

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

CWP-9944-2020

Date of decision: 16.7.2020

Orient Steel & Industries Limited

.....Petitioner

Versus

Union of India and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE NIRMALJIT KAUR

Present: Mr. Anil Kumar Rana, Advocate, for the petitioner.

NIRMALJIT KAUR, J. (Oral)

Prayer in the present petition is for directing respondent No.3 to take decision on the pending application dated 26.12.2019 (Annexure P-3) of the petitioner for grant of solatium and interest as per the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894 for the land acquired under the National Highways Act, 1956 on the delay of paying the compensation.

In view of the short prayer, the present writ petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.3 to decide the application/claim dated 26.12.2019 (Annexure P-3) as expeditiously as possible preferably within a period of two months from the receipt of certified copy of this order.

In case, the petitioner is found entitled, amount shall be disbursed to him, otherwise, the respondents shall pass a speaking order.

**(NIRMALJIT KAUR)
JUDGE**

16.7.2020

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Whether Speaking/Reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	:	Yes/No