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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP-22311-2024

Date of decision: 09.09.2024

KAILASH KUMAR NIJHAWAN AND OTHERS

...Petitioners

VERSUS

STATE OF HARYANA AND OTHERS

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASGURPREET SINGH PURI

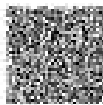
Present:- Ms. Lipika Mamli, Advocate
for the petitioners.

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 respondents to pay the arrears of pension of 6th Pay Commission to the petitioners w.e.f. 01.01.2006 to 31.03.2010, along with interest @ 18% per annum with all consequential benefits.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioners submitted that the petitioners had served a legal notice dated 05.08.2024 (Annexure P-5) to respondents No.2 to 6 but the same has not been considered and decided till date. She further submitted that at this stage, the petitioners will be satisfied in case the aforesaid legal notice dated 05.08.2024 (Annexure P-5) is considered and decided by respondents No.2 to 6 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 petitioners, 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.2-Director, Urban Local Bodies Department, Haryana/competent authority to consider and decide the legal notice dated 05.08.2024 (Annexure P-5) strictly in accordance with law and within a period of three months from today.

09.09.2024
Chetan Thakur

(JASGURPREET SINGH PURI)
JUDGE

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