



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

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CWP-13194-2026

Date of decision: 30.04.2026

Avtar Kaur

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE NAMIT KUMAR

Present : Mr. Narinder Sharma, Advocate and
Mr. Shalinder Kalia, Advocate for the petitioner.

NAMIT KUMAR, J. (ORAL)

1. The present petition has been filed by the petitioner under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India, seeking a writ of mandamus, directing the respondents to revise/re-fix pay/pension and pensionary benefits and arrears thereof of the petitioner as recommended by 6th Punjab Pay Commission and implemented for Government Teachers (Annexure P-1) and accepted/approved by the Government of Punjab in accordance with notification dated 27.06.2024 (Annexure P-4) for aided school teachers and further directing the respondents to release the same along with interest @ 18% from the date when it becomes due till its realisation.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that for redressal of her grievances, the petitioner has also served a legal notice dated 07.03.2026 (Annexure P-9) to the respondents which is still pending consideration. He further submits that at this stage, the petitioner would be satisfied, if appropriate directions are issued to the

respondents to consider and decide the said legal notice, by passing a speaking order, in a time bound manner.

- 3. Notice of motion to the official respondents only.
- 4. On receipt of advance copy, Mr. Siddharth Sandhu, AAG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the official respondents. He 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 going into the merits of the case at this stage, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2 to decide the legal notice dated 07.03.2026 (Annexure P-9) submitted by the petitioner expeditiously, by passing a speaking order after affording an opportunity of hearing to her, preferably within a period of 03 months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order. Further, the decision taken thereon shall be conveyed to the petitioner.

30.04.2026

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(NAMIT KUMAR)
JUDGE

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