

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

CWP No.6094 of 2022

Date of Decision : 25.03.2022

Mohan Lal and others

.. Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.. Respondents

(Through Video Conferencing)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Mr. Sunny Singla, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Ms. Monica Chhibber Sharma, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI J. (ORAL)

The present petition has been filed with a prayer that the petitioners are similarly situated as the petitioners in **CWP No.7239 of 2015** titled “***Labh Singh Dhaliwal and others vs. State of Punjab and others***”, but the relief extended to the petitioners in Labh Singh's case (supra) has not been released to the petitioners and that too without any valid justification.

Learned counsel for the petitioners argues that the petitioners, have also served a legal notice to the respondents claiming the said benefit on 26.02.2021 (Annexure P-7), which is also pending consideration with the respondents as of now and the petitioners will be satisfied, at this stage, in case a time bound direction is given to respondent No.3 to decide the said legal notice dated 26.02.2021 (Annexure P-7) by passing an appropriate speaking order.

Notice of motion.

Ms. Monica Chhibber, Sr. DAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents and raises no objection in deciding the legal notice dated 26.02.2021 (Annexure P-7) in a time bound manner by passing an appropriate speaking order.

Without commenting upon the merits of the case or opining anything on the claim being made by the petitioners in the legal notice dated 26.02.2021 (Anexure P-7), respondent No.3 is directed to decide the legal notice dated 26.02.2021 (Annexure P-7) by passing an appropriate speaking order within a period of 8 weeks from the date of receipt of copy of this order.

Present writ petition stands disposed of

March 25, 2022

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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)

JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No