

CWP-23844-2021

1st Date of Decision : 30.11.2021

Kulwant Singh and others

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

....Respondents

Coram : Hon'ble Mr. Justice B.S. WaliaPresent : Mr. Baljeet Singh Sidhu, Advocate for the petitioners.
*****B.S. Walia, J. (Oral)**

1. Prayer in the petition under Articles 226 / 227 of the Constitution of India is for the issuance of a writ, order or direction especially in the nature of Mandamus directing the respondents to count the service rendered by the petitioners on the post of SPOs as qualifying service for the purpose of grant of Local Rank as ASI, in view of letter / circular dated 23.01.2020, issued by respondent No.2, as already granted to similarly situated employees by the respondents vide Annexure P/8.

2. At the outset, learned counsel states that the petitioners have served legal notice Annexure P/9 dated 30.06.2020, in respect of the grievances which are the subject matter of the instant petition but the same has not been decided and that in the circumstances, the petitioners would be satisfied if the writ petition is disposed of by directing respondent No.2 to consider and decide legal notice Annexure P/9 dated 30.06.2020, in accordance with law, in a time bound manner.

3. Notice of motion to respondent No.2 only.

4. Mr. Abhaypal Singh Gill, AAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of respondent No.2 and on perusal of the writ petition states that he has no objection to the limited prayer made by learned counsel for the petitioners.

5. I have heard learned counsel for the parties, perused the paperbook and in view thereof as well as in view of the statement of learned counsel for the parties, dispose of the writ petition by directing respondent No.2 to consider and decide the claim made in legal notice Annexure P/9 dated 30.06.2020, in accordance with law after taking into account all aspects of the matter, including judgments Annexures P/4, P/5, P/6 and P/10, in case the same are applicable and have attained finality, within four months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

(B.S. Walia)
Judge

30.11.2021

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Whether speaking/ reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether reportable	:	Yes/No