

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

**CWP No.15570 of 2017
DECIDED ON: July 19, 2017**

**RAVINDER KUMAR AGNIHOTRI
AND OTHERS**

.....PETITIONERS

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

.....RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

Present: Mr. G.S. Bal, Sr. Advocate with
Mr. ADS Bal, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

JASPAL SINGH, J (ORAL)

Through instant petition preferred under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India, petitioners have sought issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus, directing the respondents to re-fix their pension as per circulars dated 15.12.2011, 17.08.2009 and 22.02.2010 (Annexures P-4 to P-8) in view of increase in the pay scales and grade pay in terms of judgment rendered by this Court in CWP No.2866 of 2014 (Annexure P-11) along with number of other writ petitions and consequently grant them all consequential benefits accruing therefrom.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that he feels satisfied in case direction is issued to the respondent(s) to decide the legal notice dated

13.05.2017 (Annexure P-13) in view of the circulars dated 15.12.2011, 17.08.2009 and 22.02.2010 (Annexures P-4 to P-8) as well as judgment of this Court passed in CWP No.2866 of 2014, titled as “*Karanvir Singh and others v. State of Punjab and others*”, decided on 30.09.2016 (Annexure P-11), within a stipulated period.

3. Instant petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents to look into the grievances unfolded by the petitioners in their legal notice dated 13.05.2017 (Annexure P-13) and decide the same particularly in view of circulars dated 15.12.2011, 17.08.2009 and 22.02.2010 (Annexures P-4 to P-8) as well as judgment of this Court in *Karanvir Singh's case (supra)* (Annexure P-11), within a period of 3 months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

July 19, 2017
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(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned *Yes*

Whether reportable *Yes/No*