



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

HARI DUTT AND ORS

VERSUS

STATE OF HARYANA AND ORS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANDEEP MOUDGIL

SANDEEP MOUDGIL, J (ORAL)

This writ petition has been filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus directing the Respondents to grant the benefit of proportional increment to the petitioners for the service rendered by them after getting their last increment, as per law laid down by the Apex Court in case titled as "***The Director (Admn. And HR) KPTCL & Ors. Versus C.P. Mundinamani and others***", Civil Appeal No.2471 of 2023 (P-2), decided on 11.04.2023 and in case titled as '***Union of India and another Vs. M. Siddaraj***' SLP (C) No.4722 of 2021 decided on 19.05.2023 (P-3) and in view of further orders dated 06.09.2024 (P-4) and 20.02.2025 (P-5) passed by the Apex Court and accordingly revise and release the retiral benefits of petitioners along with arrears @18% per annum from the date they became due till actual realization;

2. At the outset, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that he will be satisfied, in case a direction is issued to respondent-State to consider the legal notice dated 27.08.2025 (Annexure P-6) within a time bound manner.
3. Notice of motion.
4. Mr. Deepak Balyan, Addl. A.G., Haryana accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State and assures the Court that the legal notice dated 27.08.2025 shall be decided by passing a speaking order in accordance with law.
5. In view of the above, and without advertng to the merits of the case, the respondent-State is directed to consider and decide the legal notice dated 27.08.2025 (P-6), after providing opportunity of hearing to the petitioner, by passing a speaking order in accordance with law within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.
6. A copy of order so passed be supplied to the petitioner within seven days thereafter.
7. Petition stands disposed of in the aforesaid terms.

(SANDEEP MOUDGIL)
JUDGE

18.11.2025
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Whether speaking/reasoned : *Yes/No*
Whether reportable : *Yes/No*