

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

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**CWP-19536 of 2020 (O&M)
Date of decision:15.03.2023**

Inderjit Kaur

..Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and another

..Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KSHETARPAL

Present: Ms. Puja Chopra, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Vikas Mohan Gupta, Addl.A.G., Punjab.

ANIL KSHETARPAL, J(Oral)

1. The petitioner prays for the issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus to direct the respondents to grant all claims/benefits to the petitioner including considering her name for promotion on account of acquittal in a criminal case registered against her.
2. Admittedly, the appeal filed by the State against the judgment of acquittal is pending in this court. In the written statement filed by the State, it has been stated that her name figures at Sr.No.29 in the seniority list and no candidate junior to the petitioner has been promoted as a District Programme Officer.
3. The remaining benefits are the financial benefits like benefit under the Assured Career Progression Scheme, arrears of salary and increments. Once the appeal against the judgment of acquittal is already pending, the State has taken a stand that the same shall be decided after the decision of the said appeal.
4. Keeping in view the aforesaid facts and discussion, no further order is required to be passed.

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

March 15, 2023
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(ANIL KSHETARPAL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable

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Yes/No
Yes/No