

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

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**CWP No.20495 of 2023
Date of Decision : 15.9.2023**

*Narender Kumar and others**..... Petitioners**versus**State of Haryana and others**..... Respondents*

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE TRIBHUVAN DAHIYA

Present: Mr. Rajat Mor, Advocate, for the petitioners

TRIBHUVAN DAHIYA J. (ORAL):

This petition has been filed seeking a writ of *mandamus* directing the respondents to extend the benefit of the Haryana Civil Services (Revised Pay) Amendment Rules, 2023, Annexure P-3, to the petitioners, who are working as Primary Teachers in various government schools and upgrade their pay scales accordingly. Further, respondents be directed to decide the legal notice dated 2.8.2023, Annexure P-6, within a time bound manner.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that grievance raised herein is pending for appropriate decision before the respondents. At this stage, the petitioners will be satisfied in case the respondents are directed to decide their pending legal notice dated 2.8.2023 in a specified period.

3. Notice of motion.

4. Ms. Tanushree Gupta, DAG, Haryana, appearing on advance notice, submits that the pending legal notice dated 2.8.2023 shall be

decided by respondent no.2 expeditiously.

5. In view thereof, without going into the merits of the case, the petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent no.2/Additional Chief Secretary to Government of Haryana, Department of School Education, to consider and decide the pending legal notice issued by the petitioners dated 2.8.2023, by passing a speaking order in accordance with law, within a period of eight weeks from the date of receiving a certified copy of this order. If the petitioners are found entitled the benefits claimed, the same shall be released to them within a period of six weeks therefrom.

(TRIBHUVAN DAHIYA)
JUDGE

15.9.2023

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Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether reportable: Yes/No