

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

**CWP No.10014 of 2019
Decided on : 12.04.2019**

Babu Singh

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE G.S. SANDHAWALIA

Present: Mr. Gurmeet Singh Saini, Advocate
for the petitioner.

G.S. Sandhawalia, J. (Oral)

In the present writ petition filed under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India, the petitioner seeks issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus, directing respondent No.2 to promote him from the date when his juniors respondents No.3 and 4 were promoted, alongwith all consequential benefits.

Counsel has pointed out that as per the Master Cadre Tentative Seniority List dated 05.11.2018 (Annexure P-1), the petitioner is shown at Serial No.12807. It is pointed out that Rattan Singh-respondent No.3 is at Serial No.14366 and Joginder Pal-respondent No.4 is at Serial No.19790.

It is further submitted that representation dated 10.12.2018 (Annexure P-2) has also been moved to respondent No.2 regarding this aspect, but of no avail.

Notice of motion.

Ms. Simran Grewal, AAG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the respondents/State.

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Keeping in view the limited controversy as such raised, this Court is of the opinion that no useful purpose will be served to call upon the respondents to file reply, as it would only further delay the issue.

Accordingly, without commenting upon the merits of the case or entitlement of the petitioner, directions are issued to respondent No.2 to decide abovesaid representation dated 10.12.2018 (Annexure P-2) within a period of 2 months from the date of the receipt of the certified copy of this order. In case the petitioner is entitled for the benefits, the same be granted alongwith all consequential benefits. In case, the relief is to be denied, a reasoned order be passed and be conveyed to the petitioner.

With the aforesaid observations, the present writ petition stands disposed of.

APRIL 12, 2019
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(G.S. SANDHAWALIA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:

Yes/No

Whether Reportable:

Yes/No