

**CWP No. 21271 of 2018
DECIDED ON: AUGUST 31, 2018**

NIRVAIR SINGH AND ORS

.....PETITIONERS

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANR

.....RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

Present: Mr. Aman Bansal, Advocate
for the petitioners.

JASPAL SINGH, J. (ORAL)

Through the instant civil writ petition, preferred under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India, petitioners have sought the issuance of a writ in the nature of Mandamus directing the respondents to grant them notional promotion on the post of Deputy Superintendent of Police in view of the combined final seniority list of Inspectors (District and PAP) dated 22.01.2018 (P-1) released by respondent No.2.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioners contend that though petitioner Nos.1 & 2 served legal notices dated 28.03.2018 (P-7 and P-11), petitioner No.3 served legal notice dated 30.03.2018 (P-9), petitioner No.4 served legal notice dated 03.05.2018 (P-10) upon the respondents but till date neither any reply to the said notices has been received nor any final order has been passed by the respondents.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioners further submits that he feels satisfied in case a direction is issued to respondents to consider and decide the afore-said legal notices (P-7, P-9, P-10 and P-11) in a time bound manner.
4. In view of above, instant petition is disposed of with a direction to respondents to look into the grievances unfolded by the petitioners in their legal notices dated 28.03.2018, 30.03.2018 and 03.05.2018 (P-7, P-9, P-10 and P-11) and to take a conscious decision by passing a speaking order considering all the facts narrated in the aforesaid notices as well as rules, regulations and instructions issued by the Government from time to time within a period of four months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order.
5. However, if petitioners still feel aggrieved by any of the orders passed by the aforesaid authority, they shall be at liberty to have recourse to other remedies available under the law including to approach this Court.

AUGUST 31, 2018
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(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE

<i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>