

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

(121)

CWP No. 16924 of 2022

Date of Decision : 03.08.2022

Kamal Singh

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and others

.....Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present:- Mr. Ravi Malik, Advocate for the petitioner.

Harsimran Singh Sethi, J. (Oral)

The present petition has been filed with a prayer that the candidates, who are junior to the petitioner in the cadre of JBT Teachers, have been given promotion as TGT Social Studies vide order dated 25.06.2022 (Annexure P-3), which benefit has not been extended to the petitioner and that too without any valid justification.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that petitioner is fully eligible for promotion but the benefit has not been extended by the respondents without giving any reason and, therefore, once, a junior employee has been promoted, the respondents are under obligation to grant the said benefit to the petitioner with effect from the date, the same has been extended to the junior employee. Learned counsel for the petitioner further submits that petitioner has already raised the said grievance in the legal notice dated 27.06.2022 (Annexure P-5), which is still pending

consideration with the respondents and petitioner will be satisfied, at this stage, in case a direction is issued to respondent No. 2 to decide the same by passing an appropriate speaking order in a time bound manner.

Notice of motion.

On the asking of the Court, Mr. Harish Nain, learned Assistant Advocate General, Haryana, who is present in Court, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State and raises no objection in deciding the legal notice dated 27.06.2022 (Annexure P-5) in a time bound manner by passing an appropriate speaking order.

In view of the pleadings in the present petition, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case or the claim being made by the petitioner in the representation, respondent No. 2 is directed to decide the legal notice dated 27.06.2022 (Annexure P-5), 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.

August 03, 2022
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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

<i>Whether reasoned/speaking?</i>	√ <i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether reportable?</i>	√ <i>Yes/No</i>