

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

Sr. No.105

CWP No.19460 of 2020

DATE OF DECISION: January 25, 2021

VED PAL BEDI AND OTHERS

..PETITIONERS

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

...RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDHIR MITTAL

Present: Mr. Ranjit Saini, Advocate, for the petitioners.

SUDHIR MITTAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioners are Safai Karamcharis working with the Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana. Their grievance is that adequate safety precautions are not being adopted by the Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana despite representation. Thus, the lives of the Safai Karamcharis are being jeopardized. Further, their salaries are being illegally deducted. A representation dated 01.06.2020 (Annexure P-3) has not been responded to.

Notice of motion.

Ms. Akshita Chauhan, AAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of respondents No.1 and waives service. She submits that the Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana shall be informed about the order being passed today.

Thus, it is not necessary to serve the 2nd respondent or the private respondents.

The writ petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2 to consider pending representation dated 01.06.2020 (Annexure P-3) objectively, sympathetically and in accordance with law and to decide the same by passing a speaking order within 08 weeks from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order. It shall be ensured that adequate safety precautions are adopted so that lives of the Safai Karamcharis are not endangered.

January 25, 2021
Ankur

(SUDHIR MITTAL)
JUDGE

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