

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

CWP-16297 -2020(O&M)

Date of decision: 06.10.2020

Kaka Singh Chahal **.....Petitioner**

Versus

State of Punjab etc. **.....Respondent**

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KSHETARPAL

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

Mr. Navdeep Chhabra, DAG, Punjab

ANIL KSHETARPAL, J. (ORAL)

Through the present writ petition, the petitioner, who is a retired employee from the Department of Irrigation, claims benefit of revised pay scales in terms of notification dated 1.12.2011. It is claimed that the case of the petitioner is covered by a judgment of this Court passed in CWP-25733-2012 titled as '**A.P.Sharma and others vs. State of Punjab and others**' decided on 22.10.2013. It has further been pointed out that pursuant to the directions issued by this Court in A.P.Sharma's case (supra), the respondents have passed various orders extending the benefit to the retired employees.

Sh. Navdeep Chhabra, DAG, Punjab has put in appearance pursuant to supply of an advance copy of the writ petition.

After having heard learned counsel for the parties at some length, this Court is of the considered view that the present writ petition can be conveniently disposed of by directing the respondents to consider the claim of the petitioner in the light of the judgment passed in the case

of A.P.Sharma's case (supra) and take a decision thereon by passing a speaking order within a period of two months.

This order has been passed without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case or on the claim being made by the petitioner.

Disposed of.

06.10.2020
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(ANIL KSHETARPAL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned Yes / No

Whether Reportable Yes / No