

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CWP-12982-2022

Date of Decision :02.06.2022

Ram Pal Sangwan

..Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and another

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Mr. Raman B. Garg, Advocate and
Ms. Gitanjali, Advocate for the petitioner.

Harsimran Singh Sethi, J. (Oral)

Learned counsel for the petitioner argues that the petitioner has not been granted the selection grade/pay scale at par with his junior namely, Satish Kumar Aggarwal, who was granted the same by the respondents vide order dated 09.03.2021 (Annexure P/13). Learned counsel for the petitioner argues that once the higher pay scale was given to the junior of the petitioner, the petitioner automatically becomes entitled for the grant of the same but, the respondents without there being any valid justification has not granted the said benefit to the petitioner.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner has already raised the said grievance before the respondents by way of serving a legal notice dated 17.11.2021 (Annexure P/16), which is still pending consideration with the respondents and the petitioner will be satisfied in case a time bound direction be issued to the respondent No.2 to

decide the said legal notice.

Notice of motion.

On the asking of the Court, Mr. Raman Kumar Sharma, Addl. A.G. Haryana, who is present in Court, accepts notice on behalf of respondent-State and raises no objection in deciding the legal notice dated 17.11.2021 (Annexure P/16) in a time bound manner by passing an appropriate speaking order.

In view of the request made, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case or the claim being made by the petitioner in his legal notice, respondent No.2 is directed to decide the legal notice dated 17.11.2021 (Annexure P/16), by passing a speaking order within a period of eight weeks from the receipt of copy of this order.

Present writ petition stands disposed of.

June 02, 2022
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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

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