

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

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CWP No.3981 of 2017 (O&M)

Date of Decision : 01.03.2017

Sangeeta Kumari

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and others

..... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE AJAY TEWARI

Present : Mr. Surender Pal, Advocate
for the petitioner.

AJAY TEWARI, J. (Oral)

By this petition the petitioner claims the benefits of maternity leave.

Learned counsel states that in this connection the petitioner has got issued legal notice (Annexure P-5) to the respondents and at this stage she would be satisfied if the legal notice is decided by the respondent No.2 within any reasonable time.

I find this to be a fair submission. Keeping in view the plight as portrayed, I deem it appropriate to dispose of this petition with a direction to the respondent No.2 to decide the said legal notice of the petitioner by passing a speaking order thereon within a period of three months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order. Ordered accordingly.

In case the petitioner is found entitled to the relief claimed the same may be granted to her within the aforesaid period. In case any due

relief is not granted to the petitioner, the petitioner would be entitled to claim the same with interest @ 12% p.a. from the date/s the amount/s fell due till the date/s of payment/s.

Since the main case has been decided, the pending civil miscellaneous application, if any, also stands disposed of.

(AJAY TEWARI)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned - Yes/No

Whether reportable - Yes/No