

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

CR No.3789 of 2018 (O&M)
Date of decision : 31.05.2018

Uttar Haryana Bijli Vitran Nigam Limited and others

...Petitioners

Versus

M/s Teri Kirpa Rice Mill

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KSHETARPAL

Present: Mr. R.S. Longia, Advocate for the petitioners.

ANIL KSHETARPAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner-Electricity Supply Company and its officials are in the present revision petition against the order passed by the learned Courts below while ordering the restoration of the electric connection of a running Rice Mill after noticing that ₹18,00,000/- have already been deposited out of the amount of penalty and compounding charges.

Learned counsel for the petitioners submitted that the petitioners-Company is a public sector company and the Courts below committed an error in ordering the restoration of the electric connection without payment of the entire amount.

This Court has considered the submissions. Legality of the amount of penalty and compounding charges levied are still to be adjudicated upon.

Learned Courts in exercise of their discretion have passed an

order which is not shown to be perverse. However, at this stage, learned counsel for the petitioners submitted that the interest of the petitioners-company be secured in case the plaintiff-respondent fails in the suit.

Keeping in view the aforesaid prayer, the present revision petition is disposed of while granting the liberty to the petitioner-company to move an application before the learned trial Court for directing the plaintiff to furnish a security of immoveable property for the remaining payable amount as the order of assessment. If such an application is filed, the Court would dispose of the same within a period of one month from the date of filing.

31.05.2018

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**(ANIL KSHETARPAL)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned:- Yes/No

Whether reportable:- Yes/No