

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

(Proceedings conducted through video Conference)

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CWP-14053-2020 (O&M)

Date of decision: 10.09.2020

SUDESH KUMAR

...Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE REKHA MITTAL

Present : Mr. Amit Arora, Advocate for the petitioner.

REKHA MITTAL, J. (Oral)

Counsel for the petitioner would argue that Smt. Beero, wife of late Sh. Madan Lal mother of the petitioner was working as Sweeper in Municipal Council, Tarn Taran and she died on 24.10.2013. It is further submitted that the petitioner was appointed on compassionate basis in the said department but service benefits of his mother have not been released to legal heirs of Smt. Beero. He would state that the petitioner would be satisfied if a direction is issued to the Director, Department of Local Government, respondent No.2, to take a decision on legal notice (Annexure P1) in a time bound manner.

Notice of motion.

Ms. Sunint Kaur, AAG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of respondents No.1 to 3.

Taking into consideration the limited prayer made by counsel for the petitioner coupled with that before the matter is examined by the Court the competent authority must be given an opportunity to consider and decide the matter, the present petition stands disposed of. The Director, Department of Local Government, respondent No.2, is directed to take a decision on legal notice (Annexure P1) within a period of one month from the date of receipt of certified copy of the order. Counsel for the petitioner is directed to ensure availability of certified copy of the order to the authority concerned well within time to enable it to take a decision within stipulated period.

10.09.2020

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(REKHA MITTAL)

JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:

Yes / No

Whether reportable:

Yes / No