

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

CWP-4238-2022

Date of Decision: 04.03.2022

SANJIV KUMAR

..... Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF HARYANA

..... Respondent(s)

CORAM:- HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE LISA GILL

Present: Mr. Parth Goyal, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Kuldeep Tewari, Addl. AG, Haryana.

LISA GILL, J.

Petitioner, who is serving as Math Master in the School Education Department, Haryana, is aggrieved of the respondents not considering his case for promotion to the post of PGT Mathematics.

It is submitted that the petitioner, who was appointed as Math Matster vide appointment order dated 07.03.2011 and joined on 24.05.2011, is eligible for promotion to the post of PGT Mathematics. His juniors are stated to have been promoted on 26.04.2016 without considering the petitioner's claim. In this regard, it is submitted legal notice dated 13.10.2021, Annexure P-12, was served upon the official respondents, but to no avail.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Kuldeep Tewari, Addl. AG, Haryana, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State. Advance copy of writ petition stand supplied.

At this stage, learned counsel for the petitioner restricts the prayer for a decision of legal notice dated 13.10.2021, Annexure P-12 served by the petitioner, in a time bound manner.

Learned counsel for the respondent-State does not raise any serious objection to the restricted prayer.

Keeping in view the limited prayer addressed, facts and circumstances of the case but without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, this writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the competent authority, to decide legal notice dated 13.10.2021, Annexure P-12, filed by the petitioner by passing a speaking order, within three months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order. Needless to say, the effect of delay, if any, on the part of the petitioner shall be within the realm of consideration of the competent authority.

04.03.2022

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**(LISA GILL)
JUDGE**

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