

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH****Date of decision: 12.07.2018****CWP No.16764 of 2018**

Ankush

...Petitioner

Vs.

State of Haryana & others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJIV NARAIN RAINA

Present: Mr. Brijender Kaushik, Advocate, for the petitioner.

RAJIV NARAIN RAINA, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner has claimed compassionate appointment on the death of his father while serving in Sonipat Co-operative Sugar Mills Limited (hereinafter referred to as 'the Sugar Mills'). The Haryana State Federation of Co-operative Sugar Mills Limited in its E.Mail/letter to the Managing Director, Sonipat Co-operative Sugar Mills Limited, Sonipat have advised that necessary action in the matter is required at the level of Sugar Mills as per ex-gratia rules applicable to Mill employees. That E.Mail/letter is dated 22.12.2017 (Annex P-6). A copy of the letter was also forwarded to the petitioner. Since no action was taken, the petitioner sent a legal notice dated 04.04.2018 (Annex P-7) to the Sugar Mills. However, no action on the legal notice has been taken so far.

Since the matter is pending without resolution, learned counsel for the petitioner states that his client would be satisfied if a direction is issued to the Sugar Mills to decide the legal notice in a time bound manner.

Accordingly, this petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.3 to consider the case of the petitioner regarding compassionate appointment and decide the legal notice by passing a reasoned order in the light of the ex-gratia rules of the Mills. Let the exercise be completed within 6 weeks from the date of receiving of certified copy of this order.

12.07.2018
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[RAJIV NARAIN RAINA]
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:

Yes/No

Whether Reportable:

Yes/No