

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

(106)

CWP-40314-2018

Date of Decision: January 07, 2019

Ashwani Kumar

.. Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.. Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Mr. Ashok Kumar Khunger, Advocate, for the petitioner.

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI, J.(ORAL)

In the present writ petition, the reliance is placed on the order passed by this Court in **CWP No.7005 of 2001 titled as Joga Singh and others Vs. State of Punjab and others, decided on 03.04.2014.**

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner is similarly situated as the petitioners in the above mentioned writ petition, whom the relief has already been extended in view of the order passed by this Court but the benefit is not being released to the similarly situated candidates including him.

Learned counsel for the petitioner further contends that for the relief which has been claimed in the present writ petition, the petitioner has served the respondents with a legal notice dated 24.09.2018 (Annexure P-6) and the petitioner will be satisfied, at this stage, in case a time bound direction is given to the respondents to decide the legal notice dated 24.09.2018 (Annexure P-6) by passing a 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 24.09.2018 (Annexure P-6), the present writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents to decide the legal notice dated 24.09.2018 (Annexure P-6) within a period of three months from the receipt of certified copy of this order.

In case, it is found that the petitioner is entitled to any monetary benefits after the decision of the legal notice, the same should also be paid to the petitioner within three months thereafter.

January 07, 2019
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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

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