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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP-5009-2024(O&M)
Date of decision: 04.03.2024

Mishri Lal @ Mishri Sahu

...Petitioner

VERSUS

Haryana Vidyut Prasaran Nigam Limited and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASGURPREET SINGH PURI

Present:- Mr. B.K. Bagri, Advocate, for the petitioner.

JASGURPREET SINGH PURI, J. (Oral)

1. The present writ petition has been filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India seeking issuance of a writ in the nature of *mandamus* directing the respondents to count the daily wages services from 14.08.1982 to 17.05.1993 followed by regular service of the petitioner for the purpose of retiral benefits and after counting the daily wages services of the petitioners, the arrears of retiral benefits i.e. revised pension, gratuity, leave encashment and commutation with interest @ 12% per annum from the date of his retirement i.e. 28.02.2021 till payment

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner had served a legal notice dated 23.11.2023 (Annexure P-8) to the respondents but the same has not been considered and decided till date. He further submitted that at this stage, he will be satisfied in case the aforesaid legal notice dated

23.11.2023 (Annexure P-8) is considered and decided by the respondents in accordance with law and in a time bound manner.

3. Notice of motion.
4. On the asking of the Court, Mr. Samarth Sagar, learned Additional Advocate General, Haryana accepts notice on behalf of all the respondents. He submitted that in view of the limited prayer made by learned counsel for the petitioner, he has no objection in case time bound direction is issued in this regard.
5. In view of the aforesaid facts and circumstances, without calling for the reply from the respondents and without expressing anything on the merits of the case, the present writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents to consider and decide the legal notice dated 23.11.2023 (Annexure P-8) strictly in accordance with law and within a period of three months from today.

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(JASGURPREET SINGH PURI)
JUDGE

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