

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CWP-27464-2019

Date of decision: - 24.09.2019

Daya Wanti

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and others

.....Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present:- Mr. R.K. Chaudhary, Advocate for the petitioner.

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI, J. (ORAL)

In the present writ petition, the claim, which is being raised by the petitioner, is that she was senior to one Sh. Rajbir Singh in the cadre of Master, hence she is entitled for the step up of her pay equivalent to Sh. Rajbir Singh.

Counsel for the petitioner states that Sh. Rajbir Singh was promoted as a Lecturer in History prior to the petitioner on the basis of reservation. Counsel further states that Sh. Rajbir Singh was promoted on 07.05.1992, whereas the petitioner, who though was senior to Sh. Rajbir Singh, was actually promoted as a Lecturer on 13.02.2004.

Counsel for the petitioner further argues that once the petitioner had caught Sh. Rajbir Singh in the cadre of lecturer on 13.02.2004, she again regains the seniority over and above Sh. Rajbir Singh and therefore, will be entitled to step up of her pay in terms of the

instructions dated 27.11.2006 (Annexure P/1A), which has been issued by the Government of Haryana.

Counsel for the petitioner further submits that for the relief which has been sought in the present writ petition, petitioner has submitted the representations (Annexures P-7 to P-9) to the respondents, which are still pending consideration with the respondents and the petitioner will be satisfied, at this stage, in case a time bound direction is issued to the respondents to decide her latest representation dated 30.05.2019 (Annexure P-9).

In view of the request made, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case or the claim being made by the petitioner, the respondents are directed to decide the representation dated 30.05.2019 (Annexure P-9) by passing a speaking order within a period of three months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order.

Present writ petition stands disposed of.

September 24, 2019
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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

Whether reasoned/speaking? *Yes*
Whether reportable? *No*