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

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Date of decision: 09.04.2026

Navsher Singh

....Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab and others

....Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE NAMIT KUMAR

Present: Mr. Vipin Mahajan, Sr. Advocate,
with Ms. Gaganbir Kaur Kahlon, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Swapan Shorey, DAG, Punjab.

NAMIT KUMAR, J. (ORAL)

1. Instant petition has been filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India seeking a writ of mandamus directing the respondents to consider the case of the petitioner for appointment on compassionate grounds on account of death of his father late Sh. Nirlep Singh, who was serving as DSP at the time of his death.
2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that to claim the aforesaid benefit petitioner has served legal notice dated 17.01.2026 (Annexure P-9) upon the respondents, however, no action has been taken thereon till date. Learned counsel for the petitioner confines his prayer for deciding legal notice dated 17.01.2026 (Annexure P-9) and submits that at this stage, petitioner would be satisfied, if the said legal

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notice is considered and decided by passing a speaking order in a time-bound frame.

3. Notice of motion.

4. Mr. Swapan Shorey, DAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents and has no objection to the innocuous prayer made by learned counsel for the petitioner.

5. I have heard learned counsel for the parties and have gone through the record of the case.

6. Without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case or the claim being made by the petitioner in the present petition, respondent No.4 is directed to consider and decide the claim made by the petitioner in the legal notice dated 17.01.2026 (Annexure P-9) in accordance with law, by passing a speaking order within a period of three months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

7. The petition stands disposed of.

09.04.2026

R.S.

(NAMIT KUMAR)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:

Yes/No

Whether Reportable:

Yes/No