

In the High Court of Punjab and Haryana at Chandigarh

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CWP-14569-2020 (O & M)

Date of Decision: September 16, 2020

BALWINDER SINGH AND OTHERS

....PETITIONERS

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

....RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. Baljeet Singh Sidhu, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. Abhaypal Singh Gill, AAG, Punjab.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J (ORAL)

Heard through video conferencing.

Petitioners are seeking a direction to the respondents to count the service rendered by them on the post of Special Police Officers (SPOs) as qualifying service for the purpose of seniority and other consequential benefits.

Learned counsel for the petitioners contends that the petitioners had sent legal notice (Annexure P-11) on 16.03.2020 in this regard but no action has been taken thereon. He also contends that the petitioners shall be satisfied if the petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2 to consider and decide the legal notice in accordance with law.

Issue notice to the respondents.

At the asking of the Court, Mr. Abhaypal Singh Gill, AAG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the State.

The petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2 to consider the legal notice in the light of the relevant rules/instructions and the

judgments of the Court on the subject within a period of four months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

In case the petitioners are found entitled to the relief, the same shall be granted to them within a period of one month thereafter.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

September 16, 2020

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Whether speaking/ reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	:	Yes/No