

HARBHAJAN SINGH AND OTHERS

.....Petitioners

Vs.

PUNJABI UNIVERSITY PATIALA AND OTHERS

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE ALKA SARIN

Present: Mr.Hardeep Singh, Advocate for the petitioners.

ALKA SARIN, J. (ORAL)

Heard through video conferencing.

Learned counsel for the petitioners contends that the petitioners are entitled for the benefit of the order passed by this Court in CWP No.2866 of 2014 titled as *Karanvir Singh and others Vs. State of Punjab and others*, decided on 30.09.2016 for re-fixation of pensionary benefits w.e.f. 01.01.2006. Learned counsel for the petitioners would further contend that the Government of Punjab has already issued instructions dated 04.07.2019 for implementing the judgment in *Karanvir Singh's case* (supra), however, the benefit of the same has not been extended to the petitioners. The counsel for the petitioners would further contend that the petitioners have served the respondents with a legal notice dated 12.06.2020 on which no action has been taken till date. The learned counsel further states that he would be satisfied at this stage if the case of the petitioners is considered in a time bound manner by the respondents.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Ajaivir Singh, Advocate, who was served with an advance copy of the petition, has put in appearance through video conferencing and accepts notice on behalf of the respondents-University. He states that he

has no objection if the present petition is disposed off with a direction to the respondents to consider the legal notice issued by the petitioners in a time-bound manner by passing a speaking order.

Keeping in view the request made, the present petition is disposed off with a direction to the respondents to decide the legal notice dated 12.06.2020, Annexure P-7, by passing a speaking order within a period of two months from the date of receipt of certified copy of the order. In case the petitioners are found entitled to the benefit, the same be released to them within a period of three months thereafter.

The present petition is disposed off accordingly.

August 14, 2020
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(ALKA SARIN)
JUDGE

NOTE:

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