

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

CWP No. 14718 of 2020

Date of decision: 17.09.2020.

VRL Rice Mills, Pakhokalan and others Petitioners.

Versus

State of Punjab and others Respondents.

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present:- Mr. Shiv Kumar, Advocate, for the petitioners.

Mr. Shirish Gupta, Senior DAG, Punjab,
for respondents No. 1 to 9

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

Heard through video conferencing.

The petitioners have challenged the action of the respondents in effecting recovery/adjustment of the amount on account of transportation charges.

Learned counsel for the petitioners contends that the petitioners have preferred a representation (Annexure P7) in this regard on 03.08.2020 to respondent No. 3, who may be directed to consider and decide the same in accordance with law. He has referred to order dated 17.07.2020 (Annexure P8) passed by a Coordinate Bench of this Court in CWP No. 9979 of 2020 titled 'M/s Raghupati Food Products and others v. State of Punjab and others' wherein a similar direction was issued to consider and decide the representation in accordance with law.

Issue notice to the respondents.

At the asking of the Court, Mr. Shirish Gupta, Senior DAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of respondents No. 1 to 9.

The petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No. 3 to consider and decide the representation (Annexure P7) of the petitioners and decide the same by passing a speaking order within a period of two months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

However, it is made clear that till then no recovery shall be made from the petitioners.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

17.09.2020
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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No