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

**COCP No.2319 of 2018
Date of Decision: 04.08.2020**

Vasudev Passi and another

..... Petitioners

Versus

Mukesh Anand and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDIP AHLUWALIA

Present: Mr.G.S.Bal, Senior Advocate, assisted by
Mr.Sewa Singh, Advocate for the petitioners.

Ms.Aakanksha Sawhney, Addl.Govt. Pleader for
for U.T., Chandigarh

SUDIP AHLUWALIA, J. (ORAL)

[1] Hearing is resumed by video conferencing on WhatsApp.

[2]. With reference to the query noted in Paragraph-5 of the last order passed on 31.07.2020, Ld. Counsel for the respondents submits that Sh.Ranjeet Sandhu, SDE, attached to the Office of the Executive Engineer, CP Division No.2 (Roads), Delux Building, Sector-9, Chandigarh, who is present by her side, would apprise the Court directly.

[3]. Mr.Ranjeet Sandhu, is, therefore, permitted to address the Court directly. He submits that most of the procedural part for completion of the road has been accomplished, but now the special drawings from the Chief Architect's Office are awaited, which would not require much time but due to onset of the Covid-19 pandemic earlier this year which is likely to continue for

some time, the normal official working has been seriously affected. In the circumstances, the realistic time required for completion of the job would be around 8 to 9 months.

[4]. After hearing the submission of Er. Ranjeet Sandhu, the authorized Officer from the establishment of respondent No.2, this contempt petition is disposed off by directing the respondents to complete the job, in terms of the original order dated 22.09.2008 which appears to have been not complied with in its totality so far, positively by 30.04.2021, failing which appropriate consequences are liable to follow.

[5]. The petitioners would be at liberty to seek revival of the contempt petition, if so warranted at any later stage.

04.08.2020
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(SUDIP AHLUWALIA)
JUDGE

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