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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP-11486-2024(O&M)

Date of decision: 08.07.2024

Kashmiri Lal Dua

...Petitioner

VERSUS

Haryana Vidyut Prasaran Nigam Ltd. and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASGURPREET SINGH PURI

Present:- Ms. Dhivya Jerath, Advocate, for the petitioner.
(Through video conferencing)

JASGURPREET SINGH PURI, J. (Oral)

CM-10169-CWP-2024

The present application has been filed for placing on record
Annexures P-6 to P-8.

For the reasons recorded in the application, the same is allowed.
Annexures P-6 to P-8 are taken on record subject to all just exceptions.

Main case

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 certiorari for quashing the order dated 29.05.2014 (Annexure P-1) whereby the pay of the petitioner has been wrongly fixed notionally at par with his junior belonging to reserved category with a further prayer to direct the respondents to fix the pay



of the petitioner at par with his junior with effect from due date i.e. 13.11.1980 and to release the consequential retiral benefits alongwith arrears and interest @ 18% per annum.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner had served a legal notice dated 14.05.2024 (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 14.05.2024 (Annexure P-8) is considered and decided by respondent No.3 in accordance with law and in a time bound manner.

3. Notice of motion.

4. On the asking of the Court, Ms. Rajni Gupta, Additional Advocate General, Haryana accepts notice on behalf of all the respondents. She submitted that in view of the limited prayer made by learned counsel for the petitioner, she 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 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.3 to consider and decide the legal notice dated 14.05.2024 (Annexure P-8) strictly in accordance with law and within a period of four months from today.

(JASGURPREET SINGH PURI)
JUDGE

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