226-5 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

COCP No.9 of 2018
DATE OF DECISION:26.02.2018

Jaswinder Kaur & others

...Petitioners

Vs.

Yudhvir Singh Malik & another

..Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE DAYA CHAUDHARY

Present: Mr. Raj Karan Singh Verka, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Rishi Kaushal, Advocate
for the respondents.

DAYA CHAUDHARY, J.(ORAL)

Reply on behalf of respondents has been filed in the Court today and the same is taken on record.

Writ petition filed by petitioners was disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2 (SDM-cum-Land Acquisition Collector) by treating the petition as an application on behalf of petitioners under Sections 23 & 28 of the Land Acquisition Act read with National Highways Act, 1956 and to determine their claim regarding grant of solatium and interest within a period of three months from the date of receipt of certified copy of the order. It was also directed that amount due be released by respondent No.1 & 3 within a period of one month thereafter.

Learned counsel for respondents submits that as per direction issued by the Division Bench on 31.07.2014 the claim of the petitioners

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has been considered and FDRs have been prepared but the payment is to be released by Sub Divisional Magistrate. Vide order dated 31.07.2014, a specific direction was issued to release the amount by respondent Nos.1&3.

Accordingly, respondents are directed to deposit the FDRs so prepared with the competent authority within a period of ten days and to hand over to the petitioners by the competent authority within a period of one week thereafter. In case the compliance is not made within the aforesaid period, the petitioners shall be entitled to interest @ 18% per annum.

Disposed of.

26.02.2018 **(DAYA CHAUDHARY)**
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Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No
Whether reportable: Yes/No

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