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

CWP No.5332 of 2022

Date of Decision: 16.03.2022

Gurjant Singh and others

..... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and ors.

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU

Present:- Mr.Nitesh Singla, Advocate for the petitioners.

MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU, J.

Present petition has been filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus, *inter-alia*, directing the respondents to rectify the anomaly in the pay scales of the petitioners who are working as Pump Operators vis-à-vis Clerks working in the State of Punjab.

At the outset, learned counsel, on instructions from the petitioners submitted that instead of pressing the present petition on merits, his clients would be satisfied in case the legal notice dated 12.01.2022 (P-13) is decided expeditiously.

Notice of motion to that limited extent.

Mr. Arun Kaundal, DAG, Punjab, who is present in Court, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents, and raised no objection against the innocuous prayer of the petitioners.

In view of the agreed stand taken by both sides, but without going into the merits of the controversy, this writ petition is disposed off with direction to respondent No.1-Secretary, Department of Water Supply & Sanitation Punjab, Chandigarh, to consider and decide the aforesaid legal notice dated 12.01.2022 (P-13) in accordance with law by passing a speaking order preferably within a period of 03 (three) months after the receipt of certified copy of this order.

16.03.2022
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(MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU)
JUDGE

<i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether Reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>