

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

*CWP No.24497 of 2017
Date of Decision: 19.02.2018*

Haryana Vidyut Prasaran Nigam Limited Petitioner
Vs.

Vinod and others Respondents

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

Present: Mr.Lokesh Sinhal, Advocate, for the petitioner.

RAKESH KUMAR JAIN, J. (ORAL)

This petition is filed by the Haryana Vidyut Prasaran Nigam Limited [for short 'the Nigam'] to challenge the order dated 28.2.2017 passed by the Additional District Judge, Sonapat on the petition filed under Section 16(3) of the Indian Telegraph Act, 1885 [for short 'the Act'] by which respondents No.1 & 2 have been awarded compensation towards erection of transmission towers and diminution of value of the lands, at the rate of 85% of the collector rate i.e. ₹85,00,000/- per acre along with 8% interest per annum for tower area (between four legs) regarding Khasra No.10//12/2 (350 gaj) total land measuring 350 sq. yards .

Although learned counsel for the petitioner has vehemently argued but in terms of the letter dated 15.10.2015 issued by the Government of India, laying down the guidelines for determination of compensation as stipulated in the Act, the compensation has been rightly determined. Thus no interference is called for in this petition and as such the same is hereby dismissed.

**(RAKESH KUMAR JAIN)
JUDGE**

19.02.2018

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Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether reportable

Yes/No