

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

Civil Writ Petition No.10167 of 2014
Date of Decision: September 25, 2018

Gurpreet Singh and othersPetitioners
versus
State of Punjab and othersRespondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE SURYA KANT.
HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE SUDIP AHLUWALIA.**

Present: Mr.Harinder Sharma, Advocate, for the petitioners.
Mr.Sandeep Vermani, Additional AG, Punjab.
Mr.Sanjeev Sharma, Advocate, for respondent Nos.2 & 3.

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Surya Kant, J. (Oral)

Learned counsel for the parties are *ad-idem* that the development works in New Grain Market (Sadiq Road Extension), Faridkot have been completed and the basic amenities have since been provided. During the pendency of this writ petition, the petitioners started and have completed the construction work after the shop sites were demarcated by Mandi authorities. They have also deposited the due installments.

The only question which now survives for consideration is that when delay of construction appears to have been caused due to non-availability of basic amenities or incomplete development works, should the petitioners be burdened with penal interest? In this regard, the petitioners have served the authorities with a legal notice.

Let the petitioners file a comprehensive joint appeal before the Prescribed Authority within a period of one month from the date of receiving certified copy of this order and let such appeal be considered sympathetically keeping in view the facts and circumstances of the case and the same be decided within a period of four months from the date of its

filing, by way of a reasoned order.

The writ petition stands disposed of accordingly.

**[SURYA KANT]
JUDGE**

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**(SUDIP AHLUWALIA)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	:	Yes/No