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

CWP-5022-2022

Date of Decision: 14.03.2022

Chaman Rana

..... Petitioner

Versus

Union of India and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Mr. Chaman Rana-petitioner-in person.

Mr. Himanshu Malik, Advocate,
for the respondents-U.O.I.
(Keeping in view the advance service)

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI J. (ORAL)

The present petition has been filed for release of the Senior Administrative Grade under the Non-Functional Financial Upgradation, for which the petitioner became entitled to from 01.04.2013 onwards.

The petitioner, who is appearing in person, submits that he was not granted the said benefit, though according to him he was fully entitled for the same.

Learned counsel for the respondents submits that claim of the petitioner for the grant of relief, which is being prayed for in this petition, has already been considered by the Department concerned and keeping in view his Annual Confidential Report for the period 2008-09, the petitioner was not found entitled for grant of the said relief from the date he is

claiming for, and therefore, no fault can be found for not grant of said benefit at the behest of the respondents.

At this stage, the petitioner submits that the petitioner has already filed a representation for upgradation of his Annual Confidential Report for the period 2008-09 but the same is not being decided by the Department concerned, so that, the benefit for which the petitioner is otherwise entitled for, should not be released to him.

Learned counsel for the respondents further submits that the representation filed by the petitioner seeking review of his Annual Confidential Report for the period 2008-09 will be decided by the competent authority within a period of eight weeks from today. Learned counsel very fairly further submits that in case after decision of the said representation, it is found that the Annual Confidential Report of the petitioner for the concerned period has been upgraded and the petitioner is found entitled for re-consideration of his case, the said exercise will be done within a period of next four weeks thereafter and in case the petitioner is found entitled for any benefit, the same will also be released to him within a period of further next four weeks.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that after the aforesaid undertaking given by learned counsel appearing on behalf of the respondents, no further grievance of the petitioner survives at this stage but in case the said representation does not find favour with the respondent-Authorities and the petitioner's prayer is rejected, he may kindly be given liberty to avail appropriate remedy to redress his grievances. Learned counsel further submits that keeping in view the above, the present petition may kindly be disposed of as not pressed at this stage with the liberty

aforesaid.

Ordered accordingly.

It is made clear that the respondents will be bound by the undertaking recorded hereinbefore.

14.03.2022

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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

1. Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes
2. Whether reportable : No