

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

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CWP-25233-2022

Date of Decision :03.11.2022

Inderjeet Batra and others**...Petitioners**

Versus

State of Haryana and others**...Respondents****CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI**

Present: None for the petitioners.

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Harsimran Singh Sethi, J. (Oral)

In the present writ petition, the grievance of the petitioners is that the respondents have issued an advertisement on 28.06.2015 (Annexure P/1) for appointment to the post of PGT (Punjabi) in the cadre of 'Rest of Haryana' and as per the petitioners, various posts in the reserved category could not be filled up due to the non-availability of eligible candidates hence, the petitioners are praying that the unfilled posts in the reserved category be filled up from the candidates of general category, who are eligible and have already secured minimum marks required for selection and consequent appointment.

From the pleadings, it transpires that the petitioners have already raised the said grievance before the respondents by way of submitting a representation dated 05.11.2021 (Annexure P/7), which is still pending consideration with the respondents hence, the interest of justice will be served in case a time bound direction is issued to respondent No.3 to decide the said representation.

In view of the above, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case or the claim being made by the petitioners in their representation, respondent No.3 is directed to decide the representation dated 05.11.2021 (Annexure P/7) by passing a speaking order within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of copy of this order.

Present writ petition stands disposed off.

November 03, 2022

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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)

JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No