

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

**(110)**

**CWP-21048-2019**

**Date of Decision: August 02, 2019**

**Jagdish Kaur**

**.. Petitioner**

**Versus**

**State of Punjab and others**

**.. Respondents**

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI**

Present: None for the petitioner.

**HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI, J.(ORAL)**

In the present writ petition, the claim of the petitioner is for issuance of a direction to the respondents to release the medical reimbursement in respect of the treatment undertaken by the late husband of the petitioner, which he had undertaken from 19.03.2011 to 28.03.2011 and thereafter, from 15.04.2011 to 26.04.2011.

As per the averments made in the writ petition, a sum of Rs.1,21,011/- was spent on the said treatment but without any valid justification, no amount in respect of the said medical expenses, has been reimbursed to the petitioner so far despite lapse of more than eight years.

From the pleadings, it transpires that for the relief which has been claimed in the present writ petition, the petitioner has served the respondents with a legal notice dated 03.03.2019 (Annexure P-5) and the interest of justice will be served, in case a time bound direction is issued to the respondents to decide the said legal notice by passing an appropriate speaking order.

Without commenting upon the merits of the case or about the entitlement of the petitioner for the relief which has been claimed by her in

the legal notice dated 03.03.2019 (Annexure P-5), the present writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents to decide the legal notice dated 03.03.2019 (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 petitioner is entitled for any monetary benefits after the decision of the legal notice, the same should also be paid to her within three months thereafter.

**August 02, 2019**  
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**(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)**  
**JUDGE**

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