

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

CWP No.4138 of 2018 (O&M)

Date of decision: 21.02.2018

Satpal and others

...Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present: Mr. ADS Bal, Advocate for the petitioner(s).

Jitendra Chauhan, J. (Oral)

By way of the present petition, the petitioners seek issuance of directions to respondent No.3 to regularize the services of the petitioners against Class-IV posts held by them with effect from the dates these posts are lying vacant along with all other consequential benefits.

Learned counsel states that at this stage, he will be satisfied in case respondent No.1-Principal Secretary to Government of Punjab, Department of Higher Education, Civil Secretariat, Chandigarh is directed to consider and decide the legal notice dated 20.10.2017 (Annexure P-10) in a time bound manner.

Heard.

In view of the above, without adverting to the merits of the case, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.1 to consider and decide legal notice dated 20.10.2017 (Annexure P-10) within a period of six weeks from the date of receipt of certified copy

of the 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 three months 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 matter.

21.02.2018

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(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned :	Yes	No
Whether Reportable :	Yes	No