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

**CWP-13957-2026(O&M)
Date of decision : 06.05.2026**

Amritpal Singh Dhanesar and another ...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others ...Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPINDER SINGH
NALWA**

Present: Mr. Gopal Singh Nahel, Advocate for the petitioners.

DEEPINDER SINGH NALWA, J. (Oral)

In the present writ petition, the petitioner is praying for issuance of a writ in the nature of Certiorari for quashing the interim order dated 13.04.2026 (Annexure P-6) passed by respondent No.2, vide which the election of the petitioners was stayed. The petitioners have also challenged the consequential proceedings dated 15.04.2026 (Annexure P-7), whereby the office bearers of the Society were elected.

2. After arguing at some length, learned counsel appearing for the petitioners, on instructions from the petitioners, submits that he will be satisfied, if a direction is given to respondent No.2 to decide the election petition dated 11.02.2026 (Annexure P-1) filed by respondent No.4 in a time-bound manner.

3. Notice of motion.

4. Mr. Rohit Ahuja, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of respondents No.1 and 2; whereas Mr.

Gaurav Vir Singh Behl, Advocate, accepts notice on behalf of



respondent No.4. Learned counsel appearing for respondents No.1 and 2 - State does not oppose the prayer made by learned counsel for the petitioners.

5. In view of the above and without commenting upon the merits of the case, the present petition is hereby disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2 to decide the election petition dated 11.02.2026 (Annexure P-1), filed by respondent No.4, in accordance with law. Respondent No.2 shall make an endeavour to decide the said election petition as expeditiously as possible, preferably within a period of six months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order.

6. Pending application(s), if any, shall also stand(s) disposed of.

06.05.2026

(DEEPINDER SINGH NALWA)

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JUDGE

Whether speaking / reasoned :

Yes

No

Whether Reportable :

Yes

No