

Sr. No.140

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

CWP No. 23185 of 2019 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 29.08.2019

Nirmal Singh and others

... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN MONGA

Present:- Mr. R.K.Arora, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

Ms. Ambika Bedi, AAG, Punjab.

ARUN MONGA, J.(ORAL)

Petitioners herein seek issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus directing the respondents to grant them benefit of pay fixation in the revised corresponding pay scale of Rs.160-400 (Category-V) from time to time as allowed to the persons possessing qualification of Matriculation with 02 years ITI Course plus one/two years apprenticeship Training as per letter dated 04.02.1969 (Annexure P-4) in terms of decision dated 26.04.2018 rendered in CWP No.7001 of 2013 (Annexure P-13). Further prayer has been made to direct the respondents to reconsider the speaking order dated 09.08.2012 (Annexure P-9) in view of judgment passed by this Court in aforementioned writ petition.

2. In the premise, petitioners also caused issuance of a legal notice dated 09.04.2019 (Annexure P-15), but the same has not been adverted to till date by the respondents.

3. Notice of motion.

4. On advance service of the petition, Ms. Ambika Bedi, AAG, Punjab appears and accepts notice on behalf of the State.

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

6. Without commenting on the merits of the case, the writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents to objectively consider the legal notice dated 09.04.2019 (Annexure P-15) and also by going through the judgment dated 26.04.2018 contained at Annexure P-13, which according to learned counsel for the petitioners is squarely applicable to the case of the petitioners herein and pass a speaking order, in accordance with law.

7. Let the needful be done within a period of 3 months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order.

8. Disposed of in above terms.

29.08.2019

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**(ARUN MONGA)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether Reportable

Yes/No
Yes/No