



### **24<sup>th</sup> September 2015 Gurmatta**

A meeting of five Singh Sahibans was held at Secretariat Office Sri Akal Takht Sahib today on 08 Assu Nanakshahi Sammat 547 (September 24, 2015). In the meeting, the letter that was received at Sri Akal Takht Sahib in the past days sent by Dera Sirsa Chief through his representatives was discussed. In that letter, with great humility and modesty he gave the explanation of the 2007 controversy and destruction of communal brotherhood, and asked for apology. He said that we can never even think of copying Guru Gobind Singh let alone do it. How can we copy, there is no question of us even thinking about it. We don't consider ourselves equal to any saint, prophet then how we can even attempt to copy anyone. The matter was discussed by the Singh Sahibans of the five takhts according to panthic traditions and in the light of Gurmat and the apology and explanation letter was accepted by them. The Dera Chief has been advised not to commit any such act in the future which may hurt sentiments of Sikhs or people of any other religion.