

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA,
AT CHANDIGARH

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CWP No.23062 of 2019

Date of decision: 28.08.2019

Tek Singh and others

... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.. Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE ARUN MONGA

Present : Mr.Rakesh Sobti, Advocate for
for the petitioners.

Arun Monga J. (Oral)

Grievance of the petitioners is that they have not been accorded the benefits of pay scale and proficiency step up at par with their counterparts in the Soil Conservation Department.

2 Learned counsel for the petitioners contends that the case of the petitioners is squarely covered by the judgment of Single Bench of this Court dated 02.07.2014 contained at Annexure P-4, which in turn was upheld by Division Bench of this Court vide judgment dated 29.7.2019 (Annexure P-5) in an intra court appeal and the same has not been challenged so far. Learned counsel submits that the petitioners also caused legal notice dated 01.04.2019 (Anneuxre P-6), but the same has not been adverted by respondents. Hence, this writ petition.

3 Notice of motion.

4 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.

5 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.

6 Without commenting upon the merits of the case, writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents to objectively consider the legal notice dated 01.04.2019 (Annexure P-6) and also by keeping in view the contentions stated in this petition by treating it as a supplementary representation and also the contentions of learned counsel for the petitioner *ibid*, and pass a speaking order, in accordance with law.

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

8 Disposed of in above terms.

[ARUN MONGA]
JUDGE

28.08.2019
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Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	:	Yes/No