

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

(117)

CWP-22745-2023

Date of Decision : October 09, 2023

Budho Devi**.. Petitioner****Versus****State of Haryana and others****.. Respondents****CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI**

Present: Mr. Karan Bhardwaj, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Pankaj Middha, Addl. Advocate General, Haryana.

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI J. (ORAL)

1. Present writ petition has been filed with a prayer that the daily wage service rendered by the petitioner from 20.06.1984 to 27.09.2011 has not been taken into account as a qualifying service for the grant of pensionary benefits, which is contrary to the settled principle of law and the respondents are under an obligation to grant the petitioner the benefit of daily wage service while computing the pensionary benefits.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the grievance raised in the present petition has already been raised by the petitioner through a legal notice dated 09.08.2023, a copy of which has been appended with this petition as Annexure P-5 and the petitioner will be satisfied, at this stage, in case the respondents are directed to decide the said legal notice in a time bound manner by passing an appropriate speaking order.

3. Notice of motion.

4. Mr. Pankaj Middha, learned Addl. Advocate General, Haryana, who is present in the Court, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents.

5. Learned counsel for the respondents submits that in case the legal notice dated 09.08.2023 (Annexure P-5) has been received in the concerned office and is still pending consideration with the Department, appropriate order on the same will be passed by the authorities concerned within a period of eight weeks from the receipt of copy of this order and in case after the passing of the order, the petitioner is found entitled for any benefit, the same will also be extended to the petitioner within a further period of four weeks.

6. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in view of the statement of learned counsel for the respondents, no further orders are required to be passed in the present petition and the same be disposed of accordingly.

7. Ordered accordingly.

October 09, 2023
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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No