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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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Date of Decision :16.12.2024

Tarun Sharma and others

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Mr. Sube S. Kaushik, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. Satnam Preet Singh Chauhan, DAG, Punjab.

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Harsimran Singh Sethi, J. (Oral)

Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that the petitioners are entitled for the grant of benefit of the judgment of this Court in **CWP-15896-2023 titled as Saurabh Sharma and others vs. State of Punjab and another, decided on 13.09.2024** according to which, the pay scale admissible to an employee under the statutory rules is to be granted to them and not as per the instructions issued by the Government of Punjab dated 17.07.2020 (Annexure P/11) hence, the petitioners are also entitled for the grant of the said benefit as extended by this Court in the case of **Saurabh Sharma (supra)** especially when the said judgment has already been upheld by the Division Bench of this Court in LPA No.2977-2024 on 10.12.2024.

Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that the petitioners have already raised the said grievance in the various representations including representation 09.08.2024 (Annexure P/20) with the respondents,



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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 representation.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Satnam Preet Singh Chauhan, DAG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of respondents.

Learned counsel for the respondent-State submits that in case, the representation 09.08.2024 (Annexure P/20) has been filed by the petitioners, the same will be decided in accordance with law by passing an appropriate speaking order within a period of 08 weeks from the date of the receipt of copy of this order and in case, it is found feasible to accept the claim of the petitioners, the same will be accepted, otherwise due reasons for not accepting the claim of the petitioners will be mentioned in the speaking order so passed, which order will be conveyed to the petitioners for their information and necessary action.

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

Ordered accordingly.

December 16, 2024
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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

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