

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

CWP No.1301 of 2021 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 21.01.2021

Pappi Singh and others

..... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU

Present:- Mr. Parvesh K. Saini, Advocate for the petitioners.

MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU, J.

Present writ petition has been filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a writ in the nature of certiorari for quashing the impugned order/letter dated 29.07.2019 (P-18), vide which, respondent No.2 has rejected the claim of the petitioners regarding the removal of pay anomaly. Further prayer is for issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus seeking directions to the respondents to grant pay scale of Rs.10300-34800 + 3600 Grade Pay with initial pay of Rs.14430/- w.e.f. 01.12.2011 over and above the pay scale of Clerk as pay scale of the petitioners was higher than the post of Clerk as on 01.01.2006.

After arguing for some time, learned Counsel for the petitioners wishes to withdraw the present petition with a limited prayer that directions be issued to consider and decide the claim of the petitioners already pending before the 6th Punjab Pay Commission, constituted on 24.02.2016.

Notice of motion.

On the asking of the Court, Ms. Akshita Chauhan, AAG, Punjab, who is present through Video-Conferencing, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent(s) and raises no objection in case the aforesaid limited prayer made on behalf of the petitioners is accepted by this Court.

In view of the agreed stand taken by both sides, without going into the merits of the controversy, this writ petition is dismissed as withdrawn with liberty aforesaid.

It is clarified that the grievance of the petitioners shall be considered and decided in accordance with law pending before the 6th Punjab Pay Commission expeditiously, if there is no legal impediment.

January 21st, 2021
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(MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU)
JUDGE

<i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether Reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>