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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP-8977-2024(O&M)
Date of decision: 23.04.2024

Bhushan Parkash

...Petitioner

VERSUS

State of Haryana and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASGURPREET SINGH PURI

Present:- Mr. Nipun Bhardwaj, 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 service of the petitioner from the petitioner 16.12.1980 to 11.05.1993 which the petitioner had already worked as daily wager for the purpose of pensionary benefits and after doing the needful, monetary benefits of the petitioner be released alongwith interest @ 18% per annum in a time bound manner.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner had served a legal notice dated 28.04.2023 (Annexure P-6) 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

28.04.2023 (Annexure P-6) 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 respondent No.2 to consider and decide the legal notice dated 28.04.2023 (Annexure P-6) strictly in accordance with law and within a period of three months from today.

(JASGURPREET SINGH PURI)
JUDGE

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