

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

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**CWP No.27286 of 2023
Date of Decision : 5.12.2023**

*Malti Devi**..... Petitioner**versus**State of Haryana and others**..... Respondents*

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE TRIBHUVAN DAHIYA

Present: Mr. Jagtar Kureel, Advocate, for the petitioner

TRIBHUVAN DAHIYA J. (ORAL):

This petition has been filed seeking a writ of *mandamus* directing the respondents to grant the benefits of 1st, 2nd and 3rd ACP to the petitioner as per the provisions of Haryana Civil Services (Assured Career Progression) Rules, 2016, being fully eligible, and release the same to her alongwith interest @ 12% per annum from the due date till realisation.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that grievance raised herein is pending for appropriate decision before the respondents. At this stage, the petitioner will be satisfied in case the respondents are directed to decide the pending legal notice dated 20.7.2021, Annexure P-11, issued by the petitioner in a specified period.

3. Notice of motion.

4. Mr. Sanjeev Kaushik, Addl. AG, Haryana, appearing on advance notice, submits that the pending legal notice shall be decided by the respondents 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/Director, Elementary Education, Haryana, to consider and decide the pending legal notice dated 20.7.2021 issued by the petitioner, by passing a speaking order thereupon in accordance with law, within a period of six weeks from the date of receiving a certified copy of this order. In case the petitioner is found entitled the benefits claimed, the same shall be released to her within a period of six weeks therefrom.

(TRIBHUVAN DAHIYA)
JUDGE

5.12.2023

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Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether reportable: Yes/No