

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

Civil Writ Petition No. 18101 of 2016

Date of Decision: 2.9.2016

Balwinder Singh

.....Petitioner

Vs.

Superintending Canal Officer, Ferozepur and others

.....Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAMESHWAR SINGH MALIK

Present : Mr. Karanjeet Singh Brar, Advocate
for the petitioner.

RAMESHWAR SINGH MALIK J. (ORAL)

Feeling aggrieved against the alleged inaction on the part of respondent authorities, petitioner has approached this Court, by way of instant writ petition under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India, seeking a writ in the nature of Mandamus.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that when the genuine grievance of the petitioner was not being redressed, he finally approached the respondent authorities by way of self contained representation dated 30.3.2016 (Annexure P-2), but the same is also pending decision. He further submits that the petitioner will be satisfied in case the Divisional Canal Officer, Canal Division, Canal Colony, Abohar, District Fazilka-respondent No. 2 is directed to consider and decide his representation, within a reasonable time.

Having heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, lest it should prejudice the rights of either of the parties, the Divisional Canal Officer, Canal Division, Canal Colony, Abohar, District Fazilka-respondent No. 2 is directed to look into the matter, consider the grievance of the petitioner, raised vide his representation dated 30.3.2016 (Annexure P-2) and decide the same, at an early date by passing an appropriate order thereon, strictly in accordance with law, but in any case within a period of two months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order.

With the abovesaid observations made and directions issued, present petition stands disposed of.

(RAMESHWAR SINGH MALIK)
JUDGE

2.9.2016
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Whether speaking/reasoned Yes/No
Whether reportable: Yes/No