

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP-20162-2018

Date of decision-14.08.2018

Dilbag and others

...Petitioners

Vs.

State of Haryana and others

...Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present: Mr. M.K. Sangwan, Advocate for the petitioners.

JITENDRA CHAUHAN, J.

This writ petition under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India has been filed inter alia, for issuance of a writ, in the nature of mandamus directing the respondents, *inter alia*, to pay interest @ 9% per annum on the delayed payment of compensation amount.

Learned counsel states that at this stage, he would be satisfied, if a direction is issued to respondent No.4-Land Acquisition Officer, Urban Estate Department, Sector 13, Hisar, to consider and decide representation dated 17.02.2017 (Annexure P-3).

Heard.

In view of the above, without adverting to the merits of the case, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.4-Land Acquisition Officer, Urban Estate Department, Sector 13, Hisar, to consider and decide legal notice dated 17.02.2017 (Annexure P-3) within six weeks from the receipt of the certified copy of the order. In case, on

consideration, the competent authority reaches to the conclusion that the benefit claimed by the petitioners is admissible to them, in such eventuality, the consequential relief be allowed to them, within a period of six weeks thereafter. However, in case the competent authority feels that the relief claimed by the petitioners is not admissible to them or made out, in that case, a speaking order be passed in the matter.

(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE

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