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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

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Date of Decision: 09th January, 2020

Gurdeep Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab & others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH

Present: Mr. J.P.S. Sidhu, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Anu Pal, DAG, Punjab.

AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH, J. (ORAL)

This writ petition has been preferred by the petitioner claiming appointment on the basis of the policy of the Government of Punjab dated 08.11.2011 (Annexure P-1) and the guidelines dated 03.03.2014 (Annexure P-2).

It is asserted that initially the land measuring 20 kanals of the father of the petitioner, Harnek Singh son of Gulzar Singh, was acquired. Initially, the petitioner had applied in the year 2011 for appointment with a request to reserve his claim as he was not 10+2 pass but his claim was not accepted by the respondents because of the non-production of Land Acquisition Certificate by the father of the petitioner. Thereafter, father of the petitioner served legal notices dated 13.12.2015 and 06.10.2016 upon

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the respondents, on which, compensation was released to the father of the petitioner and Land Acquisition Certificate was issued on 11.07.2016 (Annexure P-10 colly). In pursuance to that and having obtained the Land Acquisition Certificate, petitioner submitted his application/representation dated 19.08.2016 (Annexure P-12) for taking the benefit of policy decision dated 08.11.2011 (Annexure P-1), which application till date has not been considered by the Competent Authority i.e. Deputy Commissioner, Mansa, District Mansa.

Keeping in view the above factual position, direction is issued to the Deputy Commissioner, Mansa, District Mansa – respondent No.2 to consider and decide the claim of the petitioner as submitted by him in his application/representation dated 19.08.2016 (Annexure P-12) within a period of three months by passing a speaking order.

In case the claim of the petitioner is found to be covered by the policy/guidelines issued by the Government of Punjab, ignoring the aspect that last date of receipt of application was 31.03.2013, the petitioner be issued appointment letter forthwith.

(AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH)
JUDGE

09th January, 2020
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Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable:	Yes/No