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

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**CWP-8962-2026 (O&M)**

**Date of Decision: 24.03.2026**

M/s Randhawa Tiles and Sand Suppliers, Adda Gillawali, G.T. Road  
Batala District Gurdaspur

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and Others

...Respondents

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

Present:- Ms. Geeteshwar Saini, Advocate and  
Mr. Abhinandan Sekhri, Advocate  
for the petitioner.

Mr. Aman Dhir, DAG, Punjab.

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

1. The petitioner through instant petition under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India is seeking direction to respondents to release payment including security with respect to work carried out by him for the respondent along with interest @ 18% per annum.

2. Learned State counsel submits that admitted liability would be discharged within three months from today.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that respondents may be subjected to interest @ 6% per annum from the date of passing bills.

4. In the wake of statement of both sides, the petition stands ***disposed of*** with a direction to the respondents to release payment to the petitioner within three months from today along with interest @ 6% per annum from the date of passing bills. It is made clear that if payment is

not released within aforesaid period, the rate of interest would be 9% from the expiry of said period. The petitioner may avail alternative remedies with respect to disputed liability.

5. Pending application(s), if any, shall also stand disposed of.

(JAGMOHAN BANSAL)  
JUDGE

24.03.2026  
*Prince Chawla*

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