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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

Date of decision:22.10.2019

1. COCP-3492-2018

GURSEWAK SINGH AND OTHERS

...PETITIONERS

VERSUS

KAKUMANU SIVA PRASAD AND OTHERS

...RESPONDENTS

2. COCP-4825-2018

JAI CHAND AND OTHERS

...PETITIONERS

VERSUS

RAJINDER SINGH AND ANOTHER

...RESPONDENTS

3. COCP-3494-2018

RASHPAL SINGH AND ORS

...PETITIONERS

VERSUS

KAKUMANU SIVA PRASAD AND ORS

...RESPONDENTS

4. COCP-3502-2018

TARLOK CHAND AND ORS

...PETITIONERS

VERSUS

KAKUMANU SIVA PRASAD AND ORS

...RESPONDENTS

5. COCP-3503-2018

SHAM SINGH AND ORS

...PETITIONERS

VERSUS

KAKUMANU SIVA PRASAD AND ORS

...RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AVNEESH JHINGAN

Present: Mr. P.K.Goklaney, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Ms. Samina Dhir, DAG, Punjab.

AVNEESH JHINGAN, J. (Oral)

This order shall dispose of above mentioned five contempt petitions.

The contempt petitions have been filed pleading wilful disobedience of order dated 26.04.2018 passed by this Court in bunch writ petition, main being CWP No.7001 of 2013.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from Sh. Gurpreet Singh Khaira, IAS, Director State Transport, Punjab, Chandigarh, states that the exercise for compliance of directions of this Court was initiated during the pendency of the review application filed by the respondents and needful with regard to fixation of notional pay scale would be done within four weeks from today and arrears would be paid within 14 weeks thereafter.

In view of statement made, learned counsel for the petitioners states that no interference is required in the contempt petitions.

The contempt petitions are disposed of.

However, it is made clear that if statement made today in the Court is not adhered to, the petitioners shall be at liberty to revive the contempt petition.

Learned State counsel, on instructions, states that in case petitioners are forced to revive the contempt petition, officer present in the Court may be burdened with costs which shall be personally recoverable.

22nd October, 2019
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(AVNEESH JHINGAN)
JUDGE

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