

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

(111+255) CM-10105-CWP-2022 in/and
CWP-11926-2021
Date of Decision : August 10, 2022

Balwant Rai .. Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and another .. Respondents

(255-2) CWP-13519-2021

Inder Pal and another .. Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana and another .. Respondents

(255-3) CWP-12154-2021

Gurnam Singh .. Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana and another .. Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Mr. Ravi Verma, Advocate, for the petitioner(s)
in all the petitions.

Mr. Sharan Sethi, Addl. Advocate General, Haryana.

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI J. (ORAL)

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As prayed for, the application is allowed.

Replication to the written statement filed on behalf of respondent No.2 is taken on record.

CWP-11926-2021, CWP-13519-2021 and CWP-12154-2021

By this common order, three writ petitions, the details of which have been given in the heading of the order, are being disposed of as all the petitions involve the similar question of law on similar facts.

Learned counsel for the petitioner(s) submits that the claim of the petitioner(s) for promotion to the post of Headmaster despite working on the post of Lecturer, is covered by the decision rendered by the Coordinate Bench of this Court in ***CWP No.14905 of 2009 titled as Surinder Kumar and others vs. State of Haryana and others, decided on 27.03.2021.***

Learned counsel for the petitioner(s) further submits that the said judgment has already been implemented and the consequential orders promoting the Lecturers to that of Headmasters have already been passed, a copy of which has been attached as Annexure P-6. Learned counsel for the petitioner(s) further submits that once the said benefit of promotion of the Lecturer to the post of Headmaster has been given to the similarly situated employees, the same needs to be extended to the petitioner(s) and therefore, the claim of the petitioner(s) may kindly be allowed in same terms as in ***Surinder Kumar's case (supra).***

Learned counsel for the respondents submits that the claim of the petitioner(s) will be considered as per the said judgment and if found entitled for, appropriate order will be passed within a period of eight weeks granting the relief to the petitioner(s).

Learned counsel for the petitioner(s) submits that keeping in view the said statement of the learned counsel for the respondents, no further grievance of the petitioner(s) survives in the present petitions and the same may kindly be disposed of having been not pressed any further.

Ordered accordingly.

A photocopy of this order be placed on the file of other connected cases.

August 10, 2022
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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes
Whether reportable : No