

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

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**CWP No.10346 of 2021  
Date of Decision: 05.07.2021**

Paramjit Kaur and others

....Petitioners

**VERSUS**

Punjabi University Patiala and another

....Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE ALKA SARIN**

Present: Mr. Ritesh Aggarwal, Advocate and  
Mr. Amandeep Sharma, Advocate for the petitioners.

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**ALKA SARIN, J. (Oral)**

Heard through video conferencing.

The prayer in the present writ petition under Articles 226 and 227 of the Constitution of India is for issuance of a direction to the respondents to release the arrears of promotional benefits/salary from the respective dates of promotion of the petitioners along with 9% interest on account of delay in payment.

Learned counsel for the petitioners states that in this regard a legal notice dated 20.03.2021 (Annexure P-7) has been sent to the respondents, however, till date no response has been received *qua* the same. Learned counsel for the petitioners further states that at this stage he limits his prayer and would be satisfied if a direction is issued to respondent no.2 to decide the legal notice dated 20.03.2021 (Annexure P-7), in accordance with the law, in a time bound manner.

Notice of motion.

On the asking of the Court, Mr. Ajaivir Singh, Advocate, who

has joined the session through video conferencing, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents and states that he has no objection if a direction is issued to respondent no.2 to decide the legal notice dated 20.03.2021 (Annexure P-7) in a time bound manner.

In view of the limited prayer made by learned counsel for the petitioners and without commenting on the merits of the case, the present petition is disposed off with a direction to respondent no.2 to decide the legal notice dated 20.03.2021 (Annexure P-7), in accordance with law, expeditiously and in any case within a period of three months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order.

Disposed off accordingly.

**( ALKA SARIN )**  
**JUDGE**

**5<sup>th</sup> July, 2021**  
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NOTE: Whether speaking/non-speaking: Speaking  
Whether reportable: YES/NO