

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

C.W.P.No. 17467 of 2017

DATE OF DECISION:08.08.2017

Swaran Singh Batth and another

.....Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and another

.....Respondents

BEFORE:- HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE DAYA CHAUDHARY

Present:- Mr. PS Khurana, Advocate
for the petitioners.

DAYA CHAUDHARY, J.

Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that similarly situated persons approached this Court by way of filing C.W.P. No. 26506 of 2014 titled as **Des Raj and others Vs. State of Punjab and others** as well as C.W.P. No. 19589 of 2015 titled as **Gurvinder Kumar and another Vs. State of Punjab and another**, which were decided on 23.12.2014 and 31.3.2016, respectively. He further contends that on the basis of directions issued by this Court, the benefits as sought in the representation/legal notices have been released to those petitioners, who have filed aforesaid petitions. He also contends that the petitioners have also served upon legal notice dated 28.11.2016 (Annexure P-16) to the respondents but no action has been taken thereupon so far.

Learned counsel for the petitioners contends that the petitioners would be satisfied in case directions are issued to the respondents to

consider the legal notice sent by them.

Keeping in view the limited prayer of the petitioners and also the fact that similarly situated persons have been granted similar benefits, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2 to consider the claim of the petitioners as per averments made in the legal notice dated 28.11.2016 (Annexure P-16) as well as in accordance with law within a period of two months from the date of receipt of certified copy of the order. In case the petitioners are found to be entitled for the relief, which has been granted to the similarly situated persons, the same be granted to them within a period of two months thereafter. In case any adverse order is to be passed, the same be passed in accordance with law with specific reasons.

Disposed of accordingly.

August 08, 2017
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(DAYA CHAUDHARY)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable

Yes
No