

CWP-19746-2020

Date of decision: 23.11.2020

Meenakshi Bansal and others

.....Petitioners

versus

Punjabi University Patiala and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE FATEH DEEP SINGH**Present:** Mr. Hardeep Singh, Advocate
for the petitioners.**FATEH DEEP SINGH, J. (ORAL)**

Due to outbreak of pandemic COVID-19, the instant case is being taken up for hearing through video conferencing.

The petitioners have invoked the jurisdiction of this Court in terms of Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India seeking prayer by way of writ of *mandamus* for issuance of directions to the respondents for granting an additional increment on promotion/placement from stage-I to stage-II and from stage-III to the petitioners along with accrued arrears along with 9% interest as per the UGC Regulations Act.

Notice of motion to the respondents.

Mr. Ajaivir Singh, Advocate for the respondents-University

puts in appearance of his own and accepts notice on behalf of the respondents-University. Copy supplied.

Heard.

Upon hearing learned counsel of both the sides and on perusal of the records, the present petition stands disposed off with the directions to the official respondents to consider the legal notice dated 25.08.2020 (Annexure P-5) as representation, moved by the petitioners and decide the same, in accordance with law, by passing a speaking order preferably within a period of two months from the date of receipt of the copy of this order.

The petition stands disposed off accordingly.

23.11.2020

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**(FATEH DEEP SINGH)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No