

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

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CWP No.51 of 2023

Date of decision: 06.01.2023

SATINDERPAL SINGH

...Petitioner

Versus

**THE STATE TRANSPORT COMMISSIONER, PUNJAB AND
ANOTHER**

...Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJ MOHAN SINGH

Present: Mr. Raj Kaushik, Advocate
for the petitioner.

RAJ MOHAN SINGH , J.(ORAL)

Petitioner has preferred this writ petition for the issuance of an appropriate writ in the nature of mandamus directing the respondent No.2 to consider and decide the applications dated 04.11.2019 and 17.02.2020 filed by the petitioner for grant of Stage Carriage permit on a route Dhuri to Barnala and Raikot to Sangrur in terms of Clause 3-E of the New Transport Scheme of 2018.

The grievance of the petitioner is that despite moving the aforesaid applications, needful in the context of taking final decision has not been done by the Competent Authority/respondent No.2 so far. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner has already served legal

notices dated 07.11.2020, 03.03.2022 and 12.12.2022 upon the Competent Authority and the same have not yielded any positive response.

At this stage, learned counsel for the petitioner further submits that petitioner would be satisfied in case his legal notices are directed to be considered by the Competent Authority in accordance with law within a specified period.

Notice of motion.

On the asking of the Court, Mr. R.S. Pandher, Sr. DAG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the respondents.

In view of the nature of prayer made by learned counsel for the petitioner, this writ petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2 to take note of pending legal notices got issued by the petitioner and pass an appropriate order in accordance with law preferably within a period of one month from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

06.01.2023
P.Bhatt

(RAJ MOHAN SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether reasoned/speaking?
Whether reportable?

Yes/No
Yes/No