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

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Date of Decision: October 07, 2024

Amrik Singh and others

.....Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE RAJESH BHARDWAJ
HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE SANJIV BERRY**

Present: Mr.Impinder Singh Dhaliwal, Advocate
for the petitioners.

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RAJESH BHARDWAJ, J.(ORAL)

Petitioners have approached this Court praying for issuance of direction to respondent No.3 to decide the representation, Annexure P-9, vide which the petitioners, after passing the resolution, requested the official respondents to declare their village as Nagar Panchayat and to implement the Notification, dated 07.05.2013 and decide their representation, dated 08.11.2023, Annexure P-9, expeditiously. It is further prayed to direct the respondents not to conduct the Gram Panchayat election till the declaration of the Gram Panchayat village Doda as Nagar Panchayat.

It has been submitted by learned counsel for the petitioners that for redressal of their grievances, the petitioners have already given a representation before respondent No.1 on 08.11.2023, but the same has not been decided as yet.

Notice of motion to respondents.

On the asking of the Court, Mr.Jaspal Singh Guru, AAG,

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Punjab, who is present in Court, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents/State and submits that the representation of the petitioners would be decided at the earliest.

After hearing the learned counsel for the parties and going through the facts of the case, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.1-the Secretary, Rural Development and Panchayat, Mini Secretariat, Chandigarh, Annexure P-9, to look into the representation and decide the same expeditiously preferably by 12.10.2024 in accordance with law.

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