

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

Sr. No.129

**CWP No.24454 of 2019
DECIDED ON: 05.09.2019**

DR. PANKAJ BANSAL

..PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

...RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN MONGA

Present: Mr. Virinder K. Shukla, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Ms. Ambika Bedi, AAG, Punjab.

ARUN MONGA, J. (ORAL)

Petitioner herein seeks issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus directing the respondents to grant him 4/9 years placement in higher pay-scales under Assured Career Progression Scheme as per Punjab Govt. Policy dated 03.11.2006 (P-2) and to grant him annual increments for the year 2015 to 2018. Petitioner also caused a legal notice dated 8.7.2019 (Annexure P-4), but the same was not adverted by the respondent. Hence, this petition.

2. Notice of motion.

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

4. 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.

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5. 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 08.07.2019 (Annexure P-4) and also by keeping in view the contentions stated in the present writ petition by treating it as a supplementary representation and pass a speaking order, in accordance with law.
6. Let the needful be done within a period of 3 months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order.
7. Disposed of in above terms.

05.09.2019

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**(ARUN MONGA)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether Reportable

Yes/No