

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

CWP No.26625 of 2015(O&M)
Decided on: 21.12.2015

Harbinder Singh

.... Petitioner

VS.

State of Punjab & ors.

.... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE G.S.SANDHAWALIA

Present: Mr. Malhar Singh Dhami, Advocate
for the petitioner.

G.S.Sandhawalia, J.(Oral)

The petitioner seeks the relief of service rendered by the petitioner in the privately managed government aided school before joining the service of Education Department for the purpose of pensionary and retrial benefits. It is the pleaded case of the petitioner that he had worked as Science Master for the period from 09.11.1983 to 09.07.1990 against permanent aided post in J.S.F.H. Khalsa Sr. Secondary School Atta (Jalandhar). Thereafter the petitioner joined as Physics Lecturer in Punjab Education Department in the year 1990 and was promoted as Principal w.e.f. 24.12.2009 and retired on 31.03.2015 from Government Senior Secondary School Datapur, Tehsil Mukerian, District Hoshiarpur. Counsel for the petitioner submits that legal notice dated 20.04.2015 (Annexure P-2) for the said relief has already been served upon respondent Nos.2 and 3, which is still pending consideration.

Accordingly, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that he would be satisfied if the said legal notice dated 20.04.2015 be decided within a fixed time bound frame.

Notice of motion.

Mr. R.S.Sidhu, AAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of

respondents. Copy of the writ petition has also been supplied to the State counsel in Court.

In view of the limited prayer made by counsel for the petitioner, this Court does not feel it necessary to call upon the State to file reply.

Accordingly, without commenting on the merits of the case, the present writ petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2 to take a decision on the legal notice dated 20.04.2015 (Annexure P-2) within a period of 3 months from the date of receipt of certified copy of the order. In case any relief is granted to the petitioner, the benefit be given within a period of 2 months thereafter. Needless to say that in case the relief is to be declined, a speaking order be passed and conveyed to the petitioner.

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JUDGE