

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

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Civil Writ Petition No.25079 of 2016
Date of decision: December 19, 2016

Harjinder Kaur

....Petitioner

versus

Union Territory, Chandigarh and others

....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AJAY KUMAR MITTAL
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAMENDRA JAIN

Present: Mr. J.S. Sandhu, Advocate for the petitioner.

AJAY KUMAR MITTAL, J. (Oral)

1. The prayer made in this writ petition filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India is for issuance of a writ in the nature of certiorari for setting aside the order/decision of Returning Officer dated 30.11.2016 vide which respondent No.8 had rejected the nomination papers filed by the petitioner for Ward No.15 of Chandigarh. Further prayer has also been made to direct respondent No.8 to accept the nomination papers filed by the petitioner.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner states that the election for the post of Councillors, Municipal Corporation, Chandigarh had already been held on 18.12.2016. Accordingly, a prayer was made to withdraw the present writ petition with liberty to the petitioner to approach the Election Tribunal by way of filing the election petition under Section 20 of the Punjab Municipal Corporation Act, 1976 as extended to the Union Territory,

Chandigarh.

3. Dismissed as withdrawn. It shall, however, be open to the petitioner to take recourse to the remedies as may be available to her, in accordance with law.

(AJAY KUMAR MITTAL)
JUDGE

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(RAMENDRA JAIN)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned?	Yes/No
Whether reportable?	Yes/No