

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

(261)

CWP No. 8952 of 2017

Date of Decision : 26.11.2018

Om Parkash Baloda and others

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Mr. Vikrant Rana, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. C.S. Bakhshi, Addl. Advocate General, Haryana.

Mr. Nishant Arya, Advocate for respondent No. 5.

Harsimran Singh Sethi, J.(Oral)

The petitioners have approached this Court seeking payment of earned leave credit at the time of retirement.

Learned counsel for the petitioners is relying upon a decision of this Court in CWP No. 14507 of 2010, decided on 17.11.2010. He states that the petitioners will be satisfied, if a direction is given to the respondents to pass appropriate speaking order in respect of grant of benefit as prayed in the present writ petition within a time bound manner by taking into consideration the judgment of this Court, mentioned above.

Learned counsel for the respondents have no objection to the same.

For this purpose, the petitioners have already served a legal notice dated 05.04.2017 (Annexure P-5).

Let the competent authority decide the legal notice dated

05.04.2017 (Annexure P-5) by passing a speaking order within a period of three months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order. The order passed by this Court in CWP No. 14507 of 2010, decided on 17.11.2010, be kept in mind while passing the speaking order.

In case the petitioners are found entitled to any monetary benefits, the same should also be released in their favour within a period of next three months.

However, it is made clear that this Court expresses no opinion on the merits of the case and the claim made by the petitioners either in the present writ petition or in the legal notice.

The petition stands disposed of accordingly.

November 26, 2018
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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

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