

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

CWP No.5008 of 2021 (O&M)

Date of Decision :17.10.2023

Mamta Goel

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and others

..... Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE ARUN PALLI, JUDGE
HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE VIKRAM AGGARWAL, JUDGE**

Present : Mr. Vibhor Bansal, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Arun Beniwal, Sr. DAG, Haryana.

**Mr. N.K.Vadehra, Advocate for
Mr. Arvind Seth, Advocate for respondents No.2 and 3.**

ARUN PALLI, J. (Oral):

The petitioner herein has prayed for the following substantive
reliefs:-

**“Civil Writ Petition under Article 226 of the
Constitution of India praying for issuance of a writ in the
nature of Certiorari setting aside the order dated 18.01.2018
(Annexure P-3) and for issuance of a writ in the nature of
mandamus directing the respondents to refund the earnest
money of the petitioner with interest.”**

Learned counsel for respondents No.2 and 3, who are the
contesting parties, submits that the authorities have taken a conscious
decision to refund the requisite amount, along with interest, in terms of the

judgment dated 21.11.2019, rendered by the Division Bench of this Court in **CWP No.5771 of 2018 (Rajesh Kumar and others Vs. State of Haryana and others)** and other connected matters, within 10 days from today. A communication received by him in this regard is placed before this Court, which is taken on record as Mark-X.

Accordingly, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that let the petition be disposed of in terms of the statement made by learned counsel for respondents No.2 and 3.

The petition is accordingly disposed of in terms of the statement made by learned counsel for respondents No.2 and 3. However, if the requisite amount, along with interest, is not refunded to the petitioner, within the time indicated above, he shall be at liberty to move an appropriate application in this petition itself for revival of the proceedings and its decision on merits.

(ARUN PALLI)
JUDGE

(VIKRAM AGGARWAL)
JUDGE

17.10.2023

Manoj Bhutani

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