

[177] IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

COCN No.2339 of 2022
Date of Decision :27.10.2022

Balwinder Singh and others ...Petitioners

versus

Baldev Singh Saran, Engineer, CMD, Punjab
State Power Corporation Ltd., District Patiala.Respondent

Coram : Hon'ble Mr. Justice B.S. Walia

Present : Mr. Subhash Kumar, Advocate for the petitioners.

B.S. Walia, J. (Oral)

Learned counsel contends that despite CWP No.22899 of 2021 having been allowed vide order (Annexure P-9) dated 16.05.2022 in terms of decision (Annexure P-8) dated 16.03.2022 in CWP No.32598 of 2019, benefits as per entitlement have not been released to the petitioners.

Issue notice to the respondent to show cause as to why proceedings under the Contempt of Courts Act, 1971 be not initiated against him.

Mr. Tushar Madaan, Advocate, puts in appearance and has filed vakalatnama on behalf of the respondent. The same is taken on record.

Learned counsel for the respondent has informed the Court that order (Annexure P-8) dated 16.03.2022 in CWP No.32598 of 2019 has been challenged by way of LPA No.922 of 2022 in case titled as 'The State of Punjab and another versus Harmit Singh and others' and operation of order dated 16.03.2022 passed by the learned Single Judge in CWP No.32598 of 2019 has been stayed vide order dated 21.10.2022 in LPA No.922 of 2022.

At this stage, learned counsel for the petitioners states that in

view of order dated 21.10.2022 in LPA No.922 of 2022, he does not press the instant petition and may be permitted to withdraw the same with liberty to move an application for revival of the instant petition in the eventuality of dismissal of LPA No.922 of 2022 or vacation of interim orders dated 21.10.2022.

The same is not objected to by learned counsel for the respondent.

Accordingly, in the light of the position noted above, as well as statement of learned counsel for the parties, the instant petition is *disposed of* as not pressed at this stage, while granting liberty to the petitioners as prayed for.

(B.S. Walia)
Judge

27.10.2022
'Rajneesh'

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