

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

CWP No.14176 of 2018 (O&M)

Date of decision: 30.05.2018

Rajwant Singh and others

...Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present: Mr. J.S. Mohri, Advocate for the petitioner(s).

Jitendra Chauhan, J. (Oral)

By way of the present petition, the petitioners seek issuance of directions to the respondents to count the service rendered by the petitioners on the post of Special Police Officers as qualifying service for the purpose of seniority and for the post of Constables and all other consequential benefits.

Learned counsel states that at this stage he would be satisfied in case the respondent No.3-The Additional Director General of Police (Armed) PAP, Jalandhar Cantt is directed to consider and decide the legal notice dated 23.04.2018 (Annexure P-10) in the light of judgments passed by this Court in CR-2295-2010 titled as **Constable Rajinder Kumar** Vs. **State of Punjab through Principal Secretary Home, Department of Home Affairs & Justice, Mini Secretariat, Punjab, Chandigarh and others**, decided on 06.09.2010 (Annexure P-7) and in CWP-8549-2018 titled as **Satwinder Singh and others** Vs. **State of Punjab and others**,

decided on 05.04.2018 (Annexure P-9) in a time bound manner.

Heard.

In view of the above, without advertting to the merits of the case, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.3-The Additional Director General of Police (Armed) PAP, Jalandhar Cantt to consider and decide the legal notice dated 23.04.2018 (Annexure P-10) in the light of Annexures P-7 and P-9 within a period of six weeks from the date of receipt of certified copy of the order. In case, on consideration, the competent authority reaches to the conclusion that the benefit claimed by the petitioners is admissible to them, in such eventuality, the consequential relief be allowed to them, within a period of six 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