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

CWP-32346-2024

Date of Decision: 02.12.2024

SURINDER PAL AND OTHERS

..... Petitioners

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAGMOHAN BANSAL

Present : Mr. Nitesh Singla, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Aman Dhir, DAG, Punjab.

JAGMOHAN BANSAL, J. (Oral)

1. The petitioners through instant petition under Article 226 of the Constitution of India are seeking direction to respondents to treat their date of promotion w.e.f. date their colleagues were promoted.

2. The petitioners are working as Head Constable with Punjab Police. They alongwith their colleagues were promoted to said post on 13.03.2022 (Annexure P-1). The petitioners could not be permitted to join promotional post on account of lapse on the part of respondents, though, their colleagues were permitted to join. There is no lapse on the part of petitioners still they have been considered as Head Constable w.e.f. their actual date of joining. They have served legal notice dated 12.07.2024 (Annexure P-2) upon respondents to consider them at par with their colleagues.

3. Notice of motion.



- 4. Mr. Aman Dhir, DAG, Punjab who on advance notice is present in Court, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State and waives service.
- 5. With consent of learned counsel for the parties, the case is taken up for final disposal.
- 6. Learned State counsel submits that Competent Authority would consider claim of the petitioners within 3 months from today.
- 7. Learned counsel for the petitioners agrees to aforesaid arrangement.
- 8. In the wake of statement of both sides, the present petition stands disposed of.

(JAGMOHAN BANSAL)
JUDGE

02.12.2024
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	Yes/No