

115 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CWP-11879-2022
Date of Decision: 30.05.2022

JOGINDER SINGH AND OTHERS

...Petitioners

Versus

STATE OF HARYANA AND OTHERS

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN MONGA

Present : Mr. Krishan Kumar Thakur, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Pankaj Middha, Addl. A.G., Haryana.

ARUN MONGA, J. (ORAL)

Petitioners herein, *inter alia*, seek issuance of a writ in the nature of *certiorari/mandamus* for directing the respondents to regularize their services according to policy decision dated 01.10.2003 and 10.02.2004 (Annexures P-1 and P-2) or from the date, when similarly situated employees/juniors to them have been granted the benefit.

2. Petitioners were initially appointed as Daily Wage Labourer in the year-2003 on different dates. However, they were not regularized relying on Apex Court judgement in ***State of Karnataka and others vs Uma Devi and others 2006(4) SCC 1***. They assert that on the other hand, vide order dated 14.10.2006, the services of 199 daily wage labourers, who are juniors to them were regularized. Qua their grievance, the petitioners moved a representation, but no action was taken by the respondents till date. The petitioners thereafter sent a legal notice dated 05.03.2021 (Annexure P-6) and the same too has not been adverted.

3. On advance service, learned State counsel appears and submits that a decision will be taken by the competent authority, either way, on the

pending legal notice dated 05.03.2021 (Annexure P-6) by passing a speaking order.

4. At this stage, learned counsel for the petitioners also seeks decision on the pending legal notice, as suggested by learned State counsel.

5. Given the nature of order being passed, there is no necessity to seek return by any of the respondents as no further proceedings and/or pleadings are required.

6. Without commenting on the merits of the case, the instant writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents to look into the legal notice dated 05.03.2021 (Annexure P-6) of the petitioner and pass an administrative order, in accordance with law.

7. Let the needful be done as expeditiously as possible.

May 30, 2022
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(ARUN MONGA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether reportable: Yes/No