

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

(245)

CWP-15206-2020

Date of decision: - 11.09.2023

DAV College Trust and Management Society and another

....Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana and others

.....Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VIKAS BAHL

Present:- Mr. R.S. Cheema, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

Mr. Amandeep Joshi, DAG, Haryana
for respondents No.1 to 4.

Mr. Abhinav Aggarwal, Advocate
for respondent No.5.

VIKAS BAHL, J. (ORAL)

1. Present writ petition has been filed under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a writ in the nature of certiorari for quashing the impugned order dated 10.12.2019 (Annexure P-1) passed by respondent No.2.

2. Learned counsel appearing for the State as well as learned counsel for respondent No.5 have submitted that a perusal of the impugned order (Annexure P-1) would show that the Director Secondary Education, Haryana, Panchkula had specifically granted 15 days' time to the petitioners to file a representation. It is further submitted that the

petitioners filed a detailed representation dated 19.12.2019 before the Director Secondary Education, Panchkula, Haryana and thus, the present petition is premature, inasmuch as, no decision has been taken on the said representation (Annexure P-13).

3. Learned counsel for the petitioners has prayed that in view of the above, the present writ petition be disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2 to consider the representation dated 19.12.2019 (Annexure P-13) in accordance with law.

4. Keeping in view the above-said facts and circumstances, the present writ petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2 to consider and decide the representation dated 19.12.2019 (Annexure P-13) as expeditiously as possible, preferably, within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order

5. It is made clear that this Court has not opined on the merits of the case and respondent No.2 would consider and decide the matter independently, in accordance with law.

September 11, 2023
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(VIKAS BAHL)
JUDGE

Whether reasoned/speaking?
Whether reportable?

Yes/No
Yes/No