

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

CWP No.7951 of 2018
Date of decision: 02.04.2018

Shiv Narayan Verma

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and another

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN PALLI

Present: Mr. MS Randhawa, Advocate for the petitioner.

ARUN PALLI, J. (Oral)

Notice of motion.

Mr. RK Doon, AAG, Haryana, present in Court, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents. Copies furnished.

For the nature of order I propose to pass in the matter, no formal written statements/counter affidavits on behalf of the respondents are indeed necessary, at this stage. Thus, with the consent of the parties, the petition is being disposed of finally.

The petitioner prays for a direction to the respondents to consider his claim for granting antedate promotion w.e.f. 01.01.1996, with all consequential benefits, under 3% reservation earmarked for physically handicapped employees in terms of the Haryana Government Notification dated 03.02.2017 (Annexure P4), as also the letter dated 17/19.04.2017 (Annexure P5). The petitioner purports to have repeatedly represented to the respondents in this regard. But to no avail. Even the legal notice dated

20.02.2018 (Annexure P8), the respondents have been served with, has failed to evoke any response.

Learned State counsel submits that the claim/grievance of the petitioner, as also his legal notice dated 20.02.2018 (Annexure P8), shall be considered and dealt with by the respondents within a period of three months from today. And, appropriate orders, in accordance with law, shall be passed and communicated to the petitioner.

The petition is accordingly, disposed of, in the above terms. However, in the event the claim of the petitioner is declined, the respondent-authorities shall pass a comprehensive order assigning reasons in support thereof.

02.04.2018
Rajan

(Arun Palli)
Judge

Whether speaking / reasoned:
Whether Reportable:

YES
NO