



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

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CWP-18511-2022

Date of decision: 07.08.2024

Nirmal Devi @ Nirmal Mahajan and others

....Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE NAMIT KUMAR**Present:** Mr. Rajeev Dev Sharma, Advocate for the petitioner.

Ms. Saguna Arora, A.A.G. Punjab.

Mr. Sanjeev Soni, Advocate for respondents No.3 & 4.

NAMIT KUMAR J. (Oral)

1. The petitioners have filed the instant writ petition under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India seeking a writ of mandamus, directing the respondents for re-fixing the pay of the petitioners by granting them increment for services for continuous 12 months prior to the date of their retirement.

2. Learned counsel for the parties are ad idem that the instant petition is squarely covered by the judgment passed by this Court in **CWP No.32598 of 2019** titled as '**Gurdev Singh and others Vs. State of Punjab and another**' and other connected cases decided on 16.03.2022 which has been upheld by the Division Bench of this Court in **LPA No.696 of 2022** titled as '**The State of Punjab and another Vs. Malagar Singh**' decided on 09.04.2024.

3. Learned State counsel submits that the judgment dated 09.04.2024 passed in LPA No.696 of 2022 has also been generalized by the Government of Punjab by issuing notification dated 10.07.2024.



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4. In this view of the matter, the present petition is allowed in the same terms as in *CWP No.32598 of 2019* titled as ‘*Gurdev Singh and others Vs. State of Punjab and another*’ decided on 16.03.2022.

(NAMIT KUMAR)
JUDGE

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