

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

CWP 4508 of 2021

Date of Decision: February 25, 2021

Didar SinghPetitioner
Versus
Punjab State Power Corporation Limited and another
.... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE FATEH DEEP SINGH

Present : Mr. Kanwaljeet Singh, Advocate
for the petitioner.

FATEH DEEP SINGH, J. (Oral)

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

Petitioner has invoked the jurisdiction of this Court under Article 226 of Constitution of India seeking writ in the nature of *mandamus* directing the respondents to grant the benefit of 23 year advance promotional increments w.e.f. 18.12.2007 as per the principal policy under Finance Circulars 17/1990 dated 23.04.1990 with consequential re-fixation of pay and retiral benefits and to release to the petitioner the arrears of revised pay and retiral benefits alongwith interest @ 12% per

annum.

Heard.

Notice of motion.

At the asking of the Court Mr. T.P.S. Chawla, Deputy A.G. Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the respondents. Let copy of the paper book be supplied to him.

Upon hearing counsel for the two sides, the present petition is disposed off with the directions to the official respondents to consider the legal notice dated 18.06.2020 (Annexure P-8) of petitioner as representation and decide the same fully in accordance with law by passing a speaking order expeditiously, preferably within a period of two months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

February 25, 2021
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(FATEH DEEP SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether reasoned/speaking	:	Yes/No
Whether reportable	:	Yes/No