

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

**CWP No. 24424 of 2022
Date of decision: 21.10.2022**

Padam Singh Petitioner.

Versus

The Punjab State Power Corporation Ltd. and others Respondents.

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present:- Mr. Abhishek Khullar, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Avneet Singh, Advocate, for the respondents.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner is seeking a writ in the nature of mandamus directing the respondents to release the ACP scale which is due to the petitioner.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is working in respondent-Corporation for over 23 years and is entitled to the ACP scale. He further submits that a Coordinate Bench of this Court, in similar circumstances, has set aside the impugned order in CWP No. 27130 of 2019 on 31.05.2022 by directing the respondents to consider the case of the petitioners for grant of promotion increment after 23 years of service and pass appropriate orders within a period of three months from the receipt of the representation. He also submits that the petition may be disposed of with a direction to the respondents to consider and decide the representation (Annexure P-4).

Issue notice to the respondents.

At the asking of the Court, Mr. Avneet Singh, Advocate accepts notice on behalf of the respondents.

Heard.

The petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No. 3 to consider and decide the representation (Annexure P-4) in accordance with law within a period of three months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

21.10.2022
Ramesh

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No