

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

.....Respondent(s)

Learned counsel for the petitioner further submits that the Masters Degree of the petitioner in the subject of Zoology from Vinayaka

Mission University, Salem, Tamil Nadu is perfectly valid keeping in view the judgments of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India as well as this High Court, copy of which have been appended as Annexures P-8 to P-11 hence, the respondents are liable to be directed to consider the claim of the petitioner to the post of Lecturer Biology in view of the judgements appended as Annexures P-8 to P-11 and pass appropriate speaking order promoting the petitioner to the post of Lecturer Biology w.e.f the date employee junior to the petitioner has been promoted.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner has already raised the said grievance in the representation dated 04.09.2024 (Annexure P-12) and the petitioner will be satisfied in case a direction is issued to the respondents to decide the same by passing an appropriate speaking order in a time bound manner.

Notice of motion.

On the asking of the Court, Mr. Charanpreet Singh, Assistant Advocate General, Punjab, who is present in Court, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State and submits that in case, the representation dated 04.09.2024 (Annexure P-12) has been received in the office of the concerned authorities, the same will be decided by the competent authority within a period of eight weeks from the date of the receipt of certified copy of this order by passing an appropriate speaking order. Learned State counsel further submits that in case, it is found feasible to accept the claim of the petitioner, the same will be accepted, otherwise due reasons will be mentioned for not accepting the claim of the petitioner in the speaking order to be passed and the said order will be duly conveyed to the petitioner.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that keeping in view the statement of learned State counsel, the present petition may kindly be disposed of having been not pressed any further.

Ordered accordingly.

13-09-2024
Sapna Goyal

(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

NOTE: Whether speaking: YES/NO
 Whether reportable: YES/NO