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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

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CWP-3552-2025 (O & M)
Date of decision: 07.02.2025

Sunita Rani and another

....Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and Others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMAN CHAUDHARY

Present : Ms. Nishta Garg, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

Mr. Amarpeet Singh Bains, AAG, Punjab.

(hybrid mode)

AMAN CHAUDHARY, J. (ORAL)

1. Prayer made in the present petition is for directing the respondents to grant the benefit under the Old Pension Scheme (OPS) to the petitioners.

2. The petitioners are stated to have been recommended for compassionate appointment prior to 01.01.2004, as has been stated in para 4 of the petition, however, they were issued appointment letters in 2006, thus, are entitled for the benefit under OPS, regarding which, a legal notice dated 17.12.2024, Annexure P-5, has been served upon the respondents, which has yet not evoked any response. She, on instructions, prays that a direction may be given to the respondents to decide the same in a time bound manner, to which learned State counsel has no objection.

3. In view of the above and without commenting upon the merits of the case, this petition is hereby disposed of with a direction to the respondents to decide the legal notice dated 17.12.2024, Annexure P-5, expeditiously, in accordance with law.

07.02.2025

parveen kumar

(AMAN CHAUDHARY)

JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes / No

Whether reportable : Yes / No