

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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2023:PHHC:061773

CWP-9269-2023

Date of decision: 01.05.2023

KARNAIL SINGH

..Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

..Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KSHETARPAL

Present: Mr. H.C. Arora, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Sehajbir Singh Aulakh, AAG, Punjab.

ANIL KSHETARPAL, J(Oral)

1. The petitioner prays for the issuance of a writ in the nature of certiorari to quash a clause in the appointment letter which disentitles the petitioner to salary in the relevant scale.

2. In substance, the petitioner claims that after having been directly recruited, he cannot be deprived of the pay as per the regular pay scale even during the probation period.

3. The learned counsel representing the petitioner relies upon a judgment passed by the Division Bench of this Court in **CWP-17064-2017, titled as "Ajay Kumar Singla and others Vs. State of Punjab and others", decided on 16.02.2023.**

4. The learned counsel representing the State of Punjab submits that the matter is under active consideration of the Director, Department of Education (Sr. Sec.), Punjab.

5. Keeping in view the aforesaid facts, the writ petition is disposed of while directing the Director to decide the petitioner's claim, positively within 15 days particularly keeping in view the judgment passed by the Division Bench.

6. All the pending miscellaneous applications, if any, are also disposed of.

May 01st, 2023

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(ANIL KSHETARPAL)
JUDGE

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