

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

CWP No.15907 of 2020.

Decided on:- September 30, 2020.

Sham Lal.

.....Petitioner.

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents.

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARI PAL VERMA.

Present:- Mr. Rohiteshwar Singh, Advocate
for the petitioner.

HARI PAL VERMA, J. (Oral)

The matter has been taken up for hearing through video conferencing due to outbreak of COVID-19.

The petitioner has filed this civil writ petition under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus so as to direct the respondents to regularize the services of the petitioner with effect from 23.02.1981 and to assign seniority to him from the date of his appointment i.e. 23.02.1981 at par with his junior.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that for the relief claimed in the present petition, the petitioner has already served a legal notice dated 04.08.2020 (Annexure P-2) to the respondents and at this stage, the petitioner would be satisfied in case a direction is issued to the respondent

No.3 i.e. General Manager, Punjab Roadways Depot, Pathankot to consider the said legal notice in a time bound manner.

Notice of motion.

On asking of this Court, Mr. Abhay Pal Singh Gill, Assistant Advocate General, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the respondents.

Heard.

Without making any observation on the claim so projected by the petitioner in the present petition, but considering the limited prayer of the petitioner, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondent No.3 to decide the aforesaid legal notice dated 04.08.2020 (Annexure P-2) within six months from today.

September 30, 2020
Yag Dutt

(HARI PAL VERMA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes

Whether Reportable: No