

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

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**CR-3647 of 2019 (O&M)
Date of decision: 18.11.2022**

Baljeet and others

..Petitioners

Versus

Maha Singh and others

..Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KSHETARPAL

Present: Mr. Shrey Goel, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. R.S.Longia, Advocate
for respondent no.2.

ANIL KSHETARPAL, J(Oral)

The Collector in a petition filed under Section 13-A of the Punjab Village Common Lands (Regulation) Act, 1961 (hereinafter referred to as 'the 1961 Act'), has rejected the plaint. This revision petition has been filed assailing the correctness of the aforesaid order.

First of all, the strict rules of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908 are not applicable to the proceedings under the 1961 Act. Even if they are applicable, the rejection of the plaint is a deemed decree.

Hence, the order is appealable.

Disposed of accordingly.

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

November 18, 2022

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**(ANIL KSHETARPAL)
JUDGE**

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