

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

CWP No.17930 of 2019 (O&M)
Date of decision:-05.07.2019

Gurnam Singh and others

.....Petitioners

versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA

Present:- Mr. Parvez Chugh, Advocate for the petitioners.

TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA, J.(ORAL)

Petitioners seek a mandamus for directing the official respondents to permit them to lay underground pipelines through their land holdings as well as the land holdings of the private respondents which is adjacent and situated in Village Kallowal, PO Passi Kandi, Tehsil Dasuya, District Hoshiarpur.

Counsel would contend that the prayer made in the instant petition would require examination and consideration as per provisions of the Punjab Land Improvement Scheme (Amendment) Act 2017 and in particular Sections 14-A and 14-B thereof.

It is further submitted that even a representation dated 17.05.2019 (Annexure P-2) has already been submitted but no response is forth-coming.

In view of the limited prayer noticed hereinabove and without even going into the merits of the case, I deem it appropriate to dispose of the writ petition with a direction to respondent No.3 i.e. Deputy Commissioner, Hoshiarpur/competent authority to examine the issue

against the backdrop of the representation dated 17.05.2019 (Annexure P-2) and to take a decision thereupon and communicate the same to the petitioners expeditiously and in any case within a period of three months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

Disposed of.

(TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA)
JUDGE

05.07.2019

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No