

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CWP-28174-2019

Date of Decision: 30.09.2019

Sukhbir Singh

... Petitioner

vs.

State of Punjab and others

.. Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN MONGA

Present : Mr. Pardeep Kumar, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Samina Dhir, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab.

ARUN MONGA, J.(ORAL)

Petitioner herein seeks issuance of a writ in the nature of *mandamus* directing the respondents to grant him arrears of salary alongwith interest @ 15% per annum at par with other candidates who have been granted the same in view of judgment dated 09.08.2017 rendered by this Court in CWP-12829-2017.

2. Petitioner caused a legal notice dated 15.07.2019 (Annexure P-8) to the respondents but the same has not been adverted by the respondents till date. Hence, the present writ petition.

3. Notice of motion.

4. On advance service of the petition, Ms. Samina Dhir, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab appears and accepts notice on behalf of the State.

5. 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.

6. 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 15.07.2019 (Annexure P-8) 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 3 months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order.

8. Disposed of in above terms.

30.09.2019

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**(ARUN MONGA)
JUDGE**

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