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AT CHANDIGARH**

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**CWP-18283-2025**

**Date of Decision: 14.07.2025**

M/S Parkash Chand Goyal

...Petitioner

Vs.

Union of India and Others

...Respondents

**CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAGMOHAN BANSAL**

Present:-     None for the petitioner.

Mr. Vinay Kumar, Advocate  
For Mr. Sunish Bindlesh, Standing Counsel  
For respondent-FCI.

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**JAGMOHAN BANSAL, J. (ORAL)**

1.                      On 07.07.2025, this Court passed the following order:-

*“Through the instant writ petition, as cast under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India, a prayer is made to issue a Mandamus upon respondent No.4, to refund the Earnest Money Deposit, as deposited by the petitioner.*

*In nutshell, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner, which is a partnership firm, had participated in the tender floated by respondent No.4, however, it remained unsuccessful. Therefore, the limited grievance, that propelled the petitioner to file the instant petition is that despite several requests, its EMD has still not been refunded by respondent No.4. In this regard, a legal notice dated 14.04.2025 (Annexure P-6), was also sent through e-mail, but the same too has failed to evoke any response.*

*Without issuing a formal notice, at this stage, the learned counsel for the respondent-FCI is directed to have apt*

*instructions from the quarter concerned, and inform this Court, as to how much time is required by the authorities concerned, to decide the legal notice (supra).*

*Adjourned to 14.07.2025.”*

2. Mr. Vinay Kumar, learned counsel for the respondent-FCI submits that the earnest money deposited stands released, thus, the instant petition has rendered infructuous.

3. Disposed of as infructuous.

4. Since there is no representation on behalf of the petitioner, it is at liberty to move an appropriate application within three months from today, if cause survives.

**(JAGMOHAN BANSAL)**  
**JUDGE**

**14.07.2025**

Deepak Bissyan/Mohit Kumar

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| Whether Speaking/reasoned | Yes/No |
| Whether Reportable        | Yes/No |