

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

(119)

CWP-2757-2023

Date of decision : 02.03.2023

Narender Singh Deshwal and others

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUVIR SEHGAL

Present:- Mr. Ajay Vijarania, Advocate for the petitioners.

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SUVIR SEHGAL, J. (Oral)

Instant petition has been filed under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India seeking issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus directing the respondents to release 180 days last drawn salary, in view of non-acceptance of their Leave Preparatory to Retirement (for short “the LPR”). A direction has been sought to respondents to decide the legal notice dated 20.10.2022, Annexure P-6, and to pass a speaking order.

Counsel for the petitioners submits that the petitioners have retired from the Animal Husbandry and Dairying Department. He submits that vide various applications, they have sought LPR, which were declined without assigning any reason. Counsel submits that the petitioners have served a legal notice, Annexure P-6, upon the official respondents, but to no avail. Counsel submits that the petitioners would be satisfied in case a direction is issued to the respondent concerned to look into the legal notice, Annexure P-6.

Notice of motion.

On asking of the Court, Mr. R.K.S.Brar, Additional Advocate General, Haryana, accepts notice on behalf of the official respondents.

Given the nature of order being passed, this Court does not deem it necessary to call for a response from the respondents.

Having heard counsel for the parties, but without commenting upon the grouse of the petitioners, writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the competent authority to examine the legal notice, Annexure P-6, and pass an appropriate order within a period of 4 months from the date of communication of copy of this order.

In case, competent authority finds that the claim of the petitioners cannot be acceded to, an order be passed giving reasons for rejection.

(SUVIR SEHGAL)
JUDGE

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Whether Speaking/Reasoned	Yes
Whether Reportable	Yes/No