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

CWP-3428-2023

Date of Decision: 20.02.2023

ANAND PARKASH SHARMA

.... Petitioner

Versus

HARYANA STATE FEDERATION OF CONSUMERS COOPERATIVE
WHOLESALE STORES, LIMITED AND OTHERS

.... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE JAISHREE THAKUR

Present:- Mr. Mahir Sood, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

JAISHREE THAKUR.J (Oral)

The petitioner herein seeks a writ in the nature of mandamus directing respondent No.1 to decide his legal notice dated 24.01.2023, Annexure P-8, and to revert him to the post of Peon and also to grant him increment of the feeder post of Peon, as has been done in the case of similarly situated person Des Raj.

Counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner would submit that in this regard, the petitioner has approached the authority concerned number of times, but when no response was made to him, he chose to serve a legal notice dated 24.01.2023, Annexure P-8, upon respondent No.1, which too has not been responded yet. Counsel would submit that at this stage, the petitioner would be satisfied in case his legal notice, ventilating his grievance, is decided in a time bound manner, in accordance with law.

Notice of motion.

At this stage, Mr. Anant Kataria, DAG, Haryana, who is present in Court, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents.

Let adequate number of copies of complete paper book be supplied to the counsel appearing on behalf of the respondents during the course of day.

Without commenting on merits of the case and keeping in view the limited prayer made by counsel for the petitioner, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.1 to decide legal notice dated 24.01.2023, Annexure P-8, of the petitioner within a period of three weeks from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order, in accordance with law and convey the decision to the petitioner. In case of failure to do so, the officer responsible for the lapse would be liable to costs of Rs.20,000/- from his personal pocket, to be deposited with the Punjab and Haryana High Court Advocates Welfare Fund.

(JAISHREE THAKUR)
JUDGE

20.02.2023

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Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether Reportable: Yes/No