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From

Director  
Social Justice & Empowerment Department,  
Haryana, Panchkula

To

All Head of the Department,  
Haryana State.

No. 12592-652  
DW/SJE/2018

Dated 5/7/18

Dir. A&FW  
Dt. 10/7/18

Subject: - Writ Petition (Civil) no. 1151 of 2017 titled as Vidhi Centre for Legal Policy Vs. Union of India & Others.

It is submitted that WP (C) No.1151 of 2017 titled as Vidhi Centre for Legal Polity Vs. UOI of India and others is pending in the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India. The petitioner has challenged Section 23 of the Haryana Prevention of Beggary Act, 1971 and Section 8 of the Haryana Shri Mata Mansa Devi Shrine Act, 1991. The above said section is enlisted at Serial No. 72 and Serial No. 84 respectively of Annexure-P annexed with the writ petition. The petitioner has mentioned in the writ petition that due to discovery of modern science and medicines, diseased like leprosy can be cured permanently. Therefore, persons affected with leprosy cannot be discriminated against.

The Department has to file the reply on behalf of worthy Chief Secretary, Haryana regarding amendment in the Haryana Prevention of Beggary Act, 1971 as well as Haryana Shri Mata Mansa Devi Shrine Act, 1991. Respected Chief Secretary, Haryana has directed to apprise your department to ensure that necessary action in this matter is taken.

Joint Director (DW)  
Social Justice & Empowerment Deptt.  
Haryana, Panchkula

DIRECTORATE OF AGRICULTURE & FARMERS WELFARE, HARYANA, PANCHKULA

Endst.No. 10879-11029 /E-III(5)

Dated: 06.08.18

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Directorate of Agri. & Farmers Welfare,  
Haryana, Panchkula

6 All subordinate Offices in Agriculture & Farmers Welfare Department, Haryana for information and further necessary action.

Deputy Superintendent (Estt.-III)  
for Director, Agriculture & Farmers Welfare