

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CWP No.17147 of 2018

Date of Decision: 07.09.2018

Dr.Lalit Kumar Jain and ors

.....Petitioners

Vs.

State of Haryana and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE RITU BAHRI

Present:- Mr.Sameer Sachdeva, Advocate, for the petitioners.

Mr.Hitesh Pandit, Addl.A.G.Haryana.

RITU BAHRI, J. (ORAL)

In the present writ petition, petitioners are seeking directions to the respondents to grant the benefit of ad-hoc service towards seniority to the petitioners with all consequential benefits with interest in view of the authoritative settled decision dated 09.09.2010(Annexure P-3) and 13.10.2011 in LPA (Annexure P-4) and further upheld in SLP dated 10.05.2018 (Annexure P-5).

Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that petitioners were duly appointed as lecturers in Govt. Colleges in the State of Haryana through proper channel against a duly sanctioned/vacant posts in the respondent/Department which were filled on ad-hoc basis through public notices, advertisement and requisitions through employment exchange after following due procedure of law. After continuity in service all the petitioners were regularized and confirmed on the said post and and were granted promotions from time to time and presently serving in the capacity

as Associate Professor with the respondents. The petitioners are seeking benefit of the judgment passed in the case of Dr.Surinder Kumar Mishra and others Vs. State of Haryana and others passed in CWP No.8604 of 2007 (Annexure P3) which was upheld by the Division Bench in LPA No.886 of 2011 titled State of Haryana and others Vs. Surindra Kumar Mishra and others (Annexure P-4), wherein, it has been held that if a person is appointed on ad-hoc basis after regular procedure of selection and thereafter he is regularized then that period is to be counted towards seniority. The petitioners have been moved a representation (Annexure P-6) to the respondents but no action has been taken in this regard.

Keeping in view the judgment passed Annexure P-3 and Annexure P-4, present writ petition is disposed of by giving directions to the respondents to look into the representation (Annexure P-6) and pass appropriate orders within two months from the date of receipt of this copy of the order

(RITU BAHRI)
JUDGE

07.09.2018
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Whether speaking/reasoned Yes/No

Whether reportable Yes/No