

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

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CWP No. 14734-2018 (O&M)

Date of decision : 24.11.2022

M/s Oriental Ceramics and Refractories (P) LimitedPetitioner

Versus

Union of India and othersRespondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VINOD S. BHARDWAJ

Present: None for the petitioner.

Mr. Sudhir Nar, Sr. Panel Counsel for respondent No. 1- UOI.

Mr. Vikas Singh, Advocate for respondent Nos. 2 and 3.

VINOD S. BHARDWAJ, J.

The present writ petition has been filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India for quashing of impugned letter dated 15.05.2018 (Annexure P-19) whereby the security deposit of Rs. 68 lakhs lying with NEC was ordered to be forfeited by respondent No. 3.

It is evident from a perusal of the order sheet that counsel for the petitioner had last appeared on 09.07.2018. Thereafter, the case had been taken up on 28.03.2019, 08.07.2019 as well as on 27.11.2019. However, there has been no representation on behalf of the petitioner on any of the said dates, however miscellaneous application has been filed by respondents. Notice of the said application has also been effected on the petitioner, however, still there is no representation. It seems that petitioner is not interested to pursue the present case any further.

Dismissed for non-prosecution.

November 24, 2022

Rajeev (rvs)

(VINOD S. BHARDWAJ)

JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes

Whether reportable

Yes/No