

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CWP No.1520 of 2021

Date of decision: 25.01.2021

Kulbir Singh Rathee

.....Petitioner

versus

State of Haryana and Ors.

....Respondents

CORAM: Hon'ble Mr. Justice Girish Agnihotri

Present: Mr. Jaspal Singh Maanipur, Advocate for the petitioner.

*(the aforesaid presence is being recorded through video
conferencing since the proceedings are being conducted in Virtual Court).*

GIRISH AGNIHOTRI, J. (Oral)

Petitioner – Kulbir Singh Rathee, stated to be aged 70 years has filed the present writ petition *inter alia* with a prayer for directing the respondents for grant of revised pension on the basic pay of Revised Pay Scale of Fitment Table 16 (Annexur P-1) on the Notional Basic Pay of Rs.62,200/- w.e.f. 01.01.2016 instead of Rs.60,400 by giving the benefit of stepping up of pay, with a further relief as mentioned in the petition.

Learned counsel for the petitioner by making reference to pleadings in the petition, submits that the petitioner had made a written request to the authorities to grant him the benefit of stepping up of his pay and for revision of his pension in the Fitment Table 16 (of Rs.62,200/- instead of Rs.60,400/-). Learned counsel further submits that the petitioner had also got served a legal notice dated 02.12.2020 (Annexure P-6) upon the respondents, but till date no action has been taken.

Notice of motion.

On the asking of Court, Ms. Palika Monga, DAG, Haryana, who is appearing through video conferencing, accepts notice on behalf of respondents-State.

In view of the above and without commenting on the merits of the case, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondents /Competent Authority, to consider the legal notice dated 02.12.2020 (Annexure P-6) and decide the same in accordance with law, as expeditiously as possible, preferably within a period of 03 months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

Ordered accordingly.

(GIRISH AGNIHOTRI)
JUDGE

25.01.2021

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Whether speaking/ reasoned:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable:	Yes/No