

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CWP No.16705 of 2020
Date of Decision: 09.10.2020

Janak Raj and others

.....Petitioners

Vs.

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE RITU BAHRI

Present:- Mr. H.K. Brinda, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

RITU BAHRI, J. (ORAL)

Petitioners are seeking direction to the respondents to grant them ACP Scale of Rs.3120-6200 as provided in para 3 (i) of notification dated 25.09.1998 (Annexure P-2).

Learned counsel for the petitioners refers to the judgments dated 06.12.2019 passed by this Court in **Ram Shah and others vs. State of Punjab and others**, CWP No. 3946 of 2014 (Annexure P-10) and dated 05.02.2013 passed in LPA No.2003 of 2012 (Annexure P-11), whereby necessary benefit has been granted to the similarly situated employees.

With regard to their grievance, petitioners have served a detailed legal notice dated 24.08.2020 (Annexure P-12) upon the respondents, but no action has been taken thereon till date.

Notice of motion.

On the asking of the Court, Ms. Akshita Chauhan, AAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of respondent-State.

Without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, this

legal notice/representation dated 24.08.2020 (Annexure P-12) and pass a speaking order thereon in accordance with law, within a period of three months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order. Compliance report thereof be sent to this Court. If, petitioners are found entitled to the said benefit, then it should be given along with interest at the rate of 6% per annum.

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(RITU BAHRI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No