

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

Cross objection No.107 of 2022 in/and RFA No.1132 of 2021 (O&M)

Date of decision: 21.09.2022

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..Appellant (s)

Versus

State of Haryana and ors.

..Respondent (s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KSHETARPAL

Present- Mr. Shailendra Jain, Sr. Advocate with Mr. Jagtar Singh, Advocate, Mr. Sunil Chadha, Sr. Advocate with Mr. Saurav Kanojia, Advocate, Ms. Kashish Aggarwal, Advocate, Mr. Aditya Jain, Advocate, Mr. Navmohit Singh, Advocate, Mr. Ashish Gupta, Advocate, Mr. Rose Gupta, Advocate, Ms. Garima, Advocate, Mr. Vivek Khatri, Advocate, Mr. Manish Kumar Singla, Advocate, Mr. Dinesh Kumar, Advocate, Mr. Arvind Singh, Advocate for Mr. Ram Kumar Saini, Advocate, Mr. P.K. Sandhir, Advocate and Mr. Ajay Jain, Advocate for the landowners.

Mr. Shivendra Swaroop, AAG, Haryana.

ANIL KSHETARPAL, J.

CM No.2448-CI of 2022

For the reasons stated in the application, the same is allowed and delay of 172 days in filing the cross objection is condoned.

CM No.2736-CI of 2021

The prayer in this application is to condone the delay of 1446 days in filing the appeal.

Admittedly, the connected appeals arising from the same notification under Section 4 of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, are pending. The Hon'ble Supreme Court in **Imrat Lal and others vs. Land Acquisition Collector and others (SC) 2015(2) RCR (Civil) 437, Dhiraj Singh (deceased) thr. LRs vs. Haryana State and others, 2015(2) RCR (Civil) 507 and Jethu Ram (deceased) thr. LRs vs. Union of India and others, 2016(4) Law Herald 3166**, has held that in such cases the delay be condoned subject to the denial of interest to the appellant(s) for the period of delay. Hence, the application is allowed and delay of 1446 days in filing the appeal is condoned, subject to the condition that the appellants shall not be entitled to interest for the period of delay.

Main Case

For orders, see detailed order of the even date passed in **RFA No.1895 of 2016** titled as **Rattan Lal and ors. vs. State of Haryana and ors.**

All the pending miscellaneous applications, if any, are also disposed of.

21.09.2022

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JUDGE