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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP-15781-2024

Date of decision: 12.07.2024

SHRI BHAGWAN

...Petitioner

VERSUS

UTTAR HARYANA BIJLI VITRAN NIGAM LTD. AND OTHERS

...Respondents

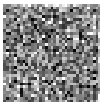
CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASGURPREET SINGH PURI

Present:- Mr. Naveen Daryal, 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 respondent-Nigam to count the daily wager service of the petitioner as a qualifying service for the purpose of pensionary benefits for the period from 01.01.1980 to 04.05.1993 along with all consequential benefits as well as interest @ 18% per annum from the date of accrual till the date of realization.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner had served a representation dated 01.10.2023 (Annexure P-4) to the Executive Engineer, City Division, UHBVN, Karnal and Xen OP, Circle Division, Karnal, but the same has not been considered and decided till date. He further submitted that at this stage, the petitioner will be satisfied in case the aforesaid



representation dated 01.10.2023 (Annexure P-4) is considered and decided by the respondent-Nigam in accordance with law and in a time bound manner.

- 3. Notice of motion.
- 4. On the asking of the Court, Ms. Rajni Gupta, Addl. A.G., 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 a 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.1-Managing Director, Uttar Haryana Bijli Vitran Nigam Limited, Panchkula to consider and decide the representation dated 01.10.2023 (Annexure P-4) strictly in accordance with law and within a period of three months from today.

12.07.2024
Chetan Thakur

(JASGURPREET SINGH PURI)
JUDGE

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