

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

(118)

CWP No. 11411 of 2021

Date of Decision : 01.07.2021

Harnam Singh

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and others

.....Respondents

(through video conferencing)

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present:- Mr. Amit Jhanji, Senior Advocate with
Mr. Abhishek Kumar Premi, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Sharad Aggarwal, Assistant Advocate General, Haryana.

Harsimran Singh Sethi, J. (Oral)

Learned senior counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner argues that petitioner is working with the respondent-Municipal Corporation as a Fireman since 02.05.1991 continuously. The prayer of the petitioner is that even after working for approximately 30 years, his services have not been regularized though, there is no impediment keeping in view the Regularization Policy, which has been issued by the State of Haryana in the year 2003, which is also applicable upon the respondent-Municipal Corporation where the petitioner is working and discharging the duties.

Learned senior counsel submits that for the relief which is being claimed in the present writ petition, the petitioner has approached this Court by filing CWP No. 4251 of 2020, wherein liberty was granted to the petitioner to approach the respondents to agitate his claim. Learned senior counsel further submits that the petitioner filed a detailed representation dated 03.02.2021 (Annexure P-21) with the authorities concerned and after the receipt of the said representation, the same is under consideration, which fact is clear from the

communication between respondents No. 2 and 3, which has been attached as Annexure P-24.

Learned senior counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner submits that though the matter is under consideration but no final decision is being taken by the authorities in the said consideration and the prayer of the petitioner in the present writ petition is for issuance of a direction to the authorities to take a final view in the matter so that the petitioner, who has already served with the respondents for a period of approximately 30 years, knows his status in the service.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Sharad Aggarwal, learned Assistant Advocate General, Haryana, who has joined the proceedings through video conference, keeping in view the service of advance copy of petition, accepts notice on behalf of respondents. Learned State counsel raises no objection in deciding the representation dated 03.02.2021 (Annexure P-21) in a time bound manner by passing an appropriate speaking order.

In view of the request made, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case or the claim being made by the petitioner in the representation dated 03.02.2021 (Annexure P-21), respondent No. 2 is directed to decide the representation dated 03.02.2021 (Annexure P-21) by passing a speaking order within a period of six weeks from the receipt of copy of this order.

Present writ petition stands disposed of.

July 01, 2021
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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

Whether reasoned/speaking? *Yes/No*
Whether reportable? *Yes/No*