

**Narpat (since deceased) & Ors. versus Collector, LAC & Ors.
CMP No.188/2026 (CIS R. No.484/2026).**

30.07.2026

Present: Sh. Maheshwar Rana, Advocate for the applicants.

Sh. N.K. Sood, Advocate for respondent/NHPC.

Main case file requisitioned from record room.

As per report, no requisition and stay received in the matter from learned Appellate Court. As per report, amount of compensation is lying deposited as per following manner details:-

Sl. No.	Names of applicant(s)	Shares of applicant(s)
1.	Narpat	₹11,52,017/-
2.	Sh. Gulab Chand	₹10,07,065/-
3.	Smt. Chitru Devi	₹72,482/-
4.	Devku Devi	₹72,482/-

No objection certificate has already been filed on behalf of respondent on 29.07.2026, as per which, respondent/NHPC has no objection, if application is allowed and deposited amount is released in favour of applicant and respondent/NHPC has not preferred any appeal against the award.

As per death certificate annexed, Narpat has expired on 20.08.2008. As per legal heir certificate, following persons are his legal heirs:-

- 1. Kala Devi
- 2. Ram Singh

Hence, aforesaid legal heirs are entitled to $\frac{1}{2}$ share each in share of Narpat (mentioned at Sl. No.1) i.e. $\text{₹}11,52,017 \div 2 = \text{₹}5,76,008.5$ each alongwith proportionate interest accrued thereon.

As per death certificate annexed, Kala Devi has also expired on 01.06.2025. As per legal heir certificate, Ram Singh Thakur is her only legal heir.

Hence, aforesaid legal heir namely Ram Singh is entitled to entire share of Kala Devi i.e. ₹5,76,008.5 alongwith proportionate interest accrued thereon. (in fact entire amount i.e. ₹11,52,017 of Narpat alongwith interest accrued thereon).

As per death certificate annexed, Gulab Chand has expired on 29.07.2019. As per certificate, Kundan Lal is the only legal representative of deceased Gulab Chand on the strength of registered Will No.03/2019 dated 28.01.2019.

Hence, aforesaid legal representative namely Kundan Lal is entitled to entire share of Gulab Chand i.e. ₹10,07,065/- alongwith interest accrued thereon.

As per death certificate annexed, Chitru Devi has expired on 28.06.2025. As per legal heir certificate, following persons are her legal heirs:-

1. Moti Ram,
2. Dola Ram,
3. Bhagat Ram,
4. Durga Devi,
5. Yan Dassi

Hence, aforesaid legal heirs are entitled to 1/5th share each of share of Chitru Devi i.e. $\frac{₹72,482}{5} = ₹14,496.40$ each alongwith proportionate interest accrued thereon.

Heard. Record perused.

By means of this application, applicants have prayed for release of amount lying deposited in the matter, which is required by them for development and repair work of properties as their lands and houses have been damaged due to heavy rain in the year 2025. Since no requisition has been received

from the learned Appellate Court and in view of no objection of counsel for the respondent/NHPC, application is allowed and the entire amount deposited alongwith upto date interest is ordered to be released in favour of the applicants as per their shares through their bank accounts. **The release of share of Kundal Lal shall be subject to his furnishing indemnify bond to the tune of ₹12,00,000/- undertaking therein to indemnify any other claimants found to have better claim on amount then to him in future.** Application disposed of accordingly. File after due completion be tagged with main case file and main case file be consigned to record room after due completion.

Announced.
30.07.2026.

(Amit Mandyal)
Addl. District Judge,
Kullu, HP.

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