

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

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CWP No.22010 of 2022

Date of Decision: 23.09.2022

Tejinder Kaur

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VIKAS SURI

Present:- Mr. Amit Sharma, Advocate, for
Mr. Ashok Bhardwaj, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Rajesh Mehta, Addl. Advocate General, Punjab
for the respondents.

VIKAS SURI, J. (Oral)

At the outset, learned counsel for the petitioner restricts his prayer for seeking direction to deal and process the petitioner's application/representation dated 02.06.2022 (Annexure P-5) in accordance with law, as has been pointed out vide letter dated 22.07.2022 (Annexure P-8).

The relief sought is for issuance of natural heir certificate in respect of the deceased Iqbal Singh who had retired from Veterinary Department, Ludhaina in the year 2021 and has passed away on 04.01.2022.

The petitioner is the widow of the deceased Iqbal Singh.

Notice of motion to that limited extent.

Mr. Rajesh Mehta, Addl. Advocate General, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents and waives service.

Learned State counsel would submit that the application/request of the petitioner (Annexure P-5) would be considered and processed in

accordance with law with reference to letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Malerkotla, dated 22.07.2022 (Annexure P-8).

In view of the above, this petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent Nos.2 and 3 to consider the claim/application of the petitioner dated 02.06.2022 (Annexure P-5) in accordance with law, and the competent authority to decide by passing a speaking order, within a period of six weeks from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order.

Needless to observe that in case, after the decision, petitioner is found entitled to the natural heir certificate, the same be released to her forthwith, as per law.

The petition stands disposed of in the aforesaid terms.

September 23, 2022
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(VIKAS SURI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes
Whether reportable	No