

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

Date of Decision : 14-08-2024

.....Petitioner(s)

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

.....Respondent(s)

Present: Mr. Sunny Singla, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Swapan Shorey, DAG Punjab.

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI, J. (Oral)

1. Learned counsel for the petitioners submit that despite the grant of benefit by the higher authorities, implementation of the same has been declined by the Director School Education Punjab vide order dated 11.08.2020 (Annexure P-9), which is causing prejudice to the petitioners.
2. Learned counsel for the petitioners further submit that the claim of the petitioners have been kept in abeyance till the finalization of the seniority in the Master/Lecturer cadre, which action is arbitrary and illegal.
3. Notice of motion.
4. Mr. Swapan Shorey, DAG Punjab, who is present in the Court, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents.

5. Learned counsel for the respondents submits that the seniority in the Master cadre has already been finalized and keeping in view the said finalization, the seniority in Lecturer cadre will be finalized, which process is going to take approximately three months and after three months, whatever the relief the petitioners are found entitled for, will be extended within a period of eight weeks of the finalization of the seniority in the Lecturer cadre.

6. Learned counsel for the petitioners submit that keeping in view the statement of learned counsel for the respondents, the present writ petition may kindly be disposed of having been not pressed any further.

7. Ordered accordingly.

8. Pending application, if any shall also stands disposed of.

14-08-2024
Sapna Goyal

(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

NOTE: Whether speaking: YES/NO
Whether reportable: YES/NO