

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

Sr. No.125

CWP No.11414 of 2022

Date of Decision: 25.05.2022

Ram Karan

.... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and another

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Mr. Kuldeep Sheoran, Advocate for the petitioner.

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI, J. (ORAL)

Learned counsel for the petitioner argues that the petitioner is entitled for promotion being a physically handicapped person keeping in view the settled principles of law laid down by this Court in **CWP No.12741 of 2019** titled **Viklang Sang, Haryana versus State of Haryana and others.**

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner became entitled for promotion as Accountant prior to the year 2015, when the said promotion was actually extended to the petitioner. Learned counsel submits that the respondents are not considering the claim of the petitioner for retrospective promotion and that too without giving any valid justification.

Learned counsel for the petitioner further submits that the petitioner has already raised the said grievance before the respondents by serving upon them a legal notice dated 21.01.2021 (Annexure P-10), which is still pending consideration with the respondents and the petitioner will be satisfied at this stage, in case a time bound direction is issued to the respondent No.2 to decide the said legal notice by passing an appropriate

Notice of motion.

Mr. Raman Kumar Sharma, Additional Advocate General, Haryana accepts notice on behalf of the respondents and raises no objection in deciding the legal notice dated 21.01.2021 (Annexure P-10) in a time bound manner by passing an appropriate speaking order.

Without commenting upon the merits of the case or about the entitlement of the petitioner for the relief which has been claimed by him in the legal notice dated 21.01.2021 (Annexure P-10), the present writ petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2 to decide the legal notice dated 21.01.2021 (Annexure P-10) within a period of 3 months from the receipt of copy of this order.

(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

25.05.2022
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Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether reportable	:	Yes/No