



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

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CWP-13958-2025 (O&M)
Date of decision: 15.05.2025

Akanksha Garg and Others

....Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and Others

...Respondents

CWP-14003-2025 (O&M)

Arpinder Pal Singh and Others

....Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and Others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMAN CHAUDHARY

Present : Mr. Parvesh K. Saini and Mr. Ashutosh Bhardwaj, Advocates
for the petitioners

Mr. Charanpreet Singh, AAG Punjab

AMAN CHAUDHARY, J. (ORAL)

1. Both the cases involve similar issues and therefore, are being disposed of together by this common order.
2. Prayer made in the present petitions is for directing the respondents to grant the pay scale as per the statutory rules with regard to which reliance is placed on the judgment of this Court in **Saurabh Sharma and others vs. State of Punjab and another**, CWP-15896-2023, which was allowed on 13.09.2024 against which LPA-2977-2024 has also been dismissed on 10.12.2024. Regarding the claim raised in the present petitions, representations dated 20.02.2025, Annexure P-10 and 10.03.2025, Annexure P-21, have been submitted, which have

yet not evoked any response. He, on instructions, prays that a direction may be given to the respondents to decide the same keeping in view the aforesaid judgment, in a time bound manner, to which learned State counsel has no objection.

3. In view of the above and without commenting upon the merits of the case, the petitions are hereby disposed of with a direction to the respondents to decide the representations dated 20.02.2025 and 10.03.2025, taking note of the aforesaid judgment, within a period of 6 months, which this Court has no reason to believe the authorities would not address in a just, fair and reasonable manner. Upon doing so, after notice and hearing offered to them and if found entitled, grant the benefit forthwith. Needless to say, if the orders are adverse to their interest, the same shall contain reasons and the petitioners shall be free to seek legal redress thereupon.

4. A photocopy of this order be placed on the file of connected case.

(AMAN CHAUDHARY)
JUDGE

15.05.2025
M.Kamra

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