

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

**CWP NO. 35901 OF 2019
DATE OF DECISION : 20.12.2019**

Chandpreet Kaur

...Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN MONGA

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

Mr. P. S. Bajwa, Addl. AG, Punjab.

ARUN MONGA, J. (ORAL)

By way of present petition, the petitioner has sought issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus directing the respondents to grant her seniority as per merit in batch, pay fixation, arrears of salary, allowances and notional consequential benefits along with interest @ 15% per annum, in terms of the judgment dated 27.02.2016 rendered by this Court in **CWP No.21716 of 2013** titled as "**Sukhwinder Singh Vs. State of Punjab and others**" (Annexure P-3).

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that similarly situated/appointed Constable, namely, Sukhwinder Singh, who also applied pursuant to the same advertisement as in the case of the petitioner, has already been granted relief as sought by the petitioner herein, vide judgment, **ibid**.

3. The petitioner has caused issuance of a legal notice dated 10.09.2019 (Annexure P-8), but the same has not been adverted by the respondents till date. Hence, the writ petition.

4. Notice of motion.

5. On advance service of the petition, Mr. P. S. Bajwa, Additional Advocate General, Punjab, appears and accepts notice on behalf of the State.

6. 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.

7. 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 10.09.2019 (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.

8. Let the needful be done within a period of three months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order.

9. Disposed of in above terms.

(ARUN MONGA)
JUDGE

DECEMBER 20, 2019
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1.	Whether speaking/reasoned :	Yes/No
2.	Whether reasoned :	Yes/No