

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

**CWP No. 15151 of 2017
DECIDED ON: July 14, 2017**

GURMAIL SINGH, LM (RETD.)

.....PETITIONER..

VERSUS

**PUNJAB STATE POWER CORPORATION LTD.RESPONDENTS..
AND ANOTHER**

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

Present: Mr. Kanwaljeet Singh, Advocate
for the petitioner.

JASPAL SINGH, J (ORAL)

By virtue of instant petition preferred under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, petitioner has sought issuance of a writ of mandamus directing the respondents to grant him the benefit of 23 year advance promotional increments w.e.f. 01.01.2015 as per policy under Finance Circulars 17/1990 dated 23.04.1990 amended from time to time, with consequential re-fixation of pay and retiral benefits and to release the arrears of revised pay and retiral benefits along with interest @ 12% p.a.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that a legal notice dated 02.06.2017 (Annexure P-5) was duly served upon the respondents, but till date, no action has been taken.

3. Instant petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondent(s) to

look into the grievances unfolded by the petitioner in his legal notice dated 02.06.2017 (Annexure P-5) and to decide the same, particularly keeping in view policy under Finance Circulars No. 17/1990, issued vide office order No.197/Fin/PRC-1988, dated 23.04.1990, within a period of three months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

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(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned *Yes*

Whether reportable *Yes/No*