

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

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CWP No.9496 of 2021

Date of Decision: 05.05.2021

Gurdev Singh and another

....Petitioners

VERSUS

The Appellate Authority, The Punjab State Civil Supplies Corporation Ltd.
PUNSUP and Another

....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE ALKA SARIN

Present: Mr. Tahaf Bains, Advocate for the petitioners.

ALKA SARIN, J. (Oral)

Heard through video conferencing.

The limited prayer made in the present petition is for issuance of a direction to respondent no.1 to decide the appeal dated 26.03.2021 (Annexure P-2) filed by the petitioners against order dated 02.02.2021, whereby recovery of an amount of Rs. 10,75,465/- has been directed against petitioner no.1-Gurdev Singh and recovery of Rs.4,30,186/- has been directed from the salary of petitioner no.2-Oman Singh.

Learned counsel for the petitioners has relied upon judgment passed by this Court in *CWP-845-2019* titled as *Jaswinder Singh and another vs. The Punjab State Cooperative Supply and another, CWP-3443-2019* titled as *Raman Kant vs. The Punjab State Co-operative Supply and Marketing Federation Ltd. and another*; *CWP-5050-2020* titled as *Jasvir Singh and another vs. The Punjab State Supply Marketing Federation Ltd and another*; and *CWP-9845-2020* titled as *Tirath Ram vs. Board of Directors*.

Notice of motion.

On the asking of the Court, Mr. Harkirat Singh Randhawa, Panel Counsel for the respondents, who has joined the session through video conferencing, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents.

Without commenting on the merits of the case, the present petition is disposed off with a direction to respondent no.1 to decide the statutory appeal filed by the petitioners within a period of six months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order. Till such time the application for stay/appeal of the petitioners is not decided, the recovery of the amount from the salaries of the petitioners shall not be effected.

Disposed off.

(ALKA SARIN)
JUDGE

5th May, 2021
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NOTE: Whether speaking/non-speaking: Speaking
Whether reportable: YES/NO