

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

CWP No. 20603 of 2018

Date of Decision: 18.08.2018

AJAYPAL SINGH AND ANOTHER

.....Petitioners

V/S.

STATE OF HARYANA AND OTHERS

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAKESH KUMAR JAIN.

Present: Mr. Anurag Arora, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

RAKESH KUMAR JAIN, J. (Oral)

The petitioners are the plaintiffs in a suit filed under Section 77 (3) 2nd Group (K) of Punjab Tenancy Act, 1881 before the Sub Divisional Officer (Civil)-cum-Assistant Collector, Ist Grade Sirsa. Their grievance is that despite the fact that the said suit is fixed for arguments since 2008, yet the case is not making any headway for its decision. Thus, an innocuous prayer has been made by the petitioners to issue direction to respondent No. 3- Sub Divisional Officer (Civil)-cum-Assistant Collector, Ist Grade Sirsa, who seized of the said suit, to hear the arguments on the next date of hearing i.e. 28.08.2018 and decide the same expeditiously.

In view of the prayer made in this case, I do not find any need to issue notice to the respondents and the petition is hereby disposed of with a direction to respondent No. 3 who is allegedly seized of the suit (Annexure P-1) to decide the same expeditiously after hearing the arguments of the parties on the next date of hearing i.e. 28.08.2018. It is further directed that after hearing the arguments on 28.08.2018, respondent No. 3 shall pass the order within a period of 15 days thereafter.

August 18, 2018

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**(RAKESH KUMAR JAIN)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking / reasoned :

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Yes / No

Whether Reportable :

Yes / No