



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

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CWP-14832-2026**Date of Decision: 13.05.2026**

RANBIR SINGH CONTRACTOR

...Petitioner

Vs.

STATE OF HARYANA AND ORS.

...Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAGMOHAN BANSAL

Present:- Mr. Deepak Girotra, Advocate,
Mr. Shivendra Swaroop, Advocate,
Mr. Chetan Sharma, Advocate,
Mr. Yaseen Sethi, Advocate and
Ms. Akshita Nanda, Advocate
for the petitioner

Ms. Svaneel Jaswal, Addl. A.G. Haryana
(assisted by XEN. Balvinder Division 1 and
XEN. Vijay Division 2)

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 with respect to work carried out by him for the respondent.
2. Learned State Counsel submits that admitted liability would be discharged within five months from today subject to verification.
3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that respondent 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 respondent to release payment to the petitioner within five months from today. If payment is not released within aforesaid period, the respondent would be liable to pay interest @ 9% per annum from the expiry of said period. The petitioner is at liberty to approach appropriate authority qua disputed amount, if any.
5. Pending application(s), if any, stands disposed of.

(JAGMOHAN BANSAL)
JUDGE

May 13, 2026
Deepak DPA

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