

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

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**CWP No.14961 of 2020
Date of decision:22.9.2020**

RAJINDER KAUR AND ORS

.....Petitioners

Vs

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

.....Respondents

CORAM: *HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJ MOHAN SINGH*

Present: Mr.Krishan Kumar Thakur, Advocate
for the petitioners.

RAJ MOHAN SINGH, J.(Oral)

The case has been taken up for hearing through video-conferencing.

Petitioners have preferred this writ petition in the nature of mandamus for issuance of necessary directions to the respondents to count their service rendered on the posts of SPOs as qualifying service for all intents and purposes, including grant of all service benefits as well as qualifying service for the purpose of pensionary benefits in view of law laid down in CWP No.9936 of 2017 titled Sukhjeet Singh and others vs. State of Punjab and others, decided on 15.2.2018.

Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that for the claim in question, petitioners have already represented

before the competent authority by way of legal notice dated 21.1.2020 (Annexure P-10), but the same has not been answered by the respondents so far.

Notice of motion.

On the asking of Court, Ms.Ambika Bedi, Asstt.A.G.Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the respondents.

In view of nature of order, which this Court proposes to pass there is no necessity of calling upon any response at this stage, as no order prejudicial to the interest of respondents is being passed.

In view of above, without meaning anything on the merits of the case, respondent No.2 is directed to decide the legal notice dated 21.1.2020 (Annexure P-10) served by the petitioners in accordance with law within a period of one month from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

Petition stands disposed of accordingly.

September 22 , 2020

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Whether reasoned/speaking

Whether reportable

**(RAJ MOHAN SINGH)
JUDGE**

Yes/No

Yes/No