

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

(129)

CWP-20766-2019

Date of Decision: July 29, 2019

Inderjit Singh and others

.. Petitioners

Versus

Punjabi University, Patiala and ors

.. Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: None for the petitioners.

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI, J.(ORAL)

In the present writ petition, the claim which is being raised by the petitioners is that the petitioners are entitled for the arrears of revised pay scale w.e.f. 01.01.1996.

As per the averments made in the writ petition, though, the pay scale was released to the petitioners w.e.f. 01.04.1996 but arrears of the benefit of the said revised pay scale w.e.f. 01.01.1996 till 31.03.1999 were not given. It is averred in the petition that one Sh. Sukhwinder Singh, who was similarly situated filed CWP No.16593 of 2014, which was disposed of by this Court for deciding the claim of Sukhwinder Singh for the grant of arrears. Thereafter, two other similarly situated persons namely Baldev Singh and Sukhdev Singh, also filed CWP No.17955 of 2017 and the benefits of arrears have been released to them by the respondents-University. Petitioners claim that once the benefit of arrears have been allowed in favour of the similarly situated persons, they are also entitled for the release of the same.

From the pleadings, it transpires that for the relief which has been claimed in the present writ petition, the petitioners have submitted a

representation on 08.01.2019 (Annexure P-11) to the respondents and the interest of justice will be served, in case a time bound direction is issued to the respondents to decide the said representation 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 representation dated 08.01.2019 (Annexure P-11), the present writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents to decide the representation dated 08.01.2019 (Annexure P-11) within a period of three months from the receipt of certified copy of this order.

(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

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