

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

(110)

CWP No. 8031 of 2024
Date of Decision : 09.04.2024

Braham Dutt

...Petitioner

Versus

The State of Haryana and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Mr. Nitin Kaushal, Advocate and
Mr. Kamil Nagpal, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Harish Nain, Assistant Advocate General, Haryana.

Harsimran Singh Sethi J. (Oral)

1. In the present petition, the grievance of the petitioner is that respondent No. 4, who is junior to the petitioner, was promoted as Deputy Superintendent in preference to the petitioner, which is arbitrary and illegal and while promoting respondent No. 4 even the case of the petitioner was not considered, hence, the respondents are under obligation to grant the petitioner the benefit of promotion to the post of Deputy Superintendent with effect from the date respondent No. 4 has been promoted.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner has already raised the said grievance in the legal notice dated 14.03.2024 (Annexure P-13) but the same is still pending consideration with the

respondents and the petitioner will be satisfied, at this stage, in case a direction is issued to the respondents to decide the same by passing an appropriate speaking order in a time bound manner.

3. Notice of motion.

4. On the asking of the Court, Mr. Harish Nain, learned Assistant Advocate General, Haryana, who is present in Court, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State and submits that in case, the legal notice dated 14.03.2024 (Annexure P-13) has been received in the office of the concerned authorities and the same is still pending consideration with the authorities concerned, the same will be decided by the competent authority within a period of eight weeks from the date of the receipt of certified copy of this order by passing an appropriate speaking order.

5. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that keeping in view the statement of learned State counsel, the present petition may kindly be disposed of having been not pressed any further.

6. Ordered accordingly.

April 9th, 2024
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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No