

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CWP No. 12023 of 2016(O&M)
Date of Decision:25.02.2020

Maan Singh and others

.....Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana and others

..... Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MRS.JUSTICE LISA GILL

Present: Mr. S.S.Sahu, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Rohit Arya, AAG., Haryana

Mr. Abhilaksh Grover, Advocate
for respondents no.2 to 6.

LISA GILL, J(Oral).

This writ petition has been filed by the petitioners, seeking compensation on account of the death of Kuldeep i.e., the son of respondents no.1, 2 and brother of respondent no.3. Kuldeep, aged 29 years, is stated to have died due to electrocution on 11.11.2015.

Learned counsel for the petitioners, points out to communication dated 15.02.2018, received by him from the DHBVNL-respondent no.2, informing him that a policy has been formulated to settle all the pending cases regarding electrocution of persons and that in case, they wish to settle the matter, they should approach the authorities along with three documents mentioned therein.

Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that the petitioners,

are amenable to the settlement of their claim as per the policy, provided the matter, is decided in a time bound manner and the compensation released expeditiously.

Learned counsel for respondent-Nigam, affirms and verifies that the policy has indeed been framed in this regard and in case, the petitioners approach the competent authority in terms of Annexure A-1, their claim shall be decided expeditiously.

Keeping in view the facts and circumstances of as above, this writ petition is disposed of with a direction that in case, the petitioners approach the competent authority within three weeks from the receipt of certified copy of this order, their claim shall be decided within four weeks, thereafter. Compensation found due towards the petitioners, be released within two weeks subsequent to the decision of the competent authority.

25.02.2020
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[LISA GILL]
Judge

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