

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP No. 29778 of 2018
Date of Decision : 27.11.2018

Ved Parkash Rathee and others

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana and others

...Respondents

CORAM: *HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI*

Present: Mr. Sandeep Singal, Advocate for the petitioners.

Harsimran Singh Sethi, J.(Oral)

In the present writ petition, the prayer of the petitioners is for granting them the same benefits as granted to the petitioners in CWP Nos. 4518 of 2000 and 16084 of 1997, which have been decided by this Court on 11.08.2003 and 27.07.2000 respectively.

The petitioners are claiming that they are similarly situated employees as the petitioners in the above mentioned writ petitions but they are not being granted the same benefits only on the ground that they have not approached this Court for grant of the release and were not the petitioners in the above mentioned civil writ petitions.

Learned counsel for the petitioners during the course of the arguments states that at this stage, the petitioners will be satisfied in case a time bound direction is given to the respondents to decide their legal notice dated 19.02.2018 (Annexure P-8).

Without going into the merits of the case or expressing any

opinion to the entitlement of the petitioners in respect of the claim prayed in the present writ petition or in the legal notice, the present writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents to pass appropriate speaking order on the claim raised by the petitioners in the legal notice dated 19.02.2018 (Annexure P-8) within a period of three months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

In case after the order, it is found by the respondents that the petitioners are entitled for any monetary benefits, the same should also be released to them within a period of next three months.

The writ petition stands disposed of.

November 27, 2018
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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned? *Yes/No*
Whether reportable? *Yes/No*