

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

**Civil Writ Petition No.4456 of 2015
Date of Decision:13.03.2015**

Vishwas Kumarpetitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and anotherrespondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE ARUN PALLI

Present: Mr.P.K.Goklaney, Advocate
for the petitioner

ARUN PALLI, J.(ORAL):-

A writ in the nature of mandamus is prayed for, directing the respondents to fix the pay of the petitioner, notionally, and also the seniority w.e.f. December 2001, particularly, when the similar benefit was extended to the identically placed employees as the petitioner and, since, he is fully eligible and entitled, therefor.

It is maintained that before institution of this petition, the petitioner had served a legal notice dated 02.12.2014 (Annexure P8) upon the respondents, but the same has failed to evoke any response.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that, at this stage, let this petition be disposed of, with a direction to the respondents, to consider and decide the representation made by the petitioner, within a stipulated period of time.

That being so, and, without expressing any opinion on merits, the instant petition is disposed of, with a direction to the respondents, to consider and decide the claim of the petitioner, as

set out in the legal notice dated 02.12.2014 (Annexure P8), in accordance with law, within a period of three months, from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order. Needless to assert, a comprehensive order shall be passed assigning reasons, in support of the decision arrived at.

The petition stands disposed of.

13.03.2015

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JUDGE