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

(130)

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Date of Decision : December 11, 2024

Vijay Kumar and others

.. Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.. Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Mr. Jagjot Singh Lalli, Advocate, for the petitioners.

Mr. Arun Gupta, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab.

Mr. Manpreet S. Longia, Advocate,
for respondent No.6-PSPCL.**HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI J. (ORAL)**

1. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that the petitioners are entitled for the grant of pension after taking into account dearness allowance @ 125% instead of 113%.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioners further submits that the grievance raised in the present petition has already been raised by the petitioners in the legal notice dated 13.02.2023 (Annexure P-11) which is still pending consideration with the respondents and the petitioners will be satisfied at this stage in case a time bound direction is issued to the respondents to decide the said legal notice by passing an appropriate speaking order.

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3. Notice of motion.

4. Mr. Arun Gupta, learned Deputy Advocate General, Punjab, who is present in the Court, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents-State and Mr. Manpreet S. Longia, Advocate, accepts notice on behalf of respondent No.6-PSPCL.

5. Learned counsel for the respondents submits that in case the legal notice dated 13.02.2023 (Annexure P-11) has been received in the office of the concerned authorities and the same is still pending consideration with the authorities concerned, 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 and in case, after the decision any relief is to be extended to the petitioners, the same will be extended, otherwise due reasons will be mentioned in the speaking order to be passed for not accepting the claim of the petitioners for their information and necessary action.

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

7. Ordered accordingly.

December 11, 2024
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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

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