

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

COCP No. 2406 of 2019
Date of decision: 26.8.2019

Darshana

.. Petitioner

v.

Kavita Lamba

.. Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AVNEESH JHINGAN

Present: Mr. S. K. Goyat, Advocate for the petitioner.
Mr. Sandeep S. Mann, Senior Deputy Advocate General,
Haryana.

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AVNEESH JHINGAN, J. (Oral)

The present contempt petition has been filed pleading wilful disobedience of the order dated 20.12.2017 passed by this Court in CWP No. 16927 of 2017. The writ petition was allowed in terms of the decision of this Court in 14830 of 2017 titled as **Ram Parsad and others v. State of Haryana and others.** The operative part of the said order is reproduced below:

“Accordingly, the present writ petitions are disposed of, with a direction to the competent authorities, to take into consideration the above-said decision of the State Government dated 21.11.2017 and process the case of the petitioners on individual basis and pass orders, accordingly, within a period of 4 months from the receipt of a certified copy of this order. It will be open to respondent

No. 1 to nominate a designated competent authority so that no contradictory orders are passed. Wherever the relief is to be granted, the benefits be paid forthwith, as per the decision of the State Government. In case the necessary relief is to be denied, speaking order be passed and communicated to the concerned petitioner(s).”

Learned counsel for the State has produced order dated 22.8.2019 whereby benefit of step up and salary at par with juniors has been given. Copy thereof has been handed over to learned counsel for the petitioner.

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that in view of the order passed, no cause of action survives for pursuing the present contempt petition, however, seeks liberty to avail remedies available in accordance with law in case some grievance still survives after passing the order dated 22.8.2019.

Disposed of as infructuous with liberty as prayed for.

Rule issued against the respondent is discharged.

(AVNEESH JHINGAN)
JUDGE

26.8.2019
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Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No
Whether reportable: Yes/No