

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

CWP No.13996 of 2018 (O&M)

Date of decision: 30.05.2018

Jaspreet Singh and others

...Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present: Mr. Sameer Sachdeva, Advocate for the petitioner(s).

Jitendra Chauhan, J. (Oral)

By way of the present petition, the petitioners seek issuance of a writ against the action of respondents whereby by way of open discrimination and in contradiction of the settled position, the payment of arrears of revised pay scale to the petitioner w.e.f. 01.01.2006 to 31.07.2009 are being withheld by the respondents illegally.

Learned counsel states that at this stage he would be satisfied in case the competent authority is directed to consider and decide the claim of the petitioners in the light of judgment passed by this Court in CWP-1973-2016 titled as **Nishant Kumar and another** Vs. **State of Punjab and others**, decided on 30.01.2018 (Annexure P-12).

Heard.

In view of the above, without adverting to the merits of the case, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.1-Principal Secretary to Government of Punjab, Department of Higher

Education, Civil Secretariat, Punjab, Chandigarh to consider the case of the petitioners in the light of assertion made within six weeks from the receipt of certified copy of the order. If, on consideration, the competent authority reaches to the conclusion that the case of the petitioners is at par with the petitioners in the above said judgment, the competent authority is directed to pass the consequential order within a period of 12 weeks thereafter. However, in case the competent authority feels that the relief claimed by the petitioners is not admissible or made out, in that case, a speaking order be passed in the matter.

30.05.2018

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(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned :	Yes	No
Whether Reportable :	Yes	No