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

**CWP-24466-2025(O&M)**

**Date of Decision:30.09.2025**

Jatinder Kaur

...Petitioner

vs.

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

**Coram :** Hon'ble Mr. Justice N.S.Shekhawat

**Present :** Mr. Ranjit Singh Sidhu, Advocate  
for the petitioner.

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**N.S.Shekhawat J. (Oral)**

1. The petitioner has filed the present petition under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India with a prayer to issue a writ in the nature of mandamus directing the respondents to give notional date of joining to the petitioner to the post of Math Mistress w.e.f. 12.01.2018 i.e. the date when the petitioner was supposed to join the school as Math Mistress, but due to delay on the part of the respondent to allow her to join and ignoring the right of the petitioner and to re-fix the seniority of the petitioner as per her appointment letter dated 13.02.2018, by placing her above all candidates, who were permitted to join after the said date alongwith all benefits of promotion including arrears of pay, increments, Seniority and all other subsequent benefits alongwith interest @ 12 % per annum.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner has already served a legal notice dated 17.07.2025 (Annexure P-10) to the respondents and at this stage, he shall be satisfied in case, appropriate directions

are issued to respondents to decide the legal notice dated 17.07.2025 (Annexure P-10) in a time bound manner.

3. Notice of motion.

4. On the asking of the Court, Mr. Satnampreet Singh Chauhan, DAG, Punjab, who is present in the Court, accepts notice on behalf of the official respondents and has no serious objection to the limited prayer made by learned counsel for the petitioner.

5. I have heard learned counsel for the parties and perused the record carefully.

6. At this stage, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2 to decide a legal notice dated 17.07.2025 (Annexure P-10) submitted by the petitioner, within a period of 04 months, from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order by passing a speaking and well reasoned order.

7. Disposed of.

8. Pending application stands also disposed of.

30.09.2025  
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(N.S.SHEKHAWAT)  
JUDGE

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