

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

(113)

CWP-18271-2021

Date of Decision : May 10, 2022

Daljit Kaur

.. Petitioner

Versus

Union of India and others

.. Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Mr. Rajeev Anand, Advocate, for the petitioner.

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI J. (ORAL)

Learned counsel for the petitioner argues that petitioner is the widow of Palwinder Singh, who was working in the Central Reserve Police Force and has died while in service on 10.11.2003. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that at the time of death, the petitioner was facing criminal proceedings wherein, ultimately she was convicted and hence, the family pension was extended to the son of the petitioner, who has now become ineligible on attaining the age of 25 years and therefore, now, as the petitioner has been granted remission in the pending sentence and has come out of the jail, the family pension be given to her.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner has already raised the said grievance before the respondents by filing a representation dated 18.11.2019 (Annexure P-3) which is still pending consideration with the respondents and the petitioner will be satisfied at this stage, in case a time bound direction is issued to respondent No.2 to decide

the said representation by passing an appropriate speaking order.

Without commenting upon the merits of the case or about the entitlement of the petitioner for the relief which has been claimed by her in the representation dated 18.11.2019 (Annexure P-3), the present writ petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No. 2 to decide the representation dated 18.11.2019 (Annexure P-3) within a period of eight weeks from the receipt of copy of this order.

May 10, 2022

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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No