

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

Civil Writ Petition No.7762 of 2018.

Date of Decision: March 28, 2018

M/s Chadha Super Cars (P) Ltd. and othersPetitioners
versus
The Debts Recovery Tribunal-III, Chandigarh and anotherRespondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE SURYA KANT.

HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE SHEKHER DHAWAN.

Present: Mr.Rakesh Bhatia, Advocate, for the petitioners.

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Surya Kant, J. (Oral)

The Debts Recovery Tribunal-III, Chandigarh has abruptly declined opportunity to the petitioners to file written statement vide order dated 15.03.2018. The said order has been passed in an Original Application filed by respondent No.1-bank against the petitioners and other borrowers/guarantors, seeking recovery of more than Rs.17.00 crores. The case is now fixed before DRT-III, Chandigarh on 16.04.2018 for filing written statement by respondent No.5.

We are of the considered view that without burdening the respondent-bank with the costs of litigation of this case, it would be in the interest of justice to grant one more but last opportunity to the petitioners to file their written statement before the next date of hearing in the DRT-III, Chandigarh, i.e., 16.04.2018. The petitioners shall file their written statement without prejudice to their right to pursue the interim applications including the one filed under Order 7 Rule 11 CPC. If they file the written statement before 16.04.2018, DRT-III is directed to decide all the

a period one month from the date of receiving a certified copy of this order.

The writ petition stands disposed of accordingly,

[SURYA KANT]
JUDGE

March 28, 2018
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[SHEKHER DHAWAN]
JUDGE

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