition filed by the same petitioners for the same relief with a direction for maintaining

status quo till the representation filed by the petitioners was decided, fresh present writ petition for the same relief cannot be entertained, as there are other effective remedies in case order passed by this Court is violated.

We do not deem it appropriate to entertain this petition. Accordingly, the petition is dismissed. However, the same shall not effect the rights of the petitioners to avail of other appropriate remedies in accordance with law.

(RAJESH BINDAL)
JUDGE

(HARINDER SINGH SIDHU)
JUDGE

March 01, 2017
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Whether speaking/reasoned – Yes
Whether reportable – Yes/No