

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

CWP No.3156 of 2018

Date of decision : 12.02.2018

Joginder Singh and others

.....Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE DAYA CHAUDHARY

Present : Mr. Harbans Sharma, Advocate for the petitioners.

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DAYA CHAUDHARY, J. (Oral)

As per case of the petitioners, the election was to be conducted on 20.12.2017 but the returning officer or alternate returning officer were not present to receive the nomination papers on the fixed date.

Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that now the election process should be started from where it was left. Petitioners have served legal notice dated 21.12.2017 (Annexure P-10) upon the respondents but no action has been taken so far. Learned counsel further submits that the petitioners would be satisfied in case directions are issued by this Court to the respondent-authorities to consider their pending legal notice and take necessary action.

Keeping in view the limited prayer, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2 to consider legal notice dated 21.12.2017 (Annexure P-10) and take necessary action in accordance

with law preferably within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

12.02.2018

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**(DAYA CHAUDHARY)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes / No

Whether reportable : Yes / No