

HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP No. 21889 of 2015
Date of decision: October 13, 2015

Bala

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and ors.

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE HARINDER SINGH SIDHU

Present: - Mr. Sukhjit Singh, Advocate
for the petitioner.

HARINDER SINGH SIDHU. J.

The petitioner was appointed as a part time sweeper in Government Primary School 1-B Ambedkar Nagar on 1.11.1995. Thereafter, she was shifted to the office of District Education Officer at Ludhiana. She has been performing the duties as Part time sweeper since her appointment.

The grievance of the petitioner is that the respondents have already regularized the services of number of similarly situated employees, who had been working as part time sweepers in the schools on the basis of Punjab Government Instructions dated 31.3.2004, 23.4.2004 and 14.5.2012 respectively, but the petitioner has not been so regularized.

For claiming the aforesaid relief, the petitioner has submitted repeated representations and lastly served legal notice dated 30.9.2015 (Annexure P-2) through counsel to the respondents but no action has been taken so far.

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Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that at this stage, he would be satisfied if a direction is issued to respondent No. 3 to take a decision on the legal notice dated 30.09.2015 (Annexure P-2) with regard to regularization of the services of the petitioner.

Accordingly, without commenting on the merits of the case, the present writ petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No. 3 to consider and take a decision on the legal notice dated 30.09.2015 (Annexure P-2) with regard to regularization of the services of the petitioner expeditiously, preferably, within a period of three months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order.

(Harinder Singh Sidhu)
Judge

13.10.2015
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