

CWP No. 19668 of 2023

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

(116)

CWP No. 19668 of 2023

Date of Decision : 05.09.2023

Naseem Ahmed and others

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Mr. Akash Sheoran, Advocate for the petitioners.

Harsimran Singh Sethi J. (Oral)

1. Learned counsel for the petitioners argues that the petitioners are working on ad-hoc/part time basis in a Gram Panchayats, Saimirbas, Kol Gao and Pathkhori, Tehsil Firozpur Jhirka, Nuh as Water Supply Pump Operators keeping in view the Resolution passed by the respective Gram Panchayats but the salaries to the petitioners are not being released and that too without any valid justification. Learned counsel for the petitioners further argues that once, the petitioners are working, they are entitled for the release of their salaries every month without delay so that they are able to survive.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that the petitioners have already raised the said grievance in the representation dated 03.08.2023 (Annexure P-3) but the same is still pending consideration with respondent No. 2 and the petitioners will be satisfied at this stage, in case a direction is issued to the respondents to decide the same by passing an appropriate speaking order in a time bound manner.

3. Notice of motion.

4. On the asking of the Court, Mr. Pankaj Middha, learned Additional Advocate General, Haryana, who is present in Court, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State and submits that in case, the representation dated 03.08.2023 (Annexure P-3) has been received in the office of the concerned authorities and the same is still pending consideration with the authorities concerned, the same will be decided by the competent authority within a period of eight weeks of the receipt of certified copy of this order by passing an appropriate speaking order and in case, after the decision, the petitioners are found entitled for any benefit, the same will be extended to them within a further period of four weeks.

5. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that keeping in view the statement of learned State counsel, the present petition may kindly be disposed of having been not pressed any further.

6. Ordered accordingly.

September 05, 2023
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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No