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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

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Date of decision : 29.10.2021

Satpal Singh & another

.....Petitioners

VERSUS

State of Punjab and others

....Respondents

**CORAM:- HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH
HON'B;E MR JUSTICE SANDEEP MOUDGIL**

Present: Mr. Parveen Kumar Garg, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Pawan Sharda, Senior Deputy Advocate General, Punjab.

AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH, J. (ORAL)

Petitioners have approached this Court with an assertion that the Gram Panchayat has passed a resolution dated 28.02.2019 for construction of a stadium on the *jumla mustarka malkan* land, which is not permissible in law. He, however, states that the Competent Authority has not taken any decision on the said resolution and highlighting this aspect, petitioners have submitted a detailed representation dated 05.03.2021 (Annexure P-5) to the respondents, which till date has not been responded to.

Counsel for the petitioners states that the petitioners, at this stage, would be satisfied if a direction is issued to the Director, Punjab Rural Development and Panchayat Department, Punjab – respondent No.2 to consider and decide their representation dated 05.03.2021 (Annexure P-5) within some specified time.

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In the light of the statement made by the counsel for the petitioners, we dispose of the present writ petition without going into the merits of the case or commenting thereon, with directions to the Director, Punjab Rural Development and Panchayat Department, Punjab – respondent No.2 to consider and decide the representation dated 05.03.2021 (Annexure P-5) within a period of six weeks from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

The decision so taken be conveyed to the petitioners forthwith.

(AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH)

JUDGE

October 29th, 2021

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(SANDEEP MOUDGIL)

JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether reportable

Yes/No