

2024:PHHC:123258



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

216**CWP-670-2020 (O&M)****Date of decision: 18.09.2024**

Rishika

...Petitioner

VERSUS

State of Haryana and others

...Respondents

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

Present :- Mr. S.S. Khurana, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Pankaj Mulwani, DAG Haryana.

Ms. Shweta Nahata, Advocate for respondents No.2 to 5.

VINOD S. BHARDWAJ, J. (Oral)

Prayer made in the present petition is for directing respondents to grant compensation to the petitioner being a victim in case bearing FIR No.112 dated 10.10.2015 under Sections 4 of the Protection of Children from Sexual Offences (POCSO) Act, 2012.

Learned counsel appearing on behalf of respondents No.2 to 5 has informed this Court that a decision has already been taken by the Additional Sessions Judge, Rewari vide order dated 28.10.2021 wherein a sum of Rs.75,000/- was assessed as compensation to the victim as per provisions of Section 33 (8) of the POCSO Act read with Rule 9 of POCSO Rules.

Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner seeks withdrawal of the present petition at this stage in view of the subsequent developments with liberty to take recourse to an appropriate remedy in accordance with law against the compensation assessed and awarded to the petitioner.

Learned counsel for the respondents have no objection to the same.

Disposed of as not pressed with the liberty as aforesaid.

**(VINOD S. BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE**

18.09.2024*Mangal Singh*

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