

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

CWP No. 24381 of 2015 (O&M)

Date of decision: 18.01.2018

Dharam Vir and others

...Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Punjab and another

...Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present: Mr. V.K. Sandhir, Advocate for the petitioner(s).

Mr. Suvir Sheokand, Addl. A.G., Punjab.

Jitendra Chauhan, J. (Oral)

By way of the instant writ petition, under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India, the petitioners seek issuance of directions to the respondents to grant the benefits of Senior Assistant along with all consequential benefits from the date when their juniors/similarly situated employees have been granted the deemed date of promotion to the post of Senior Assistant(s) and Superintendent(s).

Learned counsel for the petitioners states that at this stage, he will be satisfied in case, respondent No.2 is directed to take a decision on legal notice dated 12.10.2015 (Annexure P-7) served by the petitioners.

Heard.

In view of the statement made, the Court is not inclined to issue notice of motion, without adverting to the merits of the case the

present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2, to take a decision on legal notice dated 12.10.2015 (Annexure P-7), within a period of one month from the date of receipt of certified copy of this 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 three months 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.

18.01.2018

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(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned :	Yes	No
Whether Reportable :	Yes	No