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

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Date of Decision: 12.12.2024**

Sneh Lata **...Petitioner(s)**

Versus

State of Haryana and others **...Respondent(s)**

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE TRIBHUVAN DAHIYA

Present:- Mr. Tejpal Singh Dhull, Advocate for the petitioner

TRIBHUVAN DAHIYA, J. (Oral)

This petition has been filed, *inter alia*, seeking a writ of *mandamus* directing the respondent Department to grant minimum regular pay scale to the petitioner, who is working as Extension Lecturer, at par with her counter part.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the issue raised in the petition already stands decided in the petitioners' favour vide judgment dated 28.11.2023 rendered by this Court in Civil Writ Petition No.1887 of 2019 titled *Kalyan Singh and others v. State of Haryana and others*. Still, the petitioner's claim has not been considered, nor has her representaion, dated 09.09.2024, Annexure P-6, been decided so far.

3. Notice of motion.

4. Mr. Rohit Arya, Deputy Advocate General, Haryana, accepts notice and submits that the pending representation, dated 09.09.2024, will be decided by the second respondent/Director General Higher Education, by



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passing a speaking order thereupon within a period of three months, keeping in view the law laid down in *Kalyan Singh* case (*supra*).

5. In view of the statement made, learned counsel for the petitioner has no objection to the petition being disposed of in terms thereof.

6. Ordered accordingly.

7. In case the order is not passed within the stipulated period, the officer concerned shall pay costs of ₹50,000 to the petitioner.

(TRIBHUVAN DAHIYA)
JUDGE

12.12.2024
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<i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>