

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

CWP-33837-2019

Date of Decision: 26.11.2019

Lakhwinder Singh

... Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN MONGA

Present : Mr. Vishal Sharma, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Mehardeep Singh, A.A.G. Punjab.

ARUN MONGA, J. (Oral)

Petitioner herein seeks issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus directing the respondents to count his daily wages service prior to regularization and to bring him under GPF Scheme instead of New Defined Contributory Pension Scheme.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner states that case of the petitioner is squarely covered by the judgment of this Court rendered in CWP No.2371 of 2010 titled as *Harbans Lal v. State of Punjab and others*; decided on 31.08.2010 (Annexure P-2). He further submits that petitioner caused a legal notice dated 15.10.2019 (Annexure P-11) through his counsel to the respondents but the same has not been adverted to by the respondents till date. Hence, the present writ petition.

3. Notice of motion.

4. On advance service of copy of the petition, Mr. Mehardeep Singh, Additional Advocate General, Punjab, appears and accepts notice on behalf of the respondents.

5. Given the nature of order being passed, there is no necessity to seek return by any of the respondents as no further proceedings and/or pleadings are required.

6. Without commenting on the merits of the case, the present writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents to objectively consider the Legal Notice dated 15.10.2019 (Annexure P-11) and also by keeping in view the contentions stated in this 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 three months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

8. Disposed of in above terms.

26.11.2019
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(ARUN MONGA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned **Yes/No**

Whether reportable **Yes/No**