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

CWP-9671-2022

Date of Decision: 09.05.2022

JASBIR SINGH

.... Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF HARYANA AND OTHERS

.... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE JAISHREE THAKUR

Present:- Mr. Arjun Atri, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

JAISHREE THAKUR.J (Oral)

This is a petition that has been filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus directing respondents 2 to 5 to grant duties to the petitioner as Home Guard.

Counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner herein would contend that there are many irregularities in the department in appointment and distribution of duties to the Home Guard and due to these reasons, no new duties have been granted to the petitioner since October, 2016 inspite of the fact that nothing adverse has been recorded against him. In this regard, a legal notice dated 25.03.2022 (Annexure P-5) has already been given but no action has been taken thereon. He would submit that the petitioner would be satisfied in case the said legal notice is decided in a time bound manner.

Notice of motion.

At this stage, Ms. Kirti Singh, DAG, Haryana, who is present in Court, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents and would submit that the respondents will look into the matter and will take a decision on the legal notice of the petitioner.

Let sufficient number of copies of the complete paper book be supplied to her during the course of day.

In view of the above, the present petition is disposed of by directing the respondents to take a decision on the legal notice dated 25.03.2022 (Annexure P-5) of the petitioner, within a period of two months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order, in accordance with law, and convey the decision to the petitioner. In case of failure to do so, the officer responsible for the lapse would be liable to costs of Rs.20,000/- from his personal pocket, to be deposited with the Punjab and Haryana High Court Advocates Welfare Fund.

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(JAISHREE THAKUR)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable:	Yes/No