

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT  
CHANDIGARH

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CWP-10705-2017  
Decided on 18.05.2017

JAI PAL MALIK AND OTHERS

....PETITIONERS

VS

STATE OF HARYANA &amp; OTHERS

....RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AJAY TEWARI

Present: Mr. Ravinder Bangar, Advocate  
for the petitioners.

Mr. Harish Rathee, Sr. DAG, Haryana.

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**AJAY TEWARI, J.(Oral)**

By this petition the petitioners has prayed for quashing the action of respondents while issuing instructions dated 18.8.2009 (Annexure P-2) vide which the pay of the junior employee recruited on or after 1.1.2006 has been fixed higher than the petitioners who were appointed much prior to the junior appointee.

To support the aforesaid claim, the learned counsel for the petitioners relies upon the judgment of this Court in the matter of **Neelam Rani vs. State of Hayana and others**, passed in **CWP No. 11254 of 2010** decided on 15.05.2013. Learned counsel for the petitioners further states that in this connection the petitioners have also moved a Legal Notice dated 11.3.2017 (Annexure P-9) to the respondent No.2 and at this stage they would be satisfied if this legal notice is decided by the respondents

within any reasonable time.

I find this to be a fair submission. Keeping in view the plight as portrayed, I deem it appropriate to dispose of this petition with a direction to the respondent No.2 to decide the said legal notice of the petitioners and pass a speaking order thereon within a period of three months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order. Ordered accordingly.

Since the main case has been decided, the pending civil miscellaneous application, if any, also stand disposed of.

**18.05.2017**  
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**(AJAY TEWARI)**  
**JUDGE**

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| Whether speaking/reasoned | - | Yes/No |
| Whether reportable        | - | Yes/No |