

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

CWP No.13679 of 2014 (O&M)

Date of Decision : 19.02.2018

Kamal Kumar and others

.....Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN PALLI

Present: Mr. Harish Nain, Advocate for the petitioners.
Mr. Siddharth Sanwaria, DAG, Haryana.

ARUN PALLI, J. (Oral)

Having argued the matter at some length, learned counsel for the petitioners submits that he be permitted to withdraw the petition so as to enable the petitioners to move the Labour Court under the Industrial Dispute Act, 1947 (for short 'the Act'), for redressal of their grievance. However, he submits that in the event any such application is moved the concerned Labour Court be directed to decide the same within a specified period.

The prayer is not opposed. Rather, learned State counsel submits that the petitioners ought to have moved an application under Section 33-C(2) of the Act in the first instance.

That being so, the petitioners are permitted to withdraw the petition with liberty prayed for. In the event any application, as indicated earlier, is moved within a period of 8 weeks from today, the Labour Court shall consider and decide the same as expeditiously as possible preferably, within a period of 9 months from the date it is filed.

19.02.2018

Manoj Bhutani

**(ARUN PALLI)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No