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

CWP-21474-2022

Date of Decision: 19.09.2022

KANWALJIT KAUR

.... Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

.... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE JAISHREE THAKUR

Present:- Mr. Munish Gulati, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

JAISHREE THAKUR.J (Oral)

The petitioner herein seeks to issue a writ in the nature of mandamus directing respondent No.2 to consider her case for correction of her category as SC instead of BC, wrongly mentioned in her application form, for the post of Women Constable in Punjab Police.

Counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner would submit that for redressal of her grievance, the petitioner has already served a representation dated 05.08.2022, Annexure P-5, upon respondent No.2, which has not been decided yet. He would submit that at this stage, the petitioner would be satisfied in case her representation is decided in a time bound manner in accordance with law.

Notice of motion.

On the asking of the Court, Ms. Deepali Puri, Additional Advocate General, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents and

would submit that the respondents will look into the matter and will take a decision on the representation of the petitioner.

Let sufficient number of copies of complete paper book be supplied to her during the course of day.

In view of the above, the present petition is disposed of by directing respondent No.2 to take a decision on the representation dated 05.08.2022, Annexure P-5, of the petitioner, within a period of three months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order, in accordance with law, and convey the decision to the petitioner. In case of failure to do so, the officer responsible for the lapse would be liable to costs of Rs.20,000/- from his personal pocket, to be deposited with the Punjab and Haryana High Court Advocates Welfare Fund.

19.09.2022

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**(JAISHREE THAKUR)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable:	Yes/No