



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

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**CWP-21640-2021
Date of Decision: 14.05.2024**

RANJIT SINGH AND OTHERS

... Petitioners

VERSUS

PERMANENT LOK ADALAT AND ORS

... Respondents

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

Present: Mr. Danishwar Ali, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Piyush Khanna and Mr. Aarav Gupta,
Advocates for respondents No.1 and 2.

Mr. Gagnadeep Wasu and Mr. Pranav Chamoli,
Advocates for respondent No.3.

Mr. Divanshu Jain, Advocate for respondents No.5 & 6.

None for respondent No.4.

VINOD S. BHARDWAJ, J. (ORAL)

Challenge in the present petition was to the interim order dated 01.03.2019 passed by Permanent Lok Adalat (Public Utility Services), Chandigarh, whereby the respondent-Distribution Licensee had been directed to provide a commercial electricity meter in the premises in question.

The petitioner, feeling aggrieved of the abovesaid interim order, approached this Court staking a claim that he is a share holder in the premises in question and that the respondents/applicants had encroached upon the area and as such, they could not stake any claim for release of commercial electricity connection.



On a pointed query, counsel for the petitioner fairly admits that the abovesaid application bearing No.209 of 2019 titled as 'Phulla Suraj Wati Versus Electricity Department, Chandigarh and others' has already been decided finally.

Since the main application has itself been decided and a final Award has been passed, wherein the interim order also stands merged, the present writ petition would not be maintainable at this stage.

Accordingly, the same is disposed of at this stage with liberty to the petitioner to file appropriate petition challenging the final Award passed by Permanent Lok Adalat (Public Utility Services), U.T., Chandigarh in application No.209 of 2019 (supra).

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(VINOD S. BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No