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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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Date of Decision: 19.07.2023

Balwinder Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

Union of India and Others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAGMOHAN BANSAL

Present:- Mr. Arun Singla, Advocate for the petitioner

Mr. Shivoy Dhir, Senior Panel Counsel,
for Mr. Amit Sharma, Senior Panel Counsel
for Union of India-respondents

JAGMOHAN BANSAL, J. (Oral)

1. The petitioner through instant petition under Article 226 of the Constitution of India is seeking direction to the respondents to consider and grant benefit of 3rd MACP and fix his pay accordingly.
2. Learned counsel for the petitioner *inter alia* contends that the petitioner has made various representations followed by legal notice dated 28.10.2022 (Annexure P-4) seeking fixation of his pay according to 3rd MACP, however, respondent vide letter dated 10.01.2023 (Annexure P-5) and 06.03.2023 (Annexure P-7) has intimated that the matter is pending before the competent authority. The respondents may be directed to decide claim of the petitioner in a time bound manner.

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3. Mr. Shivoy Dhir, Advocate, who on advance notice is present in Court for the respondents, assures this Court that needful would be done within 8 weeks from today.

Without commenting upon merits of the case and in view of statement made by learned counsel for the respondents, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent-authorities to decide representations of the petitioner within 8 weeks from today.

(JAGMOHAN BANSAL)
JUDGE

19.07.2023
Mohit Kumar

<i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>