

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

(241)

CWP-17817-2018

Date of Decision : August 24, 2022

Ishwar Singh

.. Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and others

.. Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: None for the petitioner.

Mr. R.S. Budhwar, Addl. A.G., Haryana.

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI J. (ORAL)

In the present petition, the grievance of the petitioner is that the petitioner was regularized in service w.e.f. 31.10.2012 whereas he was entitled for regularization of his service under the policy dated 30.12.1998/25.02.1999 as the similarly situated employees have been regularized w.e.f. 01.09.1999 in the year 2004 itself.

Further contention of the petitioner is that the petitioner has already issued a legal notice claiming the said benefit dated 16.04.2018 (Annexure P-5) which is still pending consideration with the authorities and the respondents be directed to decide the same keeping in view the settled principle of law as well as the benefit granted to the similarly situated employees under the policy dated 30.12.1998/25.02.1999.

Learned counsel for the respondents submits that he has

instructions to submit that the legal notice dated 16.04.2018 (Annexure P-5) will be decided within a period of eight weeks and in case, the petitioner is found entitled for any relief as per the settled principle of law or anyone similarly situated to the petitioner has been granted, the same will be extended to the petitioner.

Keeping in view the above, without going into the merits of the case or opining an opinion on merits, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents to decide the claim of the petitioner as raised in the legal notice dated 16.04.2018 (Annexure P-5) within a period of eight weeks from the receipt of copy of this order. In case, the petitioner is found entitled for any relief after the decision of the legal notice, the same will also be extended to the petitioner within a period of four weeks thereafter.

August 24, 2022
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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

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