



CWP-14785-2023 and connected cases

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

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Uttar Haryana Bijli Vitran Nigam and another
Versus
Ibrahim and another

CWP-14785-2023
...Petitioners

...Respondents

Uttar Haryana Bijli Vitran Nigam and another
Versus
Rohtash and another

CWP-5699-2024
...Petitioners

...Respondents

Uttar Haryana Bijli Vitran Nigam and another
Versus
Mam Kaur and others

CWP-5572-2024
...Petitioners

...Respondents

Dakshin Haryana Bijli Vitran Nigam
Versus
Yogesh Yadav and others

CWP-7906-2024
...Petitioner

...Respondents

Dakshin Haryana Bijli Vitran Nigam and others
Versus
Mewa Singh and another

CWP-22307-2019
...Petitioners

...Respondents

Dakshin Haryana Bijli Vitran Nigam and others
Versus
Babita and others

CWP-24388-2023
...Petitioners

...Respondents

Date of decision:- 04.02.2026

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUVIR SEHGAL

Present:- Mr. Puneet Jindal, Senior Advocate, with Mr. R.S.Longia, Advocate
for the petitioners (in all cases).

Ms. Babita Gupta, Advocate, and Ms. Sushma Thakur, Advocate
for respondents No.1 (in CWP-14785-2023).

Mr. Sukhdev Singh, Advocate, for Mr. Vikram Singh, Advocate
for respondent No.1 (in CWP-5699-2024).

Mr. Jayant Yadav, Advocate,
for respondent No.1 (in CWP-7906-2024).

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SUVIR SEHGAL, J. (Oral)

1. Mr. Puneet Jindal, learned senior counsel for the petitioners states that all the matters are squarely covered by judgment passed in *Raj Kapoor and others Versus Dakshin Haryana Bijli Vitran Nigam and others, Law Finder Doc ID # 2820131*.
2. Mr. Sukhdev Singh, Advocate, and Mr. Jayant Yadav, Advocate, counsel for respondent No.1 in CWP-5699-2024, and CWP-7906-2024, respectively, have fairly conceded that their cases are covered.
3. For the reasons recorded in Raj Kapoor’s case (*supra*), impugned awards passed by Parmanent Lok Adalat for Public Utility Services (for short “the PLA”), are set aside.
4. All six writ petitions are allowed.
5. Liberty is granted to the claimant(s) to take recourse to the remedy available to them for claiming compensation on account of death or injury caused due to electrocution.
6. It is clarified that wherever compensation awarded by PLA has been disbursed, it shall not be recovered from the claimant(s), but it shall be adjusted against damages, if any, granted in case the claimant(s) opt to pursue remedy available to them in accordance with law.

(SUVIR SEHGAL)
JUDGE

04.02.2026
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Whether Speaking/Reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	Yes/No