

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CWP No. 15520 2022
Date of Decision: July 20, 2022

RENU KAUSHAL

..... Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANOTHER

..... Respondent(s)

CORAM:- HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE LISA GILL

Present: Mr. Ravish Bansal, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Ms. Sunint Kaur, Assistant AG, Punjab

LISA GILL, J.

Petitioner in this writ petition seeks a direction to the respondents to consider and decide petitioner's application dated 10.01.2022 (Annexure P-4) and representation dated 24.06.2022 (Annexure P-7) for allotment of Government House no.25-D, Model Town, Patiala in an expeditious manner. It is submitted that the above said government accommodation had been allotted to petitioner's husband, who has since retired on 31.01.2022. It is further submitted that petitioner is entitled to allotment of the said government accommodation in accordance with Rule 24 of the Punjab Government Housed (General Pool) Allotment Rules, 1983. Permissible period of six months available to petitioner's husband for retention of government accommodation is coming to an end on 31.07.2022. However, petitioner's application, which was submitted even prior to retirement of the petitioner's husband, has not been decided till today.

Notice of motion.

Ms. Sunint Kaur, Asst. A.G., Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents. Advance copy of the writ petition stands served.

Keeping in view the facts and circumstances of this case, but without any expression of opinion on the merits of the matter, this petition is disposed of with a direction to the competent authority to consider and decide petitioner's application for allotment of the government accommodation as above, in accordance with law, expeditiously and definitely before 31.07.2022. In case of an order adverse to the petitioner, it be by way of speaking order, duly conveyed to her.

Petition is disposed of accordingly.

20.07.2022

Sunil

(Lisa Gill)
Judge

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