

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

1. COCP No.1694 of 2020

Ram Bhagat Aggarwal

.....Petitioner

Versus

Rajeev Arora, IAS and Anr.

.....Respondents

And

2. COCP No.1695 of 2020

Ved Parkash Sharma

.....Petitioner

Versus

Rajeev Arora, IAS and Anr.

.....Respondents

Date of Decision: 17.03.2021

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARINDER SINGH SIDHU

Present: Mr. Sandeep Panwar, Advocate for the petitioner(s).

Mr. Tapan Kumar, DAG, Haryana.

HARINDER SINGH SIDHU, J

Vide order dated 21.11.2019, writ petitions bearing CWP No.33850 of 2019 and 33852 of 2019 were disposed of directing the respondents to decide legal notice dated 19.06.2019 & 12.02.2019 respectively within a period of three months from the date of receipt of certified copy of the order. It was further directed that in case the petitioner is found entitled for any monetary benefits after the decision of the legal notice, the same would be released to him within three months thereafter.

A reply on behalf of the respondent-State has been filed wherein it is stated that separate speaking orders have been passed in both the cases in compliance of the directions issued by this Court stating that the

issue with respect to payment of interest on arrears of pay is pending consideration before Hon'ble Supreme Court in **SLP (Civil) No.005199 of 2016 titled Vijay Kumar Kapur vs. State of Haryana**, therefore, the claim cannot be considered.

In view thereof, present petition is disposed of as infructuous. However, it would be open to the petitioner(s) to take recourse to any appropriate remedy available under law.

A photo copy of this order be placed on the connected file.

March 17, 2021
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(Harinder Singh Sidhu)
Judge

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No
Whether Reportable: Yes/No