

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

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CWP-14814-2023**Decided on :17.07.2023**

Chandragupt Maury and others

... Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana and others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VIKAS BAHL**PRESENT:** Mr. Abhinav Aggarwal, Advocate
for the petitioners.Ms. Palika Monga, DAG, Haryana
for respondent Nos.1 to 7.

VIKAS BAHL, J. (Oral)

1. This is a Civil Writ Petition filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a writ, order or direction in the nature of mandamus directing the respondent-Department to decide the representation dated 25.03.2022 (Annexure P-1) and dated 02.05.2023 (Annexure P-6) expeditiously within a time frame.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioners has submitted that the Association, of which, the petitioners are members have filed a complaint dated 25.03.2022 (Annexure P-1) before respondent No.7. He has further referred to Rule 158A of Haryana School Education Rules, 2003 (Amendment) Rules, 2021 in order to highlight the fact that the enquiry is to be completed within a period not exceeding three months. It is contended that in the present case, the period of 3 months has already lapsed. It is further contended that the petitioners would be

satisfied, in case, respondent No. 7 is directed to expedite the proceedings and to conclude the same as expeditiously as possible.

3. Learned State Counsel has submitted that every effort would be made by respondent No.7 to expedite the proceedings and to conclude the same as expeditiously as possible.

4. Keeping in view the abovesaid facts and circumstances, the present Civil Writ Petition is disposed of with direction to respondent No.7 to decide the complaint dated 25.03.2022 (Annexure P-1) as expeditiously as possible and in any case, within a period of three months from the date of receipt of certified copy of the present order.

5. This Court has not opined on the merits of the case and respondent No.7 would decide the case of the petitioners independently and in accordance with law.

(VIKAS BAHL)
JUDGE

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Whether reasoned/speaking?	Yes/No
Whether reportable?	Yes/No