

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

(130)

CWP-37827-2018

Date of Decision: December 20, 2018

Dev Raj and others

..Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana and others

..Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Mr. Ram Niwas Sharma, Advocate, for the petitioners.

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI, J.(ORAL)

In the present case, the petitioners have approached this Court for the grant of benefit of earned leave.

In respect of the prayer, the petitioners are relying upon the order passed by a Coordinate Bench of this Court in CWP No.3795 of 2013 decided on 09.10.2017. By the said judgment, the employees of the aided school have also been held entitled for the earned leave as being granted to their counterparts who were working in the Government school. For the payment of the leave encashment, the Managing Committee has been held liable.

Learned counsel for the petitioners states that for the relief which has been claimed in the present writ petition, the petitioners have served upon a legal notice to all the concerned respondents including the State as well as the Managing Committee where the petitioners were working. He further states that the petitioners will be satisfied, at this stage, in case a time bound direction is given to the respondents to decide the legal notice dated 03.07.2018 (Annexure P-8).

Without commenting upon the merits of the case or about the entitlement of the petitioners for the relief which has been claimed by them in the legal notice dated 03.07.2018 (Annexure P-8), the present writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents to decide the legal notice dated 03.07.2018 (Annexure P-8) within a period of three months from the receipt of certified copy of this order.

In case, it is found that the petitioners are entitled to any monetary benefits after the decision of the legal notice, the same should also be paid to the petitioners within three months thereafter.

December 20, 2018
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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes/No
Whether reportable:	Yes/No