

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

CWP-26181-2019

Date of decision : 17.09.2019

Jarnail Singh

..Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab and another

..Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN MONGA

Present:- Mr. Shashi Bhushan Nagpal, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Ms. Ambika Bedi, Assistant Advocate General, Punjab.

ARUN MONGA, J.(ORAL)

Petitioner, herein, seeks issuance of a writ in the nature of *mandamus* directing the respondents to amend the date of promotion from 16.02.2010 to 26.11.1985, the date when his junior was promoted retrospectively vide order dated 22.01.2019 (Annexure P-14)

2. Petitioner caused a legal notice dated 05.06.2019 (Annexure P-16) to the respondents but the same has not been adverted till date. Hence, the present writ petition.

3. Notice of motion.

4. On advance service of copy of the petition, Ms. Ambika Bedi, Assistant Advocate General, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the 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 on the merits of the case, the instant writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents to objectively consider the legal notice dated 05.06.2019 (Annexure P-16) 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.

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

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