



**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

**COCN No. 3958 of 2023 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 17.01.2025**

Kuldeep Sharma and others

..... Petitioners

Versus

Baljit Kaur, Sub-Divisional Magistrate-cum-Land
Acquisition Collector, Rampura Phool, District
Bathinda and another

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARKESH MANUJA

Present: Ms. Manpreet, Advocate for
Mr. Saurabh Bajaj, Advocate, for the petitioners.

Mr. Gunjan Mehta, Additional Advocate General, Punjab
for the respondents.

HARKESH MANUJA, J. (ORAL)

Mr. Gagandeep Singh, Sub Divisional Magistrate-cum-Land
Acquisition Collector, Rampura Phul, District Bathinda, has joined the
proceedings through video-conferencing and submits that statutory interest
on the delayed disbursement of amount of compensation in terms of
supplementary award dated 25.08.2022 shall be released in favour of
petitioners within a period of ten days from today.

[2] Considering the fact that the directions to consider the claim
of petitioners were made vide order dated 07.08.2023 (Annexure P-1) passed
by this Court in CWP No. 10288 of 2019, and further in the present
contempt petition, notice was issued on 22.12.2023; thus, in case the needful
is not done as per undertaking given by the aforesaid officer, the disbursement of
salary of Mr. Ravi Bhagat, Secretary, Deptt. of PWD (B&R), Punjab, shall

remain stayed.

[3] **Disposed off** accordingly.

[4] Rule stands discharged.

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

January 17, 2025
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(HARKESH MANUJA)
JUDGE

<i>Whether Speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether Reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>