

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

2025:PHHC:065818



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CWP-12059-2001 (O&M)

Decided on : 16.05.2025

Joginder Nath & others

.....Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana & others

.....Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE TRIBHUVAN DAHIYA

Present: None for the petitioners.

Mr.Harish Nain, AAG, Haryana.

TRIBHUVAN DAHIYA, J. (Oral)

The petition has been filed *inter alia* seeking writ of *mandamus* directing the respondents to grant one increment for higher responsibility to the petitioners on promotion to the post of Head Teacher.

2. Learned State Counsel contends that the prayer made is not maintainable in terms of the law laid down by the Division Bench in LPA-1654-2019 titled *Satish Chander v. State of Haryana & another*, decided on 02.12.2019, holding that an employee who has been given the benefit of ACP pay-grades will not be entitled to additional increment, as granting the grades is on the presumption of higher responsibility. The petitioners have already been given the benefit of ACP grades, therefore they cannot claim additional increment.

3. In view thereof, there is no merit in the instant petition and it stands dismissed.

May 16, 2025

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(TRIBHUVAN DAHIYA)

JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned :

Yes

Whether Reportable :

Yes/No