

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

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CWP-21839-2022

Date of Decision :22.09.2022

Mukesh Rani**...Petitioner****Versus****State of Haryana and another****...Respondents****CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI**

Present: Mr. Jangjit Singh Dahiya, Advocate for the petitioner.

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Harsimran Singh Sethi, J. (Oral)

Learned counsel for the petitioner argues that the petitioner is working as a Guest Lecturer and has been transferred to a place where she has to travel a lot even by foot coupled with the fact that the petitioner is being offered a consolidated salary hence, the action of the respondents transferring the petitioner to a remote place is totally arbitrary and illegal. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that there are other nearby stations available, where the petitioner could have been easily accommodated hence, the respondents need to reconsider the transfer of the petitioner as effected by them vide impugned orders dated 12.09.2022 & 16.09.2022 (Annexures P/8 and P/16 respectively).

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner has already raised the said grievance before the respondents by way of submitting a representation dated 15.09.2022 (Annexure P-14), which is still pending consideration with the respondents and the petitioner will be

satisfied in case a time bound direction be issued to the respondent No.2 to decide the said representation.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Harish Nain, AAG, Haryana, who is present in Court, accepts notice on behalf of respondent-State and raises no objection in deciding the representation dated 15.09.2022 (Annexure P/14) in a time bound manner by passing an appropriate speaking order.

In view of the request made, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case or the claim being made by the petitioner in her representation, respondent No.2 is directed to decide the representation dated 15.09.2022 (Annexure P/14) by passing a speaking order within a period of 10 days from the date of receipt of copy of this order.

Present writ petition stands disposed off.

September 22, 2022
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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

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