

CWP No. 21041 of 2018
DECIDED ON: AUGUST 31, 2018

AMRIK KAUR

.....PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ORS.

.....RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

Present: Mr. Baljeet Singh Sidhu, Advocate
for the petitioner.

JASPAL SINGH, J. (ORAL)

Through the instant civil writ petition, preferred under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India, petitioner has sought the issuance of a writ in the nature of Mandamus directing the respondents to grant her family pension along-with interest @ 18% per annum on account of death of her husband-Sukhbir Singh.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the case of the petitioner is squarely covered under the guidelines laid down by the Hon'ble Division Bench of this Court in CWP No. 2371 of 2010, titled as **Harbans Lal vs. The State of Punjab and others;** decided on 31.08.2010 (P-4). Though, a legal notice dated 15.12.2017 (P-7) was duly served upon the respondents but till date neither any reply to the said representation has been received nor any final order has been passed by the respondents.

3. At this juncture, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that she feels satisfied in case a direction is issued to respondent No.2 to decide her legal notice dated 15.12.2017 (P-7) in a time bound manner.
4. In view of above, instant petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2 to look into the grievances unfolded by the petitioner in her legal notice dated 15.12.2017 (P-7) and to take a conscious decision considering all the facts narrated in the aforesaid legal notice as well as the judgment rendered by Hon'ble Division Bench of this Court in *Harbans Lal's case (Supra)* within a period of three months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order.
5. However, if petitioner still feels aggrieved by any of the orders passed by the aforesaid authority, she shall be at liberty to have recourse to other remedies available under the law including to approach this Court.

AUGUST 31, 2018
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(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE

<i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>