

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

**CWP NO. 17702 OF 2019
DATE OF DECISION : 04.07.2019**

Harjinder Singh and others

...Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN MONGA

Present : Mr. Nitesh Singla, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

ARUN MONGA, J. (ORAL)

Grievance of the petitioners is that they have not been accorded the benefit of step-up of their pay in view of the fact that their junior is getting higher pay than them. The petitioners also caused issuance of a legal notice dated 20.05.2019 (Annexure P-3), but the same has not been adverted to till date by the respondents.

2. Notice of motion.

3. On advance service of copy of the petition, Ms. Anu Chatrath, Senior Advocate assisted by Ms. Ambika Bedi, Assistant Advocate General, Punjab, appears on behalf of respondents.

4. Given the nature of order being passed, there is no necessity to seek return by any of the respondents as no further proceedings and/or pleadings are required.

5. The present writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents to objectively consider the legal notice dated 20.05.2019 (Annexure P-3) and also by keeping in view the contentions stated in this petition by treating it as a supplementary representation and pass a speaking order, in accordance with law.

6. Let the needful be done within a period of three months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

7. Disposed of in above terms.

(ARUN MONGA)
JUDGE

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