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

CWP-5790-2023

Date of decision : 20.03.2023

Balwinder Singh Panch and others

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VIKAS BAHL

Present: Mr. Satraj Singh Toor, Advocate and
Mr. Manraj Singh Toor, Advocate and
Mr. Jasraj Singh Toor, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. Ferry Sofat, Addl. A.G. Punjab,
for respondent Nos.1 to 4.

VIKAS BAHL, J. (ORAL)

This is a Civil Writ Petition filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus directing respondent No.4 to comply with the order dated 28.09.2022 (Annexure P-1) vide which the Sarpanch had been removed and the acting Sarpanch (authorized Panch) amongst the Panches is to be nominated.

Learned State Counsel, on instructions from the BDPO, has submitted that the petitioners would be called within a period of two

weeks from today so as to nominate the authorized Panch/acting Sarpanch and to hand over the charge to the said persons.

Learned counsel for the petitioners has submitted that in view of the abovesaid statement made by learned State Counsel, the present Civil Writ petition has been rendered infructuous and same may kindly be disposed of as such. It is however prayed that the State be bound by the abovesaid statement.

Keeping in view the abovesaid facts and circumstances, the present Civil Writ Petition is disposed of as having been rendered infructuous.

The State would be bound by the abovesaid statement.

20.03.2023

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**(VIKAS BAHL)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned:- Yes/No

Whether reportable:- Yes/No