



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

CWP-27093-2025

Date of Decision:11.09.2025

Gurdeep Singh and Others

...Petitioners

Vs.

State of Punjab and Anr.

...Respondents

Coram : Hon'ble Mr. Justice N.S.Shekhawat

Present : Mr. Gauravjit Singh Patwalia, Advocate with
Ms. Lagan Kaur Sidhu, Advocate
for the petitioners.

N.S.Shekhawat J. (Oral)

1. The petitioners have filed the present writ petition under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India with a prayer to issue a writ in the nature of Mandamus directing the respondents to consider the promotion of the petitioners to the post of Laboratory Attendant.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that the petitioners have already served a legal notice dated 23.07.2025 (Annexure P-5) on the respondents, claiming the relief, as prayed in the instant writ petition. However, no decision has been conveyed to the petitioners so far. He further submits that he shall be satisfied in case, appropriate directions are issued to the respondent No.2 to decide the claim of the petitioners in a time bound manner.

3. Notice of motion.

4. On the asking of the Court, Mr. Swapan Shorey, DAG, Punjab, who is present in the Court, accepts notice on behalf of the official respondents and has no serious objection to the limited prayer made by learned counsel for the petitioners, at this stage.

5. I have heard learned counsel for the parties and perused the record carefully.

6. In view of the submissions made by learned counsel for the parties, respondent No.2 is directed to decide the legal notice dated 23.07.2025 (Annexure P-5) submitted by the petitioners, within a period of four months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order by passing a speaking and well reasoned order.

7. It is expected that the respondent No.2 shall take into consideration the relevant rules/instructions in this regard.

8. Disposed of.

11.09.2025
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(N.S.SHEKHAWAT)
JUDGE

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