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

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Date of decision : 22.10.2019

Ram Chander and others

... Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana and others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMIT RAWAL

Present: Mr. Sunil K. Nehra, Advocate
for the petitioners.

AMIT RAWAL, J. (ORAL)

Petitioners are seeking indulgence of this Court for issuance of a writ in the nature of *mandamus* directing the respondents to carry out the necessary correction in the Seniority List (Annexure P-2) in view of order dated 20.12.2018 (Annexure P-5) and further writ of *mandamus* directing the respondents to promote the petitioners on the next higher post after making correction in the seniority list.

Learned counsel for petitioners submits that petitioners will be satisfied if the present writ petition be treated as representation and a direction is issued to respondent No.2-Engineer-in-Chief, Public Health Engineering Department, Panchkula, Haryana, to consider the same, within a stipulated period.

Without going into the merits and demerits of the claim of the petitioners, I deem it appropriate to direct respondent No.2, to treat the present writ petition as representation and consider the same within a period of two

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months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order and shall pass a speaking order thereon after affording opportunity of hearing to petitioners, failing which, respondent No.2 shall be liable to pay costs of ₹25,000/- to petitioner.

This condition of imposing costs is only to prevent petitioners to run from pillar to post and avail remedy of contempt in case of non-compliance of directions issued by this Court.

The writ petition stands disposed of with the above direction.

22.10.2019
Yogesh Sharma

(AMIT RAWAL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/ No
Whether Reportable	Yes/ No