

**CRM-W-164-2018 in
CRWP-165-2000 (O&M)**

SARWAN SINGH VS LOK NATH ANGRA AND OTHERS

Present: Mr. Paramjit Singh Goraya, Advocate
for the applicant/petitioner.

Mr. Sukhbeer Singh, AAG, Punjab.

Heard the CRM.

Applicant/petitioner has sought for amendment of the petition.

Cause of action accrued to the petitioner for amendment of the petition way back on 20.05.2002, 16.04.2007, 24.04.2009 and 03.07.2009, the date on which CBI filed a closure report and its acceptance by the competent Court. Thus, petitioner had cause of action to amend the petition on 03.07.2009. Learned counsel for the petitioner reiterated his argument which was advanced on 21.09.2018 to the extent that there is non-compliance to the order dated 28.01.2003 insofar as production of certain documents by the CBI. After 28.01.2003 much water has flown in the matter to the extent of filing closure report by the CBI and its acceptance on 03.07.2009. In that event the petitioner should have challenged the acceptance of the closure report by the CBI before the competent authority on dated 03.07.2019. After a lapse of nearly 9 years, petitioner cannot be permitted to amend the petition which was filed in the year 2000. The intention of the petitioner to amend the petition is with reference to the cause of action accrued on 03.07.2009.

Accordingly, CRM stands dismissed.

**(P.B. BAJANTHRI)
JUDGE**

October 08, 2018.