

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP No. 29416 OF 2017
DECIDED ON: DECEMBER 21, 2017

GURJIT SINGH AND ORS.

.....PETITIONERS

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

.....RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

Present: Mr. Amrik Singh, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

JASPAL SINGH, J (ORAL)

By virtue of instant petition preferred under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India, petitioners have sought issuance of a writ in the nature mandamus, directing the official respondents to step up the pay and all the consequential benefits like seniority, pay etc. to bring it at par with their juniors who were promoted on 01.01.1994, 01.01.1997 and 01.01.1998 on the basis of accelerated promotion being from reserved category and since the petitioners, who were senior to them has been promoted in the year 2010-2011.

2. At the very outset, learned counsel for the petitioners submits that petitioners feel satisfied in case direction is issued to respondent No.1 to decide legal notice dated 01.12.2017 (Annexure P-6), within a stipulated period.

3. The instant petition is disposed of with the direction to respondent No.1-Secretary, Public Works Department (B&R), Sector 9, Mini Secretariat, Chandigarh to look into the grievances unfolded by the petitioners in their legal

notice dated 01.12.2017 (Annexure P-6) and to decide the same, within a period of four months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

4. However, if the petitioners still feel aggrieved against any of the order(s) passed by the concerned authority, they shall be at liberty to approach this Court.

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(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE

<i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes</i>
<i>Whether reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>