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

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Date of Decision :10.01.2025

Sukhdev Raj and another**...Petitioners****Versus****State of Haryana and others****....Respondents****CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI**

Present: Mr. Baldev Singh Dhillon, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. Gaurav Jindal, Addl. A.G. Haryana
(keeping in view advance copy served).

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Harsimran Singh Sethi, J. (Oral)

1. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that the petitioner's provident fund has not been deposited correctly by the respondents No.4 to 7, which is causing prejudice to the petitioners but no action is being taken by the Provident Fund Authority on the said default on the part of respondents No.4 to 7. Further prayer of the petitioners is that the respondents No.4 to 7 be directed to determine and deposit the provident fund amount of the petitioners from the date of joining till date as per the provisions of the Employees Provident Funds and Miscellaneous Provisions Act, 1952.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that the petitioners have already raised the said grievance in the legal notice dated 02.12.2024



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(Annexure P/6), 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.

3. At this stage, it is not necessary to hear the respondents.

4. Keeping in view the above, present petition is disposed of with the direction to respondents No.2 and 3 that in case, a legal notice dated 02.12.2024 (Annexure P/6) has been received in their office and is still pending consideration, appropriate speaking order on the same will be passed within a period of 08 weeks from the date of receipt of copy of this order and in case, the petitioners are found entitled for the relief, the same be extended to them otherwise, due reasons for not accepting the claim of the petitioners be mentioned in the speaking order so passed, which will be conveyed to the petitioners for their information and necessary action.

January 10, 2025
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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

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