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

**CWP-32781-2025 (O&M)
Date of decision: 10.11.2025**

Sweta Rani

... Petitioner

Vs.

Uttar Haryana Bijli Vitran Nigam Limited and others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARPREET SINGH BRAR

Present: Ms. Lovedeep Kaur, Advocate for
Mr. Arihant Goyal, 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 *certiorari* seeking quashing of the order dated 24.04.2019 (Annexure P-15) passed by respondent No.3, vide which claim of husband of the petitioner was rejected and further to issue a writ in the nature of *mandamus* directing the respondents to to grant the benefit of ACP in favour of her husband, as granted to similarly situated persons, in view of the judgment dated

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09.02.2016 rendered by this Court in **CWP-6225-2013** titled as ***Roshan Lal and others Vs. Haryana Vidyut Prasaran Nigam Limited and others*** (Annexure P-10), which has been upheld by the Division Bench in **LPA-1430-2016**, decided on 02.03.2017 (Annexure P-11) and also to make the payment of arrears along with interest.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that at this stage, the petitioner would be satisfied, if the legal notice dated 28.07.2025 (Annexure P-19) served upon the respondents is decided by respondent No.2, by passing a speaking order, after affording an opportunity of hearing, in a time bound manner.

3. Notice of motion.

4. At this stage, Mr. Pankaj Midha, Advocate appears and accepts notice on behalf of the respondents and he has no objection, in case a direction is issued to respondent No.2 to consider and decide the legal notice dated 28.07.2025 (Annexure P-19), 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 respondent No.2 is directed to consider and decide the legal notice dated 28.07.2025 (Annexure P-19) and pass a speaking order, after affording an opportunity of hearing to the petitioner, within a period of three months from the date of receipt of certified

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copy of this order.

6. Further, the decision taken on the legal notice dated 28.07.2025 (Annexure P-19) 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.

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[HARPREET SINGH BRAR]
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No