

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

CWP-15736-2022

Date of decision : July 22, 2022

ISHAR SINGH

.....Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

....Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE LISA GILL

Present: Mr. Parveen Kumar Garg, Advocate for the petitioner.

Ms. Maloo Chahal, DAG, Punjab.

LISA GILL, J.

Prayer as addressed in this writ petition reads as under:-

“ For issuance of a writ in the nature of certiorari quashing the impugned action of the respondents in not revising the pay of the petitioner after granting him due placement either as Technician Grade-II or Technician Grade-I as per his entitlement as well as 9 and 14 year ACP to the petitioner w.e.f. due dates; and further for issuance of writ in the nature of mandamus directing the respondents to revise the pay of petitioner and consequent revision of pension after granting him due placement either as Technician Grade –II or Technician Grade-I as per his entitlement as well as 9 and 14 year ACP to the petitioner w.e.f. due dates and further to release the arrears alongwith interest @ 18% per annum till the date of its actual realization; and also the relief as prayed for.”

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that services of petitioner, who was appointed as Helper on 01.01.1985 were regularized on 01.01.1992 and he was promoted to the post of Fitter on 11.02.2005. Petitioner retired on

31.07.2021 on the post of Fitter. ACP on completion of four years was granted to the petitioner but ACP on completion of 9 and 14 years has not been released despite petitioner being entitled thereto. In this respect, representation dated 20.04.2022 has been submitted by the petitioner but to no avail.

At this stage, learned counsel for the petitioner restricts the prayer for a decision on representation dated 20.04.2022 (Annexure P7), submitted by the petitioner, in a time bound manner.

Notice of motion.

Ms. Maloo Chahal, DAG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the respondents. Advance copy of writ petition stands supplied. Learned counsel for the respondents does not raise serious objection to the restricted prayer addressed.

Keeping in view the limited prayer addressed, facts and circumstances of the case but without expressing any opinion on the merits thereof, this writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the competent authority, to decide representation dated 20.04.2022 (Annexure P7) by passing a speaking order, within three months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order. Amount, if any, found due to the petitioner be released within two months thereafter.

July 22, 2022

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(LISA GILL)
JUDGE

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