

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

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**Civil Writ Petition No.3953 of 2015
Date of Decision:09.03.2015**

Harnek Singh

....petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE ARUN PALLI

Present: Mr.B.S.Sewak, Advocate
for the petitioner

ARUN PALLI, J.(ORAL):-

A writ in the nature of certiorari is prayed for, to quash the promotion and appointment of respondents No.4 to 8 as these have been effected without segregating the cadre of two divisions i.e.Patiala Division and Roopnagar Division. And for a direction to the respondents to consider and promote the petitioner to the post of Naib Tehsildar as he fulfils all the qualifications and is eligible for promotion to the said post.

It is maintained that before institution of this petition, the petitioner had served the respondents No.1 and 2, vide legal notice dated 13.01.2015 (Annexure P7), but the same has failed to evoke any response. Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that, at this stage, let the petition be disposed of with a direction to the respondents to consider and decide the legal notice dated 13.01.2015 (Annexure P7), within a stipulated period of time.

That being so, and, without expressing any opinion on the merits, the instant petition is disposed of with a direction to respondents No.1 and 2 to consider and decide the grievance of the petitioner, as set out in the legal notice dated 13.01.2015 (Annexure P7), strictly, in accordance with law, within a period of three months, from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order. Needless to assert, a comprehensive order shall be passed assigning reasons, in support of the decision arrived at.

The petition stands disposed of.

09.03.2015

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JUDGE