



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

CWP-12821-2024

Date of decision: 28.05.2024

Sh. Jitender Kumar and others

....Petitioners

Versus

Additional Chief Secretary, Town and Country Planning, Haryana and
others

....Respondents

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

Present: Mr. S.P. Arora, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

ARUN PALLI, J. (Oral)

Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that the limited grievance that the petitioners have is: appeal No. 37 of 2023, filed by them as back as on 03.09.2023, continues to be pending before the Tribunal of Town and Country Planning, Haryana. He submits that last, the appeal was listed on 05.03.2024, but, thereafter, no further date has been notified. It is urged that owing to the pendency of the appeal, the dispute remains inconclusive and interest/rights of the petitioners are severely impacted. So much so, even the representations/complaints dated 02.02.2023 (P-6), 06.03.2023 (P-7), 22.03.2023 (P-9) and 17.05.2023 (P-10), the Director, Town and Country Planning, Haryana, has been served with, have failed to evoke any response.

Served with the advance copy of the petition, Mr. Ankur Mittal, learned Additional Advocate General, Haryana, is present in Court on behalf of respondents No.1 and 2. At the outset, he, on instructions, submits that the competent authority shall take cognizance of the matter forthwith and fix the appeal for consideration. Further, he submits that every possible endeavour shall be made to decide the matter, as expeditiously as possible, but not later than two months from today.



That being so, learned counsel for the petitioners submits that let the petition be disposed of, in terms of the statement made by learned State counsel.

In the wake of the above and in terms of the statements made by learned counsel for the parties, the petition is, accordingly, disposed of.

However, in the event, the next date in the appeal is not notified within a week from today, the petitioners shall be at liberty to move a necessary application in this petition itself for restoration and appropriate orders.

(ARUN PALLI)
JUDGE

(VIKRAM AGGARWAL)
JUDGE

28.05.2024
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes
Whether reportable	Yes/No