

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

**CWP No. 6756 OF 2018
DECIDED ON: MARCH 19, 2018**

**DALERJIT SINGH (MINORS)
AND ANOTHER**

.....PETITIONERS

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

.....RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

Present: Ms. Alka Chatrath, Advocate
for the petitioners.

JASPAL SINGH, J.

By virtue of instant petition preferred under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, petitioners have sought issuance of a writ especially in the nature of mandamus, directing the respondents to grant family pension & ex-gratia benefits etc. after the death of their father by counting total service rendered by their father before regularization i.e. 01.01.2014 and to treat their father under old GPF Scheme which was applicable to the employees recruited in Punjab Government Service prior to 01.01.2004, in view of judgments of this Court dated 31.08.2010 (P-10), 14.07.2014 (P-11) and 07.01.2016 (P-12), 09.05.2016 (P-13) and 22.02.2017 (P-14).

2. At the very outset of the arguments, learned counsel for the petitioners submits that petitioners feel satisfied in case direction is issued to respondent No.2 to decide legal notice dated 04.01.2018 (Annexure P-15)

within a stipulated period.

3. Instant petition is disposed of with the direction to respondent No.2-Director General of Police, Punjab Police Headquarters, Sector 9, Chandigarh to consider the case of the petitioners as set up by them in legal notice dated 04.01.2018 (Annexure P-15) and take a conscious decision in accordance with law, within a period of three months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

4. However, if the petitioners still feel aggrieved against the order passed by the concerned authority, they shall be at liberty to have recourse to the other remedies as well as to approach this Court.

MARCH 19, 2018
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(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned *Yes*

Whether reportable *Yes/No*