



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

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CWP-2379-2025

Date of Decision: 29.01.2025

NITI RANI AND ANOTHER

...Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF HARYANA AND OTHERS

...Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE TRIBHUVAN DAHIYA

Present:- Mr. Nishant Sindhu, Advocate for
Mr. Rohit Kataria, Advocate
for the petitioners.

TRIBHUVAN DAHIYA, J. (Oral)

This petition has been filed, *inter alia*, seeking a writ of *mandamus* directing the respondents to implement Rule 12 of the Haryana Civil Services (Assured Career Progression) Rules, 2016 to step up the pay of the petitioners at par with their juniors, who have been promoted as Principal with effect from 17.06.2022.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that grievance raised herein is pending for appropriate decision before the respondents. At this stage, the petitioners will be satisfied in case respondent No.3 is directed to decide the pending representation, dated 21.12.2024, Annexure P-9, in a specified period.

3. Notice of motion.

4. Mr. Rohit Arya, DAG, Haryana, accepts notice and submits that the pending representation dated 21.12.2024 shall be decided by the third respondent/Director, Secondary Education expeditiously.
5. In view thereof, without going into merits of the case, the petition is disposed of with a direction to the third respondent/Director, Secondary Education, Haryana, to consider and decide the pending representation, dated 21.12.2024, by passing a speaking order in accordance with law, within a period of three months from the date of receiving a certified copy of this order.
6. In case the order is not passed within the stipulated period, the officer concerned shall pay costs of ₹50,000 to the petitioners.

(TRIBHUVAN DAHIYA)
JUDGE

29.01.2025
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No