

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

CWP No.2406 of 2018 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 01.03.2018

Mohan Lal and others

....Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

....Respondents

BEFORE :- HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE DAYA CHAUDHARY

Present:- Mr. Surinder Pal Singh Tinna, Advocate
for the petitioners.

DAYA CHAUDHARY, J. (ORAL)

C.M. No.3049 of 2018

This application has been moved for placing on record the correct translated copy of application dated 09.02.2018 and letter dated 24.02.2018 as Annexures P-6 and P-7 and also for exemption from filing certified copies of the same.

C.M is allowed as prayed for.

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Prayer in the present petition is for issuance of a writ in the nature of *mandamus* directing the respondents to consider the claim of the petitioners and to reserve the post of Sarpanch of Gram Panchayat of Village Ramsara, Block Abohar, Tehsil Abohar, District Fazilka for Scheduled Caste category as 50% of the total population belongs to the category of *scheduled caste*.

Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that a detailed representation has been submitted but no action has been taken thereupon

so far. Learned counsel also submits that the present petition be considered as representation along with earlier representation and necessary action thereupon be taken in accordance with law.

Keeping in view the limited prayer of the petitioners, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondents No.1 and 3 to consider the claim of the petitioner made in the representation dated 28.08.2017 (Annexure P-5) and also by treating this petition as representation in accordance with law by affording an opportunity to all concerned within a period of one month from the date of receipt of certified copy of the order.

The petition is disposed of accordingly.

(DAYA CHAUDHARY)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether Reportable

Yes/No