

IN THE HIGH COURT FOR THE STATES OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP No.25178 of 2017

Date of Decision: November 06, 2017

Ram Singh and others

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMOL RATTAN SINGH

Present:- Mr. Shalender Mohan, Advocate, for the petitioners.

Amol Rattan Singh, J. (Oral)

In respect of their grievance, the petitioners are stated to have got a legal notice issued to the respondents on 06.07.2017, a copy of which has been annexed as Annexure P-3 with the petition, which is contended to still not have been decided.

Learned counsel for the petitioners is also relying upon a judgment of a coordinate Bench passed in CWP no.24282 of 2011, decided on 29.09.2016, which it is contended by the learned counsel, wholly covers the case of the petitioners in their favour.

An order of this Court dated 03.10.2017, passed in CWP no.22531 of 2017, has also been annexed as Annexure P-5 with the petition, by which order, it was observed by this Court that the petitioners in that petition having approached this Court in the year 2017 (if the claim of those petitioners are found to be due by the respondents), the arrears to be paid would be restricted to 38 months prior to the date of filing of the writ petition.

Consequently, this petition is disposed of with a direction to the competent authority amongst the respondents to take a decision on the aforesaid legal notice got issued by the petitioners, by passing a speaking order within a period of three months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order, taking into consideration the judgment passed in CWP no.24282 of 2011, as also observations of this Court passed in CWP no.22531 of 2017.

However, since the petitioners have got issued a legal notice in the month of July 2017, if the claim of the petitioners is found to be due by the respondents, the arrears to be paid to them would be restricted to 3 years prior to the date of issuance of such legal notice.

November 06, 2017
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(Amol Rattan Singh)
Judge

Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes
Whether reportable:	no