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

**CWP-27970-2025 (O&M)
Date of decision: 30.09.2025**

Veera Devi

... Petitioner

Vs.

Uttar Haryana Bijli Vitran Nigam Ltd. and others

... Respondents

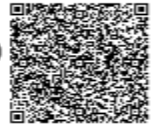
CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARPREET SINGH BRAR

Present: Mr. Sudhir Rana, Advocate
for the petitioner.

HARPREET SINGH BRAR, J. (ORAL)

1. Present civil writ petition has been filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a writ in the nature of *mandamus* directing the respondents to grant the benefit of Personal Accidental Death Cover of Rs.30.00 lakhs to the petitioner on account of death of her husband, namely Subhash Chander, who was regular employee of respondent-Corporation and died due to electrocution while on duty and further to direct the respondents to consider and decide the legal notice dated 05.07.2025 (Annexure P-6) in a time bound manner.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that at this stage, the petitioner would be satisfied, if the legal notice dated 05.07.2025 (Annexure



P-6) is decided by respondents No.3 & 4, by passing a speaking order, after affording an opportunity of hearing, in a time bound manner.

3. Notice of motion.

4. Mr. Prince Singh, Advocate accepts notice on behalf of respondents No.1 & 2 and he has no objection, in case a direction is issued to respondents No.3 & 4 to consider and decide the legal notice dated 05.07.2025 (Annexure P-6), in a time bound manner, by passing a speaking order.

5. In view of the limited prayer made by learned counsel for the petitioner, present petition is disposed of and respondents No.3 & 4 are directed to consider and decide the legal notice dated 05.07.2025 (Annexure P-6) and pass a speaking order, after affording an opportunity of hearing to the petitioner, within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

6. Further, the decision taken on the legal notice dated 05.07.2025 (Annexure P-6) shall be conveyed to the petitioner.

7. Needless to say, if the petitioner is found entitled to the relief sought, the same be granted to her forthwith by the competent authority.

30.09.2025
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[HARPREET SINGH BRAR]
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No