

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

**COCP No. 193 of 2017 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 22.02.2018**

Daultabad Welfare Society (Faridabad)

..... Petitioner

Versus

Virat, Additional Chief Secretary, Department of Urban
Estates, Govt. of Haryana, Chandigarh and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASWANT SINGH

Present: Mr. Sanjay Vashisth, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Indresh Goel, Additional Advocate General, Haryana
for respondent Nos. 1 & 2.

Mr. Amit Gupta, Advocate for
Mr. Ankur Mittal, Advocate
for respondent Nos. 3 to 6.

JASWANT SINGH, J. (ORAL)

The proprietors of the Gram Panchayat, Daultabad, had framed a Daultabad Welfare Society, challenged the acquisition of the *shamlat-deh* land by filing a writ petition bearing *CWP No. 23340 of 2016*, on the ground that the acquisition stood lapsed due to non-deposit of compensation and taking over of possession.

In the aforesaid writ petition (*CWP No. 23340 of 2016*), interim orders dated 10.11.2016 (**Annexure P-1**) and 17.12.2016 (**Annexure P-2**) were passed, whereby, *inter alia*, *status quo* regarding possession and further construction on the site was ordered to be maintained.

Since allegedly the HUDA authorities subsequently took forcible possession of the site in question inspite of the stay orders, the

present contempt has been filed.

Upon notice, a reply on behalf of police authorities stands filed, whereas the reply on behalf of HUDA authorities (respondent Nos. 3 to 6) has been filed in Court today, the same is taken on record.

At the time of hearing counsel for the petitioner states that the writ petition bearing *CWP No. 23340 of 2016* itself stands dismissed, therefore, the interim orders dated 10.11.2016 **(P-1)** and 17.12.2016 **(P-2)** stand merged.

In view of the aforesaid circumstances, no further proceedings in the present contempt petition are warranted, the same is **dismissed**.

Rule is discharged.

February 22, 2018

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**(JASWANT SINGH)
JUDGE**

<i>Whether Speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether Reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>