

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

Sr. No.115

CWP-26837-2021 (O&M)

Date of decision : 05.01.2022

Inderjeet and others

..... Petitioners

VERSUS

State of Haryana and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDHIR MITTAL

Present: Mr. Vikram Singh, Advocate, for the petitioners.

SUDHIR MITTAL, J. (Oral)

The grievance of the petitioners is that a canal/water course is allegedly being dug through their land without acquiring the same and without following the procedure prescribed by Section 5 of the Northern India Canal & Drainage Act, 1873 (hereinafter referred to as the Act).

There is no evidence on record to show that in fact, such an action is being taken. However, since the petitioners have approached this Court, I deem it appropriate to dispose of this writ petition with a direction to the respondents to ensure that no canal/water course is dug through land of the petitioners without acquisition of land and without following the procedure prescribed by Section 5 of the Act.

**(SUDHIR MITTAL)
JUDGE**

05.01.2022

Ramandeep Singh

Whether speaking / reasoned

Yes / No

Whether Reportable

Yes/ No