

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

CWP-13841-2022 (O&M)

Date of Decision:- 21.02.2024

M/S RASNA INTERNATIONAL AND ANR

...Petitioners

Vs.

THE AUTHORIZED OFFICER/CHIEF MANAGER AND ANR.

...Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE LISA GILL

HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE AMARJOT BHATTI

Present:- Mr. Sahil Khunger, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. Gaurav Goel, Advocate for respondent – Bank.

LISA GILL, J.

1. Learned counsel for petitioners is unable to deny that controversy as raised in this writ petition wherein petitioner No.1's claim to be registered as MSME under the Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development Act, 2006, is squarely covered against petitioners in view of decision dated 18.12.2023 of Division Bench in CWP-21657-2022 (M/s Technico Strips and Tubes Pvt. Ltd. and another vs. Deutsche Bank AG and another) and connected writ petitions.

2. Keeping in view the above, this writ petition is dismissed with liberty to petitioners to avail remedy(ies) available to them in accordance with law for redressal of its grievance(s).

3. However, as interim order dated 15.11.2022 in favour of petitioners passed in this writ petition has continued till date, it is directed that said order shall enure for a period of 15 days from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order, in order to enable petitioners to avail appropriate remedy (ies) as may be available to them in accordance with law. In case, petitioners file appropriate application/petition accompanied with requisite application (s), question of continuance or otherwise of interim order in petitioners' favour shall necessarily be in the realm of consideration by the appropriate Forum in accordance with law, without being influenced by any order, which may have been passed in this writ petition.

4. It is clarified that interim protection afforded to petitioners shall not enure beyond 15 working days in the absence of appropriate order by competent authority/Tribunal in accordance with law. There is no expression of opinion on merits of the matter.

5. Pending miscellaneous application(s), if any, stand disposed of accordingly as well.

(LISA GILL)
JUDGE

(AMARJOT BHATTI)
JUDGE

21.02.2024

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Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No.

Whether reportable: Yes/No