

Sr. No. 132

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

CWP-8191-2021

Date of decision: 08.09.2021

Surjit Singh and others

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN MONGA

Present: Mr. Anil Shukla, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

Ms. Simran Grewal, AAG, Punjab.

ARUN MONGA, J. (ORAL)

Petitioners herein, *inter alia*, seek issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus directing the respondents to grant them pay scale at par with their juniors from the date when they are promoted and further to re-fix their pension accordingly.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that qua their aforesaid grievance, petitioners caused issuance of a legal notice dated 01.11.2019 (Annexure P-4), but the same has not been adverted by the respondents till date. Hence, the instant petition.

3. Learned State counsel, on advance service, appears and states that competent authority shall take appropriate administrative decision on the pending legal notice dated 01.11.2019 (Annexure P-4) in due course.

4. At this stage, learned counsel for the petitioners also agrees that let a final decision be taken, by the competent authority on the pending legal notice dated 01.11.2019 (Annexure P-4).

5. Given the nature of order being passed, there is no necessity to seek return by any of the respondents as no further proceedings and/or pleadings are required.

6. Without commenting on the merits of the case, the writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the competent authority to look into the grievance of the petitioners as per legal notice dated 01.11.2019 (Annexure P4) and also by keeping in view the contentions raised in the present petition by treating the same as supplementary representation and take a decision, in accordance with law, as expeditiously as possible.

7. Disposed of accordingly.

08.09.2021

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JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:

Yes/No

Whether reportable:

Yes/No