

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

CWP No.2277 of 2018
Date of Decision : 02.02.2018

Rajan Bajaj

... Petitioner

VERSUS

State of Punjab and others

.... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE B.S.WALIA

Present: Mr. Amaninder Singh Sekhon, Advocate
for the petitioner.

B.S.WALIA, J.

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that the petitioner was appointed as Patwari vide order dated 17.08.2011 (Annexure P-1) and is continuing in service till date. Grievance of the petitioner is that despite the work and conduct of the petitioner being satisfactory and his fulfilling all the conditions stipulated under Rule 4.7 of the Punjab Civil Service Rules, Volume-1, Part-I, Chapter-IV, no annual increment has been given till date despite representation dated 08.12.2017 (Annexure P-3), having been submitted to respondent No.2.

Learned counsel states that the petitioner would be satisfied if the writ petition is disposed of by directing respondent No.2 to consider and decide representation dated 08.12.2017 i.e. Annexure P-3 in accordance with the rules by passing a speaking order as early as possible.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Jaswinder Singh, Sr. Deputy Advocate General, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents-State and submits that the writ petition can be disposed of in terms of prayer made by learned counsel for the petitioner.

In view of statements made by learned counsel for the parties, the writ petition is disposed of by directing respondent No.2 to consider and decide the representation dated 08.12.2017 (Annexure P-3), by passing a speaking order as per rules in accordance with law as early as possible preferably within a period of 8 weeks from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

(B.S.WALIA)
JUDGE

02.02.2018

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Whether speaking/reasoned	: Yes/No
Whether reportable	: Yes/No