

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH.**

CWP No.14575 of 2018

Date of Decision:-11.07.2018

Onkar Singh & Ors.

.....Petitioners.

Versus

State of Punjab & Ors.

.....Respondent.

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASWANT SINGH

Present:- Mr. Sandeep Arora, Advocate for the Petitioners.

JASWANT SINGH, J.(ORAL)

Petitioners, five in number, were working as Surveyors/Supervisors with the Irrigation Department at the Dam Projects prior to December 1990, when they were straightway appointed as Junior Engineers possessing the prescribed essential qualifications on account of the staff/Junior Engineers having gone on a general strike. Subsequently the services of the petitioner were regularized as Junior Engineers on 31.08.1992. Now the petitioners are claiming the benefit of regularization of their services as Junior Engineers w.e.f. their respective dates of joining and as per the relief granted to similarly situated employees pursuant to the orders passed by this Court in CWP No.9500 of 2012 decided on 21.05.2012 (P-6) by learned Single Judge of this Court which has been accepted by the respondents.

Counsel for the petitioner submits that his clients would be

satisfied if a direction is issued to the respondents for treating their case in the light of the case set up in the present writ petition.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Manoj Bajaj, Additional Advocate General, Punjab who is present in Court accepts notice and on instructions from Mr. Kulwinder Singh, Senior Assistant, O/o Chief Engineer, Drainage states that the matter is covered by the judgment (P-6) and has no objection if the present writ petition is disposed of with the direction to the respondents to dispose of the claim set up by the petitioners in the present writ petition by passing a speaking order.

In view of the aforesaid agreed stand, present writ petition is disposed of with direction to the respondents to dispose of the claim set up by the petitioners in the present writ petition by passing a speaking order within a period of 04 months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order along with copy of writ petition.

(JASWANT SINGH)
JUDGE

July 11, 2018
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	Yes/No