

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

1. **CWP No. 27874 of 2017**
Date of Decision:-17.07.2018

Manjinder Kumar and others

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

2. **CWP No. 28220 of 2017**

Dawinder Singh and others

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

3. **CWP No.28499 of 2017**

Balraj Singh and others

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

4. **CWP No. 28767 of 2017**

Rattan Singh and another

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

5. **CWP No. 28879 of 2017**

Bhupinder Singh and others

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

6. **CWP No. 28637 of 2017**

Gurwinder Singh and others

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

7. **CWP No.28996 of 2017**

Gurpreet Singh and others

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

8. **CWP No. 28373 of 2017**

Pargat Singh and others

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

9. **CWP No. 29967 of 2017**

Sanjiv Kumar and others

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

10. **CWP No.29653 of 2017**

Sunil Bassi

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

11. **CWP No. 29175 of 2017**

Rajinder Kumar and another

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

12. **CWP No. 71 of 2018**

Jaswinder Singh and others

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present:- Mr. Sunny Singla, Advocate,
for the petitioner(s) in CWP Nos.27874, 28220, 28879, 28996,
29175, 28373 & 29653 of 2017.

Mr.Hoshiar Singh, Advocate for
Mr. Kshitij Sharma, Advocate
for the petitioner(s) in CWP Nos.28499 and 28637 of 2017.

Mr. G.L. Bajaj, Advocate,
for the petitioner(s) in CWP-29967-2017, CWP-71-2018.

Mr. Judgepreet S. Warring, Advocate,
for the petitioner(s) in CWP-28767-2017 (O&M).

Ms. Ambika Bedi, AAG Punjab.

Mr. Girish Agnihotri, Sr. Advocate with
Mr. Arvind Seth, Advocate
for respondent -PSPCL.

JITENDRA CHAUHAN J.(Oral)

It is a batch of 12 writ petitions, where identical questions of law and facts are involved.

Notice of motion in the matters were ordered to be issued on

different dates viz., 07.12.2017, 12.12.2017, 14.12.2017, 16.12.2017, 18.12.2017, 15.12.2017, 18.12.2017, 13.12.2017, 08.1.2018, 22.12.2017, 29.1.2018 and 29.1.2018 respectively. Despite availing sufficient opportunities and a specific direction to the parties to complete the pleadings, reply so far has not been filed in any of the matters.

At this stage, learned counsel for the petitioners state that they would be satisfied in case their petitions are considered and decided in terms of the judgment passed by a co-ordinate Bench of this Court in **Kulwant Singh and others vs. State of Punjab and others** in CWP **No.4458 of 2011 (O & M)**, decided on 11.3.2011 (Annexure P-7).

Accordingly, in view of the above, the petitions are hereby disposed of with a direction to the respondents to consider the case of the petitioners in the light of Annexure P-7 within a period of eight weeks 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 eight weeks 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 matters.

Disposed of accordingly.

July 17, 2018
Vijay Asija

(**JITENDRA CHAUHAN**)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether Reportable

Yes / No
Yes / No