

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

Sr. No.111

Civil Writ Petition No.18512 of 2017
DECIDED ON: September 13, 2017

SAT PAL SINGH

..PETITIONER

VERSUS

**PUNJAB STATE POWER CORPORATION LTD. PATIALA AND
OTHERS**

...RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

Present: Mr. Ish Puneet Singh, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

JASPAL SINGH, J. (ORAL)

Through the instant civil writ petition preferred under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India, petitioner has sought the issuance of a writ particularly in the nature of mandamus directing the respondents to count the service rendered by the petitioner on work-charged basis with the respondent w.e.f. April 04, 1978 to April 17, 1984 for the purpose of grant of pensionary benefits to release the revised pensionary benefits along with interest and further for issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus directing the respondents to decide the legal notice dated February 24, 2017 (P-3).

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that though a legal notice was issued to the respondents on February 24, 2017 (Annexure P-3)

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but after an expiry of more than six months neither any reply to the said legal notice has been received nor any final order has been passed by the respondents.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner further submits that he feels satisfied in case a direction is issued to respondent No.1 to decide legal notice dated February 24, 2017 (Annexure P-3) in a time bound manner.

4. Instant petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.1-Chairman-cum-Managing Director, Punjab State Power Corporation Ltd., PSEB Head Office, The Mall, Patiala to look into the grievances unfolded by the petitioner in his Legal Notice dated February 24, 2017 (Annexure P-3) and pass a speaking order considering all the facts narrated in the aforesaid legal notice within a period of three months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order.

5. However, if petitioner still feels aggrieved by any order of the afore-said authority, he shall be at liberty to approach this Court.

September 13, 2017
Ankur

(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No