

2) By the order dated 13 August 2018, the Petition was admitted and the Petitioner was directed to deposit an amount of Rs. 4,48,025/- and upon such deposit, the impugned order was stayed. Accordingly, the Petitioner has deposited the said amount of Rs. 4,48,025/- in this Court, which is apparently invested.

3) The Respondent-Employees have filed Interim Application No. 16201 of 2024 contending that they no longer desire to press the claim for compensation of Rs. 33,41,793/- and would be satisfied if the amount of closure compensation is capped at Rs. 4,48,025/-. The Respondent-Employees have shown willingness to set aside the impugned order and to limit the amount of closure compensation to the amount deposited by the Petitioner in this Court.

4) With the consent of the parties, order dated 25 February 2015 passed by Development Commissioner is modified to the extent that the amount closure compensation payable in respect of Respondent-Employees would be Rs.4,48,025/-. Accordingly, the Respondent-Employees are permitted to withdraw the amount of Rs. 4,48,025/- deposited in this Court along with accrued interest without submitting any security.

5) With the above directions, the Writ Petition is partly allowed. Rule is made partly absolute.

6) Interim Application is disposed of.

[SANDEEP V. MARNE, J.]