

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CWP No.20567 of 2020
Date of decision: 02.12.2020

Poonam Bajaj

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM:HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE RITU BAHRI

Present: Mr. Vikas Chatrath, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Ritu Bahri, J.

Petitioner is seeking direction to the respondents to grant the benefit of ACP Scheme along with consequential benefits, after forgoing her promotion.

Learned counsel for the petitioner refers to the judgments passed by this Court in Promila Aggarwal vs. State of Punjab and others, CWP No.19614 of 2009, decided on 20.01.2011 (Annexure P-3), Ram Kumar Kapoor vs. The State of Punjab and others, CWP No.21287 of 2010, decided on 20.01.2011 (Annexure P-4), Manju Thappar and others vs. State of Punjab and others, CWP No.20800 of 2012, decided on 16.10.2012 (Annexure P-6) and Shashi Kiran and others vs. State of Punjab and others, CWP No.20739 of 2013, decided on 18.09.2013 (Annexure P-7). Judgment passed in Shashi Kiran's case (supra) was complied with by the concerned department vide order dated 04.03.2014

(therein), even though they had forgone the promotion.

Notice of motion.

On the asking of the Court, Mr. Suveer Sheokhand, Addl. A.G., Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of respondent-State.

Keeping in view the above judgments (Annexures P-3, P-4, P-6 and P-7), this petition is disposed of by giving direction to the respondents to consider the claim of petitioner for granting the benefit of ACP Scheme within a period of four months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order. In case, the petitioner is found entitled to the necessary benefit, same shall be granted to the petitioner within the above said period.

02.12.2020
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(RITU BAHRI)
JUDGE

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