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

**COCP No. 146 of 2025 (O&M)  
Date of Decision: 08.04.2025**

Ravjot Kaur

..... Petitioner

**Versus**

Sanjay Mittal, Secretary, Road Traffic and National Highways  
Department, New Delhi and others

..... Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARKESH MANUJA**

Present: Mr. Gaurav Gaut, Advocate for  
Mr. Sudesh Sahi, Advocate  
for the petitioner.

Mr. Chetan Mittal, Senior Advocate, assisted by  
Mr. Rishi Kaushal, Advocate  
for respondent No. 2-NHAI.

Mr. Gunjan Mehta, Additional Advocate General, Punjab  
for respondent No. 3.

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**HARKESH MANUJA, J. (ORAL)**

Notice of motion *qua* respondent Nos. 2 & 3 only.

[2] On asking of the Court, Mr. Chetan Mittal, Senior Advocate, assisted by Mr. Rishi Kaushal, Advocate, accepts notice on behalf of respondent No. 2-NHAI, whereas Mr. Gunjan Mehta, Additional Advocate General, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of respondent No. 3.

[3] Mr. Gursimran Singh Dhillon, Sub Divisional Magistrate-cum-Competent Authority for Land Acquisition (CALA), Amritsar-1, has joined the proceedings through video-conferencing and submits that the payment with respect to the 111 landowners, including the petitioner, was received; out of which, the amount of 91 landowners stands released;

whereas the matter qua the remaining twenty (20) is pending. He further informs that in terms of previous order dated 17.03.2025, the verification was also carried out and it has been found that no landowner had been granted the same benefit twice.

[4] Learned counsel for respondent No. 3, on instructions from CALA, also assures that the amount in respect of the aforesaid twenty (20) landowners shall be released upon due verification, within two weeks from the date they approach the concerned authorities with the requisite documents.

[5] In view of the above undertaking, no further orders are required to be passed in the present contempt petition, the same is **disposed off** accordingly.

[6] Respondent No. 3-CALA shall be bound by the aforesaid undertaking.

[7] Rule stands discharged.

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

**April 08, 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>