

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

(142)

CWP-15287-2019

Date of Decision: May 30, 2019

Gurdev Singh and others

.. Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.. Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Mr. Sameer Sachdeva, Advocate, for the petitioners.

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI, J.(ORAL)

In the present writ petition, the petitioners are claiming the benefits in respect of the service which Dr.Amandeep Singh rendered with the respondents starting from the year 2006 onwards.

As per the averments made in the writ petition, Dr. Amandeep Singh unfortunately died on 01.05.2018 and after his death, no benefit has been released to the petitioner without any valid justification.

Learned counsel for the petitioners argues that the family is going through financial difficulties as Dr. Amandeep Singh, was sole bread earner and all the petitioners were dependent upon him.

Learned counsel for the petitioners states that or the relief which has been claimed in the present writ petition, the petitioners have served the respondents with a legal notice dated 18.01.2019 (Annexure P-5) and the petitioners will be satisfied, at this stage, in case a time bound direction is issued to the respondents to decide the same by passing an appropriate speaking order.

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 18.01.2019 (Annexure P-5), the present writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents to decide the legal notice dated 18.01.2019 (Annexure P-5) 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 for any monetary benefits after the decision of the legal notice, the same should also be paid to them within three months thereafter.

May 30, 2019
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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

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