

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP No.7209 of 2021.
Date of Decision:-26.03.2021.

(Heard through Video-Conferencing)

Rajinder Singh and others

.....Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana and another

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MEENAKSHI I. MEHTA

Present: Mr. Parth Goyal, Advocate for the petitioners.

MEENAKSHI I. MEHTA J. (Oral)

The petitioners have joined hands to prefer this petition for seeking the relief of the issuance of a writ in the nature of *mandamus* directing the respondents to comply with the judgment (Annexure P-7) qua them also as they are eligible for the grant of selection grade w.e.f. 01.01.1996 in stead of 01.08.2000 – 01.08.2002 along with all the consequential benefits including fixation of their pay, while averring that they are placed exactly similar to the petitioner in the case wherein the said judgment has been rendered and though they had already served a Legal Notice dated 20.08.2020 (Annexure P-9) to the respondents for seeking the afore-claimed benefits but in vain.

Mr. S. S. Pannu, DAG, Haryana has joined the proceedings on behalf of both the respondents in this case in pursuance of the copies of this petition having been sent to the respondent-State in advance.

Heard.

Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that the petitioners would be satisfied if a direction is given to respondent No.2 to look into their said legal notice (Annexure P-9) and to deal with/decide the same within some specific time-frame.

Learned State counsel has no objection for the same.

Keeping in view the afore-discussed limited prayer of learned counsel for the petitioners and without commenting upon the merits of the matter in hand, the present writ petition is hereby disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2-Director General, Department of Secondary Education, Haryana to look into and deal with/decide the said legal notice of the petitioners (Annexure P-9) in accordance with law/relevant rules, by passing a speaking order thereon, within a period of three months from the date of receipt of the certified copy of this order.

This petition stands disposed of accordingly.

(MEENAKSHI I. MEHTA)
JUDGE

March 26, 2021.

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Whether speaking/reasoned:-

Yes / No

Whether Reportable:-

Yes / No.