

CWP-16052-2021

Date of decision: 20.08.2021

Shiv Charan Kumar

.....Petitioner

versus

Punjab State Cooperative Supply and Marketing
Federation Limited and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE FATEH DEEP SINGH**Present:** Mr. Harmanpreet Singh Advocate
for the petitioner.**FATEH DEEP SINGH, J. (ORAL)**

Due to outbreak of pandemic COVID-19, the instant case is being taken up for hearing through video conferencing.

The petitioner has invoked the jurisdiction of this Court in terms of Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India seeking prayer for issuance of appropriate writ in the nature of *mandamus* for issuance of directions to the respondent authorities to grant annual increment to the petitioner for completion of service rendered for the year January 2015-December 2015 and pay the arrears accruing therefrom with interest @ 18% from the date of benefit became due.

Heard.

Upon hearing learned counsel and on perusal of the records, the present petition stands disposed off with the directions to the respondents to consider the representation dated 29.05.2020 (Annexure P-1) moved by the petitioner and decide the same in accordance with law, by passing a speaking order preferably within a period of one month from the date of receipt of the certified copy of this order.

If found entitled and if there is no impediment for the release of payment, the same be granted to the petitioner without any delay, as per law.

The petition stands disposed off accordingly.

20.08.2021

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**(FATEH DEEP SINGH)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No