

HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CWP No.4199 of 2020

Date of Decision: 17.02.2020

Parveen Kumar & Anr.

... Petitioners

VS.

State of Punjab & Anr.

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE GIRISH AGNIHOTRI

Present: Mr. Vishal Sharma (Vasudeva), Advocate for petitioners

GIRISH AGNIHOTRI, J. (Oral)

(1) The petitioner Parveen Kumar and another have filed the present writ petition *inter alia* with a prayer to direct the respondents to give Special Duty Allowance (earlier termed as Risk Allowance) to them. Learned counsel submits that ever since 2009 till March, 2017, the petitioners have been getting the above-stated allowance but for no lawful reason, the same has been stopped. He further submits that no reason whatsoever has been assigned while stopping the same. Counsel further states that *qua* the above-mentioned prayer, the petitioners have submitted representations dated 01.07.2019, 13.07.2019 and 30.07.2019 (P2 colly). He however, submits that the petitioners would file comprehensive representation(s) relying on certain judgments of the Courts to support their plea. Counsel urges that petitioners would be satisfied if a time bound direction is given to the respondents to decide their claim as raised in the representation.

(2) Upon notice, Mr. Rajesh Bhardwaj, Sr.DAG Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the respondents.

(3) Having heard learned counsel for the parties, this Court deems it appropriate to accept the request of the petitioners to dispose of the writ petition and to direct respondent No.2 to decide the claim of the petitioners as submitted in the representation in accordance with law, within 3 months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

(4) So ordered.

17.02.2020

Vvishal

(Girish Agnihotri)
Judge