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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

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Date of decision : 10.04.2026

Harminder Singh Goraya ...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others ...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPINDER SINGH NALWA

Present: Mr. Balbir Singh Jaswal, Advocate for the petitioner.

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DEEPINDER SINGH NALWA, J. (Oral)

1. In the present writ petition, the petitioner is praying for issuance of a writ in the nature of Mandamus directing the respondents to release the salary of the period from 01.08.2008 to 28.02.2009 and also the enhanced gratuity and other benefits.

2. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner submits that in light of the judgment passed by this Court in **CWP-4829-2011 (and other connected cases)** titled as **SI Pardeep Singh and others Vs. State of Punjab and others** decided on 16.12.2014, the father of the petitioner has been granted the benefit of seniority and promotion from the date it was due. He submits that although the case of the father of the petitioner has been recommended for grant of salary for the period from 01.08.2008 to 28.02.2009 along with enhanced gratuity and other benefits, however, no benefits have been released till date. Learned counsel, on instructions from the petitioner, submits that the petitioner would be satisfied if at this stage,

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a direction is given to respondents No.4 to 6 to consider and decide the legal notice dated 02.02.2026 (Annexure P-6) served by the petitioner in a time-bound manner.

3. Notice of motion.

4. Mr. Rohit Ahuja, DAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents-State and does not oppose the prayer made by the learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner.

5. In view of the above and without commenting upon the merits of the case, the present petition is hereby disposed of with a direction to respondents No.4 to 6 to consider and decide the legal notice dated 02.02.2026 (Annexure P-6) served by the petitioner, in accordance with law/rules, within a period of 01 month from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order. In case, the petitioner is held entitled for grant of relief as claimed in the legal notice, the same be granted to him within a period of 01 month, thereafter.

6. Registry is directed to send a copy of this order to respondent No.6 for compliance.

7. Pending application(s), if any, shall also stand(s) disposed of.

10.04.2026 **(DEEPINDER SINGH NALWA)**
Ramandeep Singh **JUDGE**

Whether speaking / reasoned : Yes No
Whether Reportable : Yes No

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