

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

CWP-21295-2020.
Date of Decision:-10.12.2020.

Pardeep Kumar and others

..... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and another

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KUMAR

Present: Mr. Jasbir Singh Mohri, Advocate for the petitioners.

Ms. Simran Grewal, Assistant Advocate General, Punjab.

SANJAY KUMAR, J. (Oral)

The petitioners, 03 in number, seek counting of the services rendered by them on daily wages, prior to their regularization in service, towards qualifying service and to permit them to continue in the old GPF Scheme by declaring that the new restructured Contributory Pension Scheme dated 02.03.2004 and the instructions relating thereto would not apply to them.

It is the case of the petitioners that their claims are covered by the decisions of this Court and more particularly, the decision in **CWP-2371-2010**, titled **'Harbans Lal Vs. State of Punjab and others'**, decided on

31.08.2010. It appears that the petitioners submitted representation dated 28.09.2020 in this regard to the authorities and the same is still pending consideration.

It is for the authorities concerned to address the claims of the petitioners in the first instance and take a decision. Without such an exercise being undertaken by the authorities, it would be premature for this Court to entertain this writ petition for adjudication on merits.

The writ petition is accordingly disposed of directing the respondent-authorities to consider the claims of the petitioners, as put forth in their representation dated 28.09.2020, in the light of the law laid down by this Court in CWP-2371-2010, titled 'Harbans Lal Vs. State of Punjab and others', decided on 31.08.2010.

This exercise shall be completed expeditiously and in any event, not later than six months from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

No order as to costs.

(SANJAY KUMAR)
JUDGE

December 10, 2020.

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Whether speaking/reasoned:-

Yes / No

Whether Reportable:-

Yes / No.