

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CWP No.30695 of 2019

DATE OF DECISION:18.11.2019

Brij Mohan

... Petitioner

Versus

Punjab State Power Corporation Ltd. and others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Ms. Kiranjeet Kaur, Advocate
for the petitioner.

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI, J. (ORAL)

The grievance which is being raised in the present writ petition is that though the petitioner was senior to respondent No.6 but he was getting lesser salary than respondent No.6. Counsel for the petitioner argues that a senior employee cannot be paid less salary than his junior and in case junior is getting higher salary, the salary of the senior employee is to be enhanced equivalent to his junior, who is getting higher pay.

The prayer of the petitioner is for grant of step up of the salary with respondent No.6-Milakh Raj.

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that for the relief which has been claimed in the present writ petition, the petitioner has served the respondents with a legal notice dated 25.07.2019 (Annexure P-9), which is still pending consideration with the respondents and the petitioner will be satisfied, at this stage, in case

legal notice by passing an appropriate speaking order.

Without commenting upon the merits of the case or about the entitlement of the petitioner for the relief which has been claimed by him in the legal notice dated 25.07.2019 (Annexure P-9), the present writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents to decide the legal notice dated 25.07.2019 (Annexure P-9), within a period of three months from the receipt of certified copy of this order.

November 18, 2019
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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes / No
Whether reportable : Yes / No