

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

(113)

CWP No. 4297 of 2021

Date of Decision : 24.02.2021

Bal Ram

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and others

.....Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present:- Mr. Deepak Sharma, Advocate for the petitioner.

Harsimran Singh Sethi, J. (Oral)

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that as the petitioner is 100% disabled and the retirement age of the disabled person is already enhanced by the Government of Haryana to 60 years, the action of the respondents in retiring the petitioner on attaining the age of 58 years, is totally arbitrary and illegal and contrary to the Policy of the Government of Haryana.

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that for the relief claimed in the present writ petition, the petitioner has already approached the Director, Elementary/Secondary Education, Panchkula, Haryana-respondent No. 2 by filing a representation on 04.02.2021 (Annexure P-6), which is still pending consideration with the said authority and the petitioner will be satisfied, at this stage, in case a direction is issued to

respondent No. 2 to decide the said representation dated 04.02.2021

(Annexure P-6) in a time bound manner by passing an appropriate speaking order.

Notice of motion.

Ms. Rajni Gupta, learned Additional Advocate General, Haryana, keeping in view the service of advance copy of petition, accepts notice on behalf of respondent-State. Learned State counsel raises no objection in deciding the representation dated 04.02.2021 (Annexure P-6) in a time bound manner by passing an appropriate speaking order.

In view of the request made, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case or the claim being made by the petitioner, respondent No. 2 is directed to decide the representation dated 04.02.2021 (Annexure P-6) by passing a speaking order within a period of two weeks from today.

Writ petition is disposed of accordingly.

February 24, 2021
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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

Whether reasoned/speaking? *Yes*
Whether reportable? *No*