

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP No. 32519 of 2018
Date of Decision : 20.12.2018

B.R. Bansal and others

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and another

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Mr. Jaswinder Singh, Advocate for the petitioners.

Harsimran Singh Sethi, J.(Oral)

In the present case, the petitioners have approached this Court for fixing their pay in the pay scale of ₹12000-420-18300 w.e.f. 01.01.1996 and in support of their prayer, the petitioners are relying upon the orders passed by this Court in the case of the similarly situated persons.

At the time of hearing, learned counsel for the petitioners states that for the relief, which has been claimed in the present writ petition, the petitioners have served the respondents with a legal notice dated 03.03.2017 (Annexure P-12) which is still pending consideration and at this stage the petitioners will be satisfied in case a time bound direction is given to the respondents to decide the legal notice by passing a speaking order.

Without going into the merits of the case or expressing any opinion to the entitlement of the petitioners in respect of the claim prayed in

the present writ petition or in the legal notice, the present writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents to pass an appropriate speaking order on the claim raised by the petitioner in the legal notice dated 03.03.2017 (Annexure P-12) within a period of three months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

In case after the order, it is found by the respondents that the petitioners are entitled for any monetary benefits, the same should also be released to them within a period of next three months.

The writ petition stands disposed of.

December 20, 2018

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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)

JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned? *Yes/No*

Whether reportable? *Yes/No*