



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT  
CHANDIGARH

CWP-10535-2025 (O&M)

Date of decision:- 09.04.2025

Amrinder Singh and others

...Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondent(s)

CORAM:     HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SHEEL NAGU, CHIEF JUSTICE  
                  HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KARAMJIT SINGH

Present:-     Mr. Jagjit Singh Chatrath, Advocate,  
                      for the petitioners.  
                      Mr. Saurav Khurana, Additional Advocate General, Punjab.

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**SHEEL NAGU, C.J. (ORAL)**

1.             The petitioners, who are four in number, have raised the issue of discharge of untreated water into the Satluj Yamuna Link (SYL) Canal. Therefore, a restraint order is sought against respondent No. 4 – Gram Panchayat, Village Rora, Tehsil Kharar, District SAS Nagar, Mohali, Punjab in this regard.
2.             The issue, essentially, relates to water pollution and the petitioners under the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 have a remedy to approach the National Green Tribunal (NGT).
3.             Accordingly, this Court relegates the petitioners to the NGT without interfering into the merits of the matter.
4.             The petition, accordingly, stands disposed of.

(SHEEL NAGU)  
CHIEF JUSTICE

(KARAMJIT SINGH)  
JUDGE

**09.04.2025**  
Amodh Sharma

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| Whether speaking/reasoned | Yes/No |
| Whether reportable        | Yes/No |