

IN THE HIGH COURT FOR THE STATES OF PUNJAB AND
HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CWP No.26359 of 2022 (O&M)
Date of Decision.18.11.2022

Bajrangi

...Petitioner

Vs

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE JAISHREE THAKUR

Present: Mr. Bhupinder Ghai, Advocate
for the petitioner.

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JAISHREE THAKUR J. (ORAL)

This is a petition that has been filed by the petitioner seeking a direction to respondent No.2 to decide the representation dated 24.08.2022 (Annexure P-26) submitted by the petitioner seeking service benefits i.e. pay allowances, increments, gratuity, provident fund, retirement benefits and other consequential benefits along with a job on compassionate ground in Category 'C' or 'D' post on account of death of his father, who died in harness on 23.07.2003.

Learned counsel appearing for the petitioner would submit that the petitioner would be satisfied if the representation (Annexure P-26) submitted by the petitioner is considered and decided by respondent No.2 within a stipulated period.

Notice of motion.

Ms. Deepali Puri, Addl. A.G., Punjab and Mr. J.S. Bhatti, Advocate, who are present in Court, accept notice for respondents No.1 and 2 to 4 respectively.

Mr. Bhatti, learned counsel appearing on behalf of the respondents No.2 to 4 would submit that respondent No.2 would look into the representation submitted by the petitioner and pass a speaking order thereon.

Without going into the merits of the case and keeping in view the limited request made, I dispose of the instant petition by directing respondent No.2 to take a decision on the representation dated 24.08.2022 (Annexure P-26) of the petitioner within a period of three months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order, in accordance with law, by passing a speaking order, which shall be communicated to the petitioner forthwith. In case of failure to do so, the officer responsible for the lapse shall be liable to payment of costs of Rs.20,000/- from his own pocket, payable in favour of Punjab and Haryana High Court Advocates Welfare Fund.

(JAISHREE THAKUR)
JUDGE

November 18, 2022
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No