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

CWP-10611-2026

Date of decision : 08.04.2026

M/s BMK Hospitality Services Private Limited and another

.....Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana and others

.....Respondents

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

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJIV BERRY

Present: Mr. Amit Aggarwal, Advocate (arguing counsel) and
Mr. Rajeev Sharma, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

Mr. Neeraj Gupta, Addl. Advocate General, Haryana.

Mr. Sukhdeep Parmar, Advocate,
for respondents No. 2 to 4.

SHEEL NAGU, CHIEF JUSTICE (Oral)

1. Challenge in this petition is to the order dated 27.12.2023 (Annexure P-12) passed by Haryana State Pollution Control Board, Panchkula, whereby environment compensation has been levied on the petitioners to the tune of Rs. 29,84,375/-.

2. Against the aforesaid order, remedy of filing statutory appeal u/s 28 of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and u/s 31 of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 is available, which can very well be availed by the petitioners.



3. No reason has been assigned by the petitioners to directly approach this Court, without availing the statutory alternative remedy.
4. This Court, therefore, refrains from entering into merits of the case and disposes of this petition with liberty to the petitioners to avail the aforesaid remedy.

(SHEEL NAGU)
CHIEF JUSTICE

(SANJIV BERRY)
JUDGE

April 08, 2026
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No