

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

CWP No.1401 of 2018
Date of decision: 23.1.2018

Joginder Singh and others

... Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana and others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN PALLI

Present: Mr. Baldev Singh Dhillon, Advocate for the petitioners.

ARUN PALLI, J. (Oral)

A writ in the nature of mandamus is prayed for, directing respondents to pay bonus to petitioners No.1 to 8 for the financial years 2014-15 (Revised), 2015-16 and 2016-17 as also to petitioners No.9 to 14 for the financial years 2014-15 (Revised) and 2015-16, in the wake of the directions issued by respondent No.2, dated 29.11.2016 (Annexure P1). It is contended that respondents were even served with a notice dated 28.08.2017 (Annexure P5), but in response only petitioners No.9 to 14 have been released bonus for the year 2016-17. Meaning thereby, petitioners No.9 to 14 have not been released bonus for the financial years 2014-15 and 2015-16, whereas petitioners No.1 to 8 have not been disbursed bonus for all the three years.

That being so, the petition is disposed of, at this stage, only with a direction to the respondents to consider and decide the claim of the petitioners, and respond to the notice served by them dated 28.08.2017

(Annexure P5). And pass an appropriate order, in accordance with law, within a period of three months from the receipt of certified copy of this order.

23.01.2018
Rajan

(Arun Palli)
Judge

Whether speaking / reasoned:	YES
Whether Reportable:	NO