

(Proceedings conducted through Video Conference)

CWP No.19086 of 2020

Date of Decision:11.11.2020

Bhupinder Singh and others ---Petitioners

versus

State of Punjab and others ---Respondents

Coram: Hon'ble Mrs. Justice Rekha Mittal

Present: Mr. H.S.Brar, Advocate, for the petitioners.

Rekha Mittal, J.

The precise grievance of the petitioners is that since March, 2017 they have not been paid salary of their entitlement, in view of Notification dated 07.10.2011 (Annexure P-1). It is argued that petitioners are not paid their salary as they belong to opposition party whereas Municipal Councilors belonging to the Ruling party are being paid salary. He would inform that the petitioners served legal notice dated 12.12.2019 (Annexure P-2) but till date they have not received any response. Counsel would further state that petitioners would be satisfied in case some time bound directions are issued for consideration of legal notice by the Principal Secretary, Department of Local Bodies, Punjab, Chandigarh.

Taking into consideration the limited prayer made by counsel, but without examining merits of the case, petition stands disposed of. Respondent No.1, Principal Secretary, Department of Local Bodies, Punjab, Chandigarh is directed to consider and decide legal notice (Annexure P-2) within a period of one month from the date of receipt of certified copy of the order.

(Rekha Mittal)
Judge

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No