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CWP No. 18693 of 2017

DECIDED ON: AUGUST 22, 2017

TAJINDER SINGH

.....PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB & ORS

.....RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

Present: Mr. Sunny Singla, Advocate
for the petitioner.

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JASPAL SINGH, J (ORAL)

By virtue of instant petition preferred under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India, petitioner has sought the issuance of writ in the nature of mandamus directing the respondents to step up the pay of the petitioner at par with his junior w.e.f. due date and further to grant all arrears of pay and consequential benefits alongwith interest @12% per annum.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that a legal notice dated June 02, 2017 (Annexure P-7) was served upon the respondents but till date no action has been taken. He further submits that he feels satisfied in case a direction is issued to respondent No.2 to decide the legal notice (Annexure P-7) within a stipulated period.

Accordingly, instant petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2 to look into the grievances unfolded by the petitioner in his

legal notice dated June 02, 2017 (Annexure P-7) and to decide the same by passing a speaking order, within a period of three months from the date of certified copy of this order. He is also directed to consider the grant of interest on the delayed payment. However, if the petitioner still feels aggrieved of any order passed by the authorities concerned, he shall be at liberty to approach this Court.

AUGUST 22, 2017
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(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned *Yes/No*

Whether reportable *Yes/No*