

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

Civil Writ Petition No.14319 of 2017

Date of decision: 06.07.2017

Ravinder Kumar and others

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana and another

...Respondents

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

Present: Mr. S.K.Malik, Advocate for the petitioners.

G.S.SANDHAWALIA, J. (Oral)

The petitioners who are working as Agriculture Development Officers seek fixation of their pay at the higher stage in the revised/modified pay scale at ₹ 16,290/- instead of ₹ 14,850/- with effect from 22.5.2014 as per Haryana Civil Services (Revised Pay) Rules, 2008 and for release of arrears of difference of due and drawn salaries after re-fixation of pay at the appropriate stage along with interest at the rate of 18% per annum.

The details of the petitioners have been mentioned in Annexure P/1 and they have already served a legal notice dated 16.5.2017 (Annexure P/8) upon the respondents projecting their case which admittedly has not been decided.

Notice of motion.

Ms. Shruti Jain Goyal, Assistant Advocate General, Haryana accepts notice on behalf of respondents. Requisite copies of the writ petition have been supplied to her.

Accordingly, without commenting upon the merits of the case

or entitlement of the petitioners as such regarding the relief claimed, the present writ petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent no.1 to take into consideration the said legal notice dated 16.5.2017 (Annexure P/8) and take a decision within a period of two months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order. It is made clear that in case the petitioners are held entitled for the necessary relief, the same shall be disbursed expeditiously thereafter. In case any adverse order is to be passed then a reasoned order be passed by the said respondent and copy thereof be supplied to the petitioners.

The present writ petition is disposed off with the aforesaid directions.

July 06, 2017
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(G.S.SANDHAWALIA)
Judge

Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether reportable:

Yes/No