



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

Civil Writ Petition No. 29052 of 2024 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 01.12.2025

Gurbachan Ram and others
..... Petitioners
Versus
State of Punjab and others
..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARKESH MANUJA

Present: Mr. Hakam Singh, Advocate with
Ms. Amrita Negi, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Karunesh Kaushal, Assistant Advocate General, Punjab
for respondent Nos. 1 to 4 & 6.

Ms. Anu Chatrath, Senior Advocate, assisted by
Mr. Ratik Chatrath, Advocate
for respondent No. 5-PUDA.

HARKESH MANUJA, J. (ORAL)

The petitioners, by of present petition, seek directions to
respondent Nos. 2 to 6 for releasing the compensation amount of Rs. 9 lakhs
per acre as displacement compensation, in compliance with the
letter/decision dated 08.07.2020 (Annexure P-2) taken by the Punjab
Cabinet.

[2] Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that for the
aforesaid claim, a representation dated 29.12.2023 (Annexure P-11) made
before respondent No. 4 (Deputy Commissioner, Patiala) is pending
consideration.

[3] Learned State Counsel assures that the aforesaid representation
shall be adjudicated upon by the competent authority within four weeks from
today, while passing a speaking order and copy thereof shall be forwarded to

the petitioners.

[4] In view of the above undertaking, no further orders are required to be passed in the present writ petition, the same is **disposed off** accordingly.

[5] It is made clear that in case the petitioners are found entitled for the benefit, it would be released to them within four weeks thereafter.

[6] Pending miscellaneous application(s), if any, shall also stand disposed off.

December 01, 2025
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(HARKESH MANUJA)
JUDGE

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