

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

CWP-18855-2012 (O&M)
Date of decision : 27.03.2015

Krishan Lal and others

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present: Mr. M.K. Dogra, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. Mehardeep Singh, DAG, Punjab.

Mr. NPS Mann, Advocate for respondent No.3.

JITENDRA CHAUHAN, J. (Oral)

The petitioners seek counting of service from the date of their respective joining and not from the date of contribution to the provident fund.

At the outset, the learned counsel for the petitioners states that he does not press the present petition on its merits. At this stage, he will be satisfied in case the respondents are directed to treat the present petition as a representation and decide the same in terms of LPA No.1683 of 2013, decided on 29.10.2013, titled as State of Punjab and others Vs. Satish Rani Sood, who is a similarly situated employee.

In view of the statement made, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2, to treat the present

petition as a representation and decide the same by passing a speaking and reasoned order in terms of LPA No.1683 of 2013. The needful be done within a period of four months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order and in case, the petitioners are found entitled, the necessary benefits be paid to them within a period of one month thereafter.

Disposed of.

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(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE