

CWP no.1805 of 2018 (O&M) 1

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

CWP no.1805 of 2018 (O&M)

Date of Decision : 16.05.2018

Anil Kumar @ Johny

....Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondent(s)

**CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE MAHESH GROVER
HON'BLE MR JUSTICE RAJBIR SEHRAWAT**

Present : None for the petitioner

Ms. Anu Pal, AAG, Punjab

Mr. D.S.Patwalia, Sr. Advocate with
Mr. Gaurav Rana, Advocate
for respondent no.3

MAHESH GROVER, J.(ORAL)

Petitioner-Anil Kumar @ Johny has filed a written request for adjournment. The challenge in the present writ petition as also the related one bearing CWP no.27186 of 2016 revolves around a common issue regarding the election of a President of Municipal Council, Mansa. The writ petitioners as respondents in the related petition are present to argue their matter. Since substantive issue raised in the related petition is same as the one raised by the present petitioner, the decision is likely to cover the controversy raised in the instant writ petition. We are, therefore, not inclined to accept the prayer for adjournment in view of the aforesaid reason as also because of the urgency involved which has continuously been

addressed as a ground for hearing by the petitioners and respondents in the related petition who are directly affected. We, therefore, decline the prayer for written request and proceed to hear the matter and the reasons recorded in the writ petition no.27186 of 2016 would cover the controversy in the present petition as well. Hence, dismissed in same terms.

(Mahesh Grover)
Judge

16.05.2018	
Shivani Kaushik/rekha	
Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No

(Rajbir Sehrawat)
Judge