

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CWP-28520 of 2023
Date of decision: 24.01.2024

Dev Raj 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 petitioners.
Mr. Arun Gupta, AAG, Punjab.

NAMIT KUMAR, J.

1. Present petition has been filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a writ in the nature of *mandamus* directing the respondents to consider the petitioners to be covered under old pension scheme and extending the benefits of old pension scheme instead of new pension scheme by considering their initial service rendered on Ad hoc/contract basis as qualifying service and to grant all the consequential service benefits arising therefrom to the petitioners.
2. After arguing the case for some time, learned counsel for the petitioners wishes to withdraw this petition with liberty to file fresh one on the same cause of action with better particulars.
3. Dismissed as withdrawn with aforesaid liberty.

24.01.2024
R.S.
(NAMIT KUMAR)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
Whether Reportable : Yes/No