

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH****Date of decision: 14.11.2019****CWP No.27448 of 2017 (O&M)**

Maha Singh

...Petitioner

Vs.

Union of India & others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJIV NARAIN RAINA

Present: Dr. Payal Mehta, Advocate, for
Mr. H.C.Arora, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Shivoy Dhir, Senior Panel Counsel
for respondent-UOI.

Ms. Simran Grewal, AAG, Punjab.

RAJIV NARAIN RAINA, J. (ORAL)

This is a connected matter with CWP No.10771 of 2017 titled
'Pal Kaur Vs. Union of India' disposed of separately by order of even date.

In this case, Mr. Shivoy Dhir, learned counsel representing
Central Government, makes a statement that land has been allotted to the
Bhajan Kaur [widow of Sep. Lal Singh (No.4441448), 6 Sikh Light Infantry
and petitioner's mother] by the Punjab Government and she is satisfied with
the dispensation. Thus, nothing remains to be decided in the instant case.

As far as the prayer/s for directions to the Central Government
asking it to take up the matter with Government of Pakistan and/or to file
appropriate proceedings in the International Court of Justice for bringing
back Sep. Lal Singh are concerned, no such directions can be issued by this

Court in exercise of jurisdiction under Article 226 of the Constitution and that too without verifiable facts available on record, except to say that the Central Government and the State Government will keep their eyes and ears open in the search of the petitioner's husband thought to be languishing in a jail in Pakistan, through the diplomatic channels.

With these observations, the petition stands disposed of.

14.11.2019
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[RAJIV NARAIN RAINA]
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:
Whether Reportable:

Yes/No
Yes/No