



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CWP-26380-2016 (O&M)
Date of Decision :10.12.2024

Kirna Devi

...Petitioner

Versus

Punjab State Power Corporation Limited
and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Ms. Sonia G. Singh, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Navpreet Singh, Advocate for
Ms. Anupam Bhanot, Advocate for the respondents.

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Harsimran Singh Sethi, J. (Oral)

In the present petition, the grievance being raised by the petitioner is that the petitioner was the employee of respondent No.6-School but she was not being granted the benefit of actual pay for which she was entitled keeping in view the salary being paid to the other teachers, who are working in the Model High School, Guru Gobind Singh Super Thermal Plant, Nuhon, District Ropar hence, the petitioner is also entitled for the salary as being paid to the teachers, who are performing the same duties, along with arrears and interest.

Learned counsel for the respondents at the outset submits that the claim of the petitioner is against the management of private institution and as per Section 7-A of the Punjab Affiliated Colleges (Security of Service) Act, 1974, all the disputes between the management and employee

are to be decided by the Educational Tribunal, Punjab and hence, the



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petitioner be relegated to avail appropriate remedy before the Educational Tribunal, Punjab.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that petitioner be relegated to the said remedy but prays that the paper book of the present petition be sent to the Educational Tribunal Punjab so that the precious time of the Educational Tribunal is not wasted in completing the pleadings.

Learned counsel for the respondents raises no objection to the said prayer of the learned counsel for the petitioner.

Keeping in view the above, petitioner is relegated to avail appropriate remedy before the Educational Tribunal, Punjab.

Registry is directed to send the paper book of the present petition to the Educational Tribunal, Punjab to decide the claim of the petitioner.

Parties are directed to appear before the Educational Tribunal, Punjab on 20.01.2025.

Present petition is disposed of in above terms.

December 10, 2024

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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)

JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No