



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

1.

CWP- 2182-2018 (O&M)

RAKESH KUMAR AND OTHERS

...Petitioners

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANOTHER

...Respondents
2.

CWP-20968-2020 (O&M)

KULWINDER SINGH AND OTHERS

... Petitioners

V/S

STATE OF PUNJAB & OTHERS

... Respondents
3.

CWP-1881-2018

SUKHWINDER SINGH AND OTHERS

... Petitioners

V/S

STATE OF PUNJAB & ANOTHER

... Respondents

Date of Decision:28.10.2024

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Ms. Alka Chatrath, Advocate with Mr. Nishant Maini, Advocate
and Mr. Ratik Kapur, Advocate for the petitioner(s)
in CWPs-2182-2018 and 20968-2020.

Mr. R.C. Sharma, Advocate for the petitioners
in CWP-1881-2018.

Mr. Amar Preet Singh Bains, AAG, Punjab

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI, J.(ORAL)

In the present bunch of petitions, the petitioners are claiming
benefit of Assured Career Progression Scheme keeping in view the services

rendered by the petitioners, which benefit was being denied to them by the respondents on the ground that the services of the petitioners have been terminated and they are only continuing in service under the orders of the Court and hence, the benefit under the Assured Career Progression Scheme cannot be extended to them.

Keeping in view the order passed by this Court in the bunch of petitions in **CWP-2617-2017 titled as Satpal Sharma and others vs. State of Punjab and others, decided on 28.10.2024, along with other connected cases**, the order terminating the services of the petitioners has already been set aside and a direction has been given to the State to allow the petitioners to continue in service subject to certain conditions. Hence, the respondent-State is directed to consider the claim of the petitioners for the grant of benefit under the Assured Career Progression Scheme and pass an appropriate order within a period of 08 weeks from the date of the receipt of copy of this order and in case, it is found feasible to accept the claim of the petitioners, the same will be accepted, otherwise due reasons for not accepting the claim of the petitioners will be mentioned in the speaking order so passed, which order will be conveyed to the petitioners for their information and necessary action.

Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that keeping in view the direction given, no further grievance of the petitioners survives in the present petitions and the present petitions may kindly be disposed of having been not pressed any further.

Ordered accordingly.

Pending applications, if any, also stand disposed of.

CWP- 2182-2018 (O&M) &
connected cases



Photocopy of this order be placed on all the connected case
files, referred to above.

(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

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1. <i>Whether speaking/reasoned?</i>	Yes/no
2. Whether reportable?	Yes/No