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

(258)**CWP-22853-2021****Date of Decision : January 28, 2025****Mamta****.. Petitioner****Versus****State of Haryana and others****.. Respondents****CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI**

Present: Mr. Deepanshu Mehta, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Naveen Singh Panwar, DAG, Haryana.

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI J. (ORAL)

1. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that appropriate direction be issued to the respondent-authorities concerned, who are responsible for disbursing the compensation under welfare scheme qua insurance and funeral assistance qua the death occurred during Covid-19 and to decide the claim of the petitioner who is claiming compensation qua the death of her husband who died due to infection during Covid-19 in a time bound manner so that the petitioner-widow does not suffer any further prejudice.

2. Learned State counsel submits that the competent authority of the Board constituted to identify the eligible persons for the grant of compensation, who had died during Covid and appropriate consideration

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will be given to the claim of the petitioner-widow and an appropriate speaking order will be passed on the claim of the petitioner within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of copy of this order and in case, it is found that the petitioner is entitled for any relief, the same will be granted to her otherwise due reasons will be mentioned in the speaking order to be passed for not accepting the claim of the petitioner, which reasons will be conveyed to the petitioner for her information and necessary action.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that keeping in view the statement of learned State counsel, the present writ petition may kindly be disposed of having been not pressed any further.

4. Ordered accordingly.

January 28, 2025*harsha***(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)****JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes

Whether reportable : No