

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

**CWP No.1452 of 2018 (O&M)
Date of Decision : 26.02.2018**

Saroj Bala and others

.....Petitioners

Versus

The State of Haryana and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN PALLI

Present: Ms. Kamlesh Khatri, Advocate for the petitioners.

ARUN PALLI, J. (Oral)

Notice of motion.

On the asking of the Court, Mr. Siddharth Sanwaria, DAG, Haryana, present in court, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents. Copies supplied.

In the nature of order I propose to pass, no formal written statement(s)/counter-affidavit(s) on behalf of the respondents are indeed necessary at this stage. Thus, with the consent of the parties, the petition is being finally disposed of.

The petitioners were appointed as Clusters/Motivators etc. under the Swachh Bharat Mission, purely on contractual basis, for a period of one year. The limited grievance that they have is; that they have not been paid salary since April 2017, and even though the work for which they were hired, is in existence, their services were sought to be dispensed with. The petitioners purport to have represented to the respondents, in this regard, vide representation dated 26.12.2017 (Annexure P-4), to extend

their contractual period, till they are suitably replaced by a regular arrangement.

In response, learned State counsel submits that the claim/grievance of the petitioners as also their representation dated 26.12.2017 (Annexure P-4), shall be considered and dealt with, within a period of two weeks from today. And, appropriate orders in accordance with law shall be passed and communicated to the petitioners as also their counsel.

That being so, the petition is accordingly disposed of, in the above terms. However, in the event, the claim of the petitioners is declined, the respondents-authority shall pass a comprehensive order assigning reasons in support thereof.

26.02.2018

Manoj Bhutani

(ARUN PALLI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No