

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

CWP-11512-2022 (O&M)

Date of decision: 01.06.2022

Mushtak Ahmed

....Petitioner

Versus

Union of India and another

..Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KSHETARPAL

Present: Mr. S.P.Soi, Advocate for the petitioner

Mr. Rakesh Roy, Advocate
for Mr. Abhilaksh Gaind, Advocate for NHAI

Mr. Nikhil Chopra, Addl. AG, Punjab

ANIL KSHETARPAL, J (Oral)

The petitioner, by filing the present writ petition, prays for issuance of a writ in the nature of Mandamus, to direct the respondents to release the amount of compensation, payable as per the award passed by the competent authority under the National Highways Act, 1956, for acquisition of the land.

Learned counsel representing the NHAI has stated that the compensation assessed by the competent authority, Land Acquisition, was deposited on 05.08.2021, with the competent authority.

Learned State counsel submits that the competent authority undertakes to decide the petitioner's entitlement within a period of one month from today.

Keeping in view the statement made by the learned State counsel, no further order is required to be passed.

Disposed of.

However, the petitioner shall be at liberty to file an application for revival of the present petition, if the matter is not decided by the competent authority within the aforesaid stipulated time period.

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

01.06.2022

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No

(ANIL KSHETARPAL)

JUDGE