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

**CWP-17462-2023 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 10.08.2023**

VIKAS KUMAR

.. Petitioner

Vs.

STATE OF HARYANA AND OTHERS

..Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Mr. Rakesh Gupta, Advocate for the petitioner.

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HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI, J. (Oral)

1. In the present petition, the prayer of the petitioner is that he is working as a Junior Engineer with the respondent department and intends to acquire higher qualification in the field of Civil Engineering for which, he has already filed a representation for the grant of appropriate relief, so that he could acquire higher qualification, but the respondents have kept the said representation pending, which is causing prejudice to him.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner will be satisfied, at this stage, in case a direction is given to the respondents to decide his representation dated 16.03.2023, copy of which has been appended as Annexure P-5, in a time bound manner by passing an appropriate speaking order, so that the petitioner could not suffer any further prejudice.

3. Notice of motion.

4. Mr. Pankaj Middha, Addl. A.G., Haryana accepts notice on behalf of respondent-State.

5. Learned State counsel submits that in case the representation (Annexure P-5) has not been decided by the concerned authority so far, the same will be decided within a period of eight weeks from the receipt of certified copy of this order by passing a speaking order and in case after the passing of the speaking order, any relief is to be extended to the petitioner, the same will be extended expeditiously.
6. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in view of the statement of learned state counsel, the present petition may kindly be disposed of having been not pressed any further.
7. Ordered accordingly.

10.08.2023
Jasmine Kaur

(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes	No
Whether reportable	Yes	No