

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

**CWP No.20158 of 2017
DECIDED ON: SEPTEMBER 07, 2017**

JOGINDER PAL

.....PETITIONER..

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ORS.

.....RESPONDENTS..

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

Present: Mr. Surinder Sharma, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

JASPAL SINGH, J. (ORAL)

Through instant petition preferred under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India, petitioner has sought issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus, directing respondent No.1 to remove anomaly in the pay scale of petitioner and grant arrears after refixation of pay and pension to him along with interest @ 12% as well as all other consequential benefits w.e.f. the date anomaly in the pay scale arose.

2. Notice of motion.

3. At the asking of the Court, Ms. Akanksha, Assistant Advocate General, Punjab has accepted notice on behalf of the respondent-State. Learned counsel for the petitioner is advised to supply requisite number of copies of the paper book to learned State counsel, during the course of the day.

4. At the very outset of the arguments, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that petitioner feels satisfied in case direction is issued to respondent No.1 to decide representation dated 28.06.2017 (Annexure P-5), within a stipulated period.
5. Accordingly, instant petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.1-Secretary, Department of Transport, Punjab, Chandigarh to look into the grievances unfolded by the petitioner in his representation dated 28.06.2017 (Annexure P-5) and decide the same, in view of judgment passed passed by this Court in CWP No. 13262 of 2012, titled as **“Narinder Pal Singh and others v. State of Punjab and others”**, decided on 29.03.2016, by passing a speaking order, within a period of 3 months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.
6. However, in case, the petitioner still feels aggrieved of the order passed by respondent(s), he shall be at liberty to approach this Court.

SEPTEMBER 07, 2017
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(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned **Yes**

Whether reportable **Yes/No**