



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP-13141-2024

Date of decision: 29.05.2024

Florid Print & Pack Pvt. Ltd.

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and others

....Respondents

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

Present: Mr. Gauravjit Singh Patwalia, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

ARUN PALLI, J. (Oral)

Served with the advance copy of the petition, Mr. Ankur Mittal, learned Additional Advocate General, Haryana, along with Ms. Kushaldeep Kaur, Advocate, is present in Court. At the outset, he has shared with us a copy of the order dated 11.01.2024, passed by the Director General, Supplies & Disposals, Haryana, vide which the earnest money of Rs.2,00,000/-, deposited by the petitioner, has since been forfeited to be credited in State Government Account, which is taken on record as 'Mark X':-

“..... I hereby impose punishment to forfeiture of earnest money (Rs.2,00,000/-) of the firm and to deposit the same into Government account. The earnest money amount of Rs. 2,00,000/- (Rs. Two Lakhs only) as forfeited above is to be credited in State Government Account under the relevant Head of this Department. The firm/bidder M/s. Florid Print & Pack Pvt. Ltd is hereby issued warning to be careful in future otherwise, strict panel action as per the rules will be taken against them...”

Faced with this, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that he be permitted to withdraw the petition with liberty to file afresh, assailing the said order, if so advised.

Dismissed as withdrawn, with the liberty prayed for.

(ARUN PALLI)
JUDGE

(VIKRAM AGGARWAL)
JUDGE

29.05.2024
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes
Whether reportable	Yes/No