

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

(112)

CWP No. 61 of 2022

Date of Decision : 25.04.2022

Smt. Parmeshwari Devi

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and others

.....Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present:- Mr. J.P. Sharma, Advocate for the petitioner.

Harsimran Singh Sethi, J. (Oral)

The present petition has been filed with a prayer that respondents may kindly be directed to grant the petitioner the consequential benefits after the services of the petitioner was regularized w.e.f. 01.05.1998.

Learned counsel for the petitioner argues that though the services of the petitioner have been regularized with effect from the date the juniors were regularized but the petitioner has only been given seniority w.e.f. 01.05.1998, whereas the petitioner is also entitled for the arrears of the benefit she got entitled for consequential to regularization of her service. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the said grievance has already been raised by the petitioner before the respondents by filing a legal notice dated 21.05.2021 (Annexure P-4), which is still pending

consideration with respondent No. 3 and petitioner will be satisfied, at this

stage, in case a time bound direction is issued to respondent No. 3 to decide the same by passing an appropriate speaking order.

Notice of motion.

On the asking of the Court, Mr. Raman Kumar Sharma, learned Addl. Advocate General, Haryana, who is present in Court, accepts notice on behalf of respondent-State. Learned State counsel raises no objection in deciding the legal notice dated 21.05.2021 (Annexure P-3) 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, respondent No. 3 is directed to decide the legal notice dated 21.05.2021 (Annexure P-3) by passing a speaking order within a period of eight weeks.

Present writ petition stands disposed of.

April 25, 2022
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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

Whether reasoned/speaking? *Yes/No*
Whether reportable? *Yes/No*