

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

CWP-3653-2022

Date of decision: 24.02.2022

Balwant Singh and others

.....Petitioners

versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE FATEH DEEP SINGH

Present: Ms. Rimjhim Mahajan, Advocate
for the petitioners.

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 petitioners have invoked the jurisdiction of this Court in terms of Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India seeking prayer by way of writ of *mandamus* for issuance of directions to the respondents revise the pay scale of the petitioners in their scales and restore the parity in the pay scales with DPE's, Lecturers and Old Coaches w.e.f. 01.01.1986 and to place the petitioners in the pay scales of Rs.2200-4000 in which DPEs (Colleges), Old Coaches and Lecturers in Government colleges were placed by granting the similar relief or benefits which has

been granted to the similarly situated coaches of the Punjab Government vide CWP-3948/92 allowed on 15.05.2012 (Annexure P-1) .

Notice of motion to the official respondents.

Ms. Anju Sharma Kaushik, DAG, Punjab puts in appearance and accepts notice on behalf of the respondents-State.

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Heard.

Upon hearing learned counsel of both the sides and on perusal of the records, the present petition stands disposed off with the directions to the official respondents to consider the representation dated 15.11.2020 (Annexure P-2) moved by the petitioners 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 relief, the same be granted to the petitioners without any delay, as per law.

The petition stands disposed off accordingly.

(FATEH DEEP SINGH)
JUDGE

24.02.2022

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