

HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

117 - CWP-3302-2021 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 12.02.2021

Mahesh Chander & Ors.

... Petitioners

VS.

State of Punjab & Anr.

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE GIRISH AGNIHOTRI

Present: Mr. LS Lakhanpal, Advocate for the petitioner

Mr. DS Sukarchakia, DAG, Punjab

GIRISH AGNIHOTRI, J. (Oral)

The matter has been taken up through video conferencing on account of restrictions due to outbreak of COVID-19 pandemic.

The petitioners have filed the present writ petition *inter alia* with a prayer to directing the respondents to consider them for regularization in view of notification (P3).

Learned counsel for the petitioner based upon the pleadings submits that the petitioners are working in the respondent-Department from last many years (some of the petitioners are stated to be working since 15 years). He submits that for same/similar grievance some of the petitioners had filed CWP-9483-2017 which was disposed of vide judgment/order dated 02.03.2020 (P2).

Learned counsel further makes an oral request that the petitioners would make a representation claiming the same/similar relief as in the present petition within a period of 2 weeks from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

Notice of motion.

On the asking, Mr. DS Sukarchakia, DAG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the official respondents.

Having heard learned counsel for the parties and without commenting upon the merits of the case and in view of the peculiar facts and circumstances of the case, the writ petition is disposed of with directions to the Competent Authority, that in case the petitioners make a representation(s) within 2 weeks from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order, the competent authority – respondent No.2 would decide the same, in accordance with law, within 4 months from the date of such representation(s).

Disposed of.

12.02.2021

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1. *Whether speaking/reasoned?*
2. *Whether reportable?*

(Girish Agnihotri)
Judge

Yes/No
Yes/No