

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

**CWP No. 16863 of 2018
Date of decision: 13.7.2018**

Akash Seth

... Petitioner

Versus

Union of India and others

... Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KRISHNA MURARI,
CHIEF JUSTICE
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN PALLI, JUDGE**

Present: Mr. Madhir Sood, Advocate, and
Mr. Harminder Syal, Advocate
for the petitioner.

KRISHNA MURARI, CHIEF JUSTICE (Oral)

The issue being raised in this Public Interest Litigation, with respect to the performance of Amorphous Core Transformers, is directly related to environment, though learned counsel for the petitioner submits that there are issues in respect of the economic viability as well.

In our considered opinion, since the issue involves environment, the petitioner has an efficacious alternative remedy to approach the National Green Tribunal, if he so chooses.

With the aforesaid observations made, this Public Interest Litigation stands dismissed.

**(KRISHNA MURARI)
CHIEF JUSTICE**

**(ARUN PALLI)
JUDGE**

**July 13, 2018
AK Sharma**

Whether speaking / reasoned:
Whether Reportable:

YES
NO