

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CWP-4204-2019 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 15.02.2019

Rajesh Kumar

--Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

--Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA.

Present:- Mr. V.K. Shukla, Advocate for the petitioner.

TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA.J (Oral)

As per pleadings on record, mother of the petitioner namely Smt. Kanta Devi was working as a Safai Sewika/Sweeper with the Nagar Council, Jagraon on a regular basis. Smt. Kanta Devi is stated to have died in harness on 7.12.2016. Petitioner, thereafter, made an application to be considered for compassionate appointment against a non-provincialized Class-IV post.

As per counsel, policies issued by the Punjab Govt. dated 21.11.2002 (Annexure P-1), memo dated 2.6.2004 (Annexure P-2) as also letter dated 4.12.1975 (Annexure P-3) would be relevant and would govern the claim of the petitioner.

The short grievance raised in the instant petition is that inspite of the case of the petitioner having been considered in the meeting of the Nagar Council, Jagraon on 29.6.2017 and even a Resolution No.170 dated 29.6.2017 (Annexure P-4) having been passed to provide employment on compassionate basis, the pursuant letter of appointment has not yet been issued.

Counsel submits that even a demand notice dated 10.7.2018 (Annexure P-5) has been served but no response has been evoked till date.

In view of the above and without even ascertaining the correctness of the averments made in the petition, I deem it appropriate to dispose of the same with a direction to respondent no.3 to consider the claim of the petitioner against the backdrop of the demand notice dated 10.7.2018 (Annexure P-5) and to take a final decision thereupon within a period of two months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order.

Disposed of.

(TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA)
JUDGE

15.02.2019

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Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable:	Yes/No