



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

(122)

CR-6863-2025

Date of Decision:-25.09.2025

[RAILTECH TECHNOLOGIES PVT. LTD. AND OTHERS](#)

... Petitioners

Versus

GIRISHWAR KUMAR DHAWANN @ GIRISH KUMAR

... Respondent

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CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VIRINDER AGGARWAL

Present:- Mr. Vikram Anand, Advocate
for the petitioner.

[VIRINDER AGGARWAL, J.](#) (Oral)

1. Petitioners assail the order dated 18.08.2025 passed by learned Civil Judge (Junior Division) Patiala, whereby the evidence of the petitioners/defendants was closed by order during the course of trial.

2. Petitioners assail the order on the grounds that 22 opportunities were granted to the plaintiff/respondent for leading evidence whereas he has been granted only 06 opportunities and during that period also, the talks for compromise were going on. Since, the case of the plaintiff is required to be proved by the plaintiff in affirmative, so, the defendants cannot seek equal opportunities to rebut the evidence led by the plaintiff. He is simply to lead the evidence in denial and furthermore six effective opportunities has been granted by the Court below and even the petitioners have not stepped into the witness box to depose so the order passed by learned Court below cannot be held to be suffering from any material illegality or irregularity but in the interest of justice, one opportunity is granted to the petitioners to lead his entire evidence subject to cost of Rs.25,000/- out of which Rs.10,000/- be



deposited in the account of Punjab State Legal Services Authority for helping flood victims and Rs.15,000/- to the respondent.

3. Since the main case stands disposed of, pending application(s), if any are also disposed of accordingly.

25.09.2025
S. Pathania

(VIRINDER AGGARWAL)
JUDGE

Whether reasoned / speaking? Yes / No

Whether reportable? Yes / No