

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

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CWP No.12591 of 2021
DATE OF DECISION : 13th JULY, 2021

Usha Kathuria

.... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana & another

.... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJBIR SEHRAWAT

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In virtual Court

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Present : Mr. Vikram Sheoran, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Harish Rathee, Deputy Advocate General, Haryana.

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RAJBIR SEHRAWAT, J. (Oral)

The petitioner has filed this petition under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India praying for issuance of writ in the nature of mandamus directing the respondents to grant the selection grade of Rs.7500-12000 w.e.f. 01.01.1996 instead of 01.08.2000 to the petitioner on the post of lecturers as per the Government of Haryana letter dated 12.12.2000 vide which the Head Masters of Government high School and the 20% cadre posts of lecturers of Government High School and the 20% cadre posts of lecturers of Government Senior Secondary Schools were granted by the respondents; with certain other prayers.

At the outset, the counsel for the petitioner submits that at this stage he would be satisfied if respondent No.2 is directed to decide

the legal notice (Annexure P-8) in view of judgments Annexures P-2, P3, P-6 & P-7, within some time bound frame.

The learned counsel for the State submits that the State is not averse to the expeditious disposal of the prayer of the petitioner.

In view of the above, the respondent No.2 is directed to take a conscious decision upon the legal notice dated 02.12.2020 (Annexure P-8) served by the petitioner, in view of judgments Annexures P-2, P3, P-6 & P-7, within a period of three months from the date of receipt of the certified copy of this order.

It is further ordered that in case the petitioner is found entitled to the financial benefits on such conscious decision to be taken by respondent No.2, then the same shall be actually released to the petitioner within a further period of three months from the date of such decision.

The petition stands disposed of with above said direction.

13th July, 2021
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(RAJBIR SEHRAWAT)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes No

Whether Reportable: Yes No