

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CWP-3401-2020 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 07.02.2020

Kartar Singh

--Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab & others

--Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA.

Present:- Mr. J.S. Mohri, Advocate for the petitioner.

TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA.J (Oral)

As per pleadings on record, petitioner was engaged as a Class-IV daily wager under the Police Department, State of Punjab on 6.10.1994. His services were thereafter regularized on 29.9.2009.

The short claim raised in the instant petition is to count his daily wage service rendered prior to his regularization as qualifying service for purposes of pensionary/retiral benefits and to hold him entitled to the pensionary benefits as per Old G.P.F. Scheme and which was applicable to the employees recruited under Punjab Govt. prior to 1.1.2004.

Counsel contends that the prayer made in the instant petition would be covered in terms of judgement dated 31.8.2010 passed in **CWP-2371-2010 (Harbans Lal Vs. State of Punjab & others)**. Further submitted that the judgement rendered in **Harbans Lal's** case (supra) stands affirmed up to the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India.

In view of the above and without even ascertaining the correctness of the averments made in the petition, I deem it appropriate to dispose of the instant writ petition with a direction to respondent no.2/competent authority to examine the claim of the petitioner against the backdrop of a representation dated 11.7.2019 (Annexure P-7) and to take a final decision thereupon expeditiously and in any case within a period of three months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order.

Disposed of.

(TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA)
JUDGE

07.02.2020

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Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether Reportable: Yes/No