

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

Sr. No.137

Civil Writ Petition No.20140 of 2017
DECIDED ON: September 06, 2017

SUKHDEV SINGH

..PETITIONER

VERSUS

UTTAR HARYANA BIJLI VITRAN NIGAM LTD. AND OTHERS.

...RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

Present: Mr. Naveen Daryal, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

JASPAL SINGH, J. (ORAL)

Through the instant civil writ petition preferred under Article 226 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 daily wager service as a qualifying service for the purpose of pensionary benefits w.e.f. 07.10.1979 to 01.06.1987 and further the work charge service w.e.f. 02.06.1987 to 22.10.1990 followed by regular service as a R.T.M. with all consequential benefits along with interest @ 18% per annum.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that though a legal notice was issued to the respondents on February 09, 2016 (Annexure P-4) but till date neither any reply to the said legal notice has been received nor any final order has been passed by the respondents.

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3. Learned counsel for the petitioner further submits that he feels satisfied in case a direction is issued to respondent No.2 to decide legal notice dated February 09, 2016 (Annexure P-4) in a time bound manner.

4. Instant petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2-Chief Engineer/Operation Circle, Uttar Haryana Bijli Vitran Nigam Limited, Sector 5, Panchkula to look into the grievances unfolded by the petitioner in his Legal Notice dated February 09, 2016 (Annexure P-4) and pass a speaking order as per various rules and instructions issued by the Government from time to time particularly Government Notification dated February 20, 2002.

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 06, 2017
Ankur

(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable

Yes/No
Yes/No