

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

CWP No.23888 of 2017 (O&M)

Date of decision: 09.08.2018

Krishna Agro Industries and others

...Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present: Mr. Vishal Gupta, Advocate for the petitioner(s).

Ms. Deepali Puri, Addl. AG, Punjab.

Jitendra Chauhan, J. (Oral)

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Allowed as prayed for, subject to all just exceptions.

Main Case

The petitioners are aggrieved against the linkage of Mandi Jodhan with the milling Centre of Killa Raipur against the Custom Milling Policy of the State of Punjab for the Kharif Marketing season 2017-18 (Annexure P-1) in spite of the fact that the petitioners have offered to the respondents to bear the cost of transportation as per milling policy.

Heard.

The learned State counsel submits that the linkage has been done in pursuance of Item No.5 of the policy for the year 2017-18. She further states that the petitioners never approached the respondents in

response to the letter dated 29.09.2017 whereby the petitioners were offered to bear the transportation charges for additional supplies of the paddy. The petitioners instead of sending response to the concerned DFSO sent their response to the procurement agency i.e. MARKFED and PUNGRAIN, however, this statement is controverted by learned counsel for the petitioners. Learned State counsel, on instructions states that in case the terms and conditions of the policy of 2018-19 remains the same, in that eventuality, the petitioners are free to approach the concerned DFSO with undertaking that they will pay the transportation charges and accordingly the linkage to that extent will be done.

In view of the statement made, the present petition is disposed of.

09.08.2018

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(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE

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