IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CWP No.26775 of 2019

Date of Decision : 26.09.2019

Shishu Pal Singh

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and others

...Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA

Present : Mr.Manjeet Singh, Advocate
for the petitioner.

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TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA, J.(ORAL)

Placed on record and appended as Annexure P-4 along with the writ petition is a notification dated 12.12.2017 issued by the Haryana Government, Information, Public Relations & Language Department approving a scheme for providing monthly pension of Rs.10,000/- to the Matribhasha Satyagrahis of Hindi Aandolan-1957. As per scheme it was on account of the struggle and sacrifice of the Satyagrahis that Haryana came up as a separate State on the map of India. For purposes of grant of pension the record of the Matribhasha Satyagrahis is to be verified from the concerned Superintendent of Police by checking the records from the jail.

The short grievance raised in the instant petition is that the petitioner, who had spent time in Hisar Jail in the year 1957 during the Hindi Satyagrah and such fact having already been verified by the Superintendent of Police, Bhiwani vide Annexure P-3, the claim for pension has not been decided.

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In view of the above and without even ascertaining the correctness of the averments made in the petiion, I deem it appropriate to dispose of the instant writ petition with a direction to respondent No.1 to examine the claim of the petitioner against the backdrop of a reminder dated 06.09.2018 (Annexure P-6) and to take a final decision thereupon expeditiously and in any case within a period of two months from today.

It is clarified that this Court has not examined the claim of the petitioner on merits.

Disposed of.

26.09.2019 **(TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA)**
dss **JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned Yes
Whether reportable No

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