

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

**CWP No.22804 of 2021 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 12.11.2021**

Resham Bahadur and others

..... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU

Present:- Mr. M.K.Dogra, Advocate for the petitioners.

MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU, J.

Present writ petition has been filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a writ in the nature of *mandamus* directing the respondents to regularize the services of the petitioners having been appointed during 1985 to 1989 as Beldars, Waiter and Work Munshi from the date, similarly situated persons were regularized along with all consequential benefits.

After arguing for some time, learned Counsel, on instructions from the petitioners, submits that instead of pressing the present petition on merits, his clients would be satisfied in case the representation dated 23.09.2020 (P-9) is considered and decided expeditiously.

Notice of motion to the aforesaid limited extent.

On asking of the Court, Ms. Akshita Chauhan, AAG, Punjab, who is present through Video-Conference, accepts notice on behalf of the

respondents and raises no objection against the innocuous prayer of the petitioners.

In view of the agreed stand taken by both sides, but without going into the merits of the controversy, this writ petition is disposed off with direction to respondent No.3-Chief Engineer, Ranjit Sagar Dam, Shahpurkandi Township, Tehsil & District Pathankot to consider and decide the aforesaid representation in accordance with law by passing speaking order preferably within a period of six months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

It is clarified that in case petitioners are found entitled for the relief claimed, the same shall be granted without delay.

November 12th, 2021
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(MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU)
JUDGE

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