108 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

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(Heard through Video-Conferencing)

CWP No.294 of 2021
Date of Decision: 08.02.2021

Ram Partap

..... Petitioner

Versus

The State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MEENAKSHI I. MEHTA

Present: Mr. Peeush Gagneja, Advocate
for the petitioner.

MEENAKSHI I. MEHTA J. (ORAL)

By way of the instant petition, the petitioner seeks the indulgence of this Court for issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus directing the respondents to place his name at the appropriate rank in the seniority list and to promote him to the post of Ziledar with effect from the date when the employees, junior to him, were promoted and to give him all the consequential benefits accordingly.

Notice of motion.

Mr. T.P.S. Chawla, DAG, Punjab has joined the proceedings in pursuance of the copy of this petition having been sent to the respondents-State in advance and at the asking of the Court, he accepts notice on behalf of all the respondents.

Heard.

Learned counsel for the petitioner restricts his prayer to the issuance of a direction to the respondents to look into and decide the legal notice dated 13.10.2020 (Annexure P-8), as issued on behalf of the

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petitioner to them, in a time bound manner.

Learned State counsel has no objection for the same.

Keeping in view the afore-mentioned limited prayer of learned counsel for the petitioner and without commenting upon the merits of the matter in hand, the present writ petition is hereby disposed of with a direction to the respondents to look into the said legal notice of the petitioner dated 13.10.2020 (Annexure P-8) and to decide the same in accordance with law, within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of the certified copy of this order.

This petition stands disposed of accordingly.

08.02.2021 **(MEENAKSHI I. MEHTA)**
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Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether reportable: Yes/No

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