

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH.

(122)

CWP-26607-2019

Date of Decision: September 19, 2019

Kirat Singh Rawat

.. Petitioner

Versus

Punjab State Power Corporation Limited and others .. Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Ms. Rupinder K. Kanwal, Advocate, for the petitioner.

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI, J.(ORAL)

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that after the impugned order dated 18.11.2015 (Annexure P-7) was passed, the respondents had amended the eligibility condition for the grant of 23 years of promotional increment vide Resolutions dated 21.08.2018 and 01.10.2018. Learned counsel states that in view of the Resolutions stated above, the petitioner is fully eligible as there is no condition of 3 avenue of promotion so as to become entitle for the grant of promotional increment after 23 years of service. Learned counsel for the petitioner states that the Coordinate Bench has disposed of a bunch of writ petitions bearing CWP No.1013 of 2017, ***titled as Balvir Singh Vs. PSPCL and another***, on 29.11.2018, vide which directions have been issued to the respondent-Corporation to consider the claim of the employees in view of the Resolutions which the Corporation have passed on 21.08.2018 as well as on 01.10.2018. Learned counsel for the petitioner further states that the present writ petition be disposed of in terms of the order dated 29.11.2018 passed by this Court in CWP No.1013

of 2017 *titled as Balvir Singh Vs. PSPCL and another.*

Notice of motion.

On asking of the Court, Mr. Sehajbir Singh, Advocate, who is present in the Court, accepts notice. Copy of the paper book has been supplied to him.

Learned counsel for the respondents very fairly states that though the case of the petitioner was rejected on 18.11.2015 (Annexure P-7) but the same was done prior to the Resolutions passed by the Corporation. Now in view of the Resolutions amending the eligibility to claim 23 years promotional increment, the Corporation will consider the claim of the petitioner again ignoring the earlier rejection of the case of the petitioner as taken on 18.11.2015 (Annexure P-7). Learned counsel for the respondents states that she has no objection in case the present writ petition is disposed of in terms of the order dated 29.11.2018 passed by this Court in CWP No.1013 of 2017 *titled as Balvir Singh Vs. PSPCL and another.*

In view of the above, the present writ petition is also disposed of in terms of the order dated 29.11.2018 passed by this Court in CWP No.1013 of 2017 *titled as Balvir Singh Vs. PSPCL and another.*

It is made clear that the respondents shall ignore the earlier rejection of the case of the petitioner.

(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes
Whether reportable: No