

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

**Civil Writ Petition No.23393 of 2018**

**Date of decision: 14.09.2018**

Jeet Singh

**...Petitioner**

**Versus**

The Chief Managing Director, BBMB and others **...Respondents**

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE G.S.SANDHAWALIA**

Present: Mr. Brijesh Nandan, Advocate for the petitioner.

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**G.S.SANDHAWALIA, J. (Oral)**

The petitioner has filed the present petition under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a direction to the respondents to grant and release the benefit of promotional increment in view of Financial Circular No.17 dated 21.8.2018 (Annexure P/7).

Counsel for the petitioner submits that the legal notice dated 29.10.2016 (Annexure P/6) has already been issued but no action has been taken on the same and he would be satisfied if a direction is issued to respondent no.2-Chief Engineer R & MSR Division Nangal, BBMB, Nangal Township, District Rupnagar to decide the said legal notice in view of the subsequent circular dated 21.8.2018 (Annexure P/7) within some time frame.

Keeping in view the limited relief sought by the petitioner and the decision process being still under way and not finalized, this Court is of the opinion that there is no requirement of calling for any reply from the respondents as it would only lead to delay.

Accordingly, without commenting upon the merits of the case

and entitlement of the petitioner in respect of the relief claimed, the present writ petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent no.2 to take into consideration the said legal notice dated 29.10.2016 (Annexure P/6) in view of the subsequent circular dated 21.8.2018 (Annexure P/7) and pass an appropriate order in accordance with law within a period of three months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order. In case the petitioner is found entitled to such benefit, the amount shall be released to him within a period of two months thereafter. In case any adverse order is to be passed then a reasoned order be passed by the said respondent

The present writ petition is disposed off with the aforesaid directions.

**September 14, 2018**  
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**(G.S.SANDHAWALIA)**  
**Judge**

Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether reportable:

Yes/No