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

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Date of Decision :01.08.2024

Davinder Kumar Bansal

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Mr. Surinder Garg, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Amar Preet Singh Bains, AAG, Punjab  
(keeping in view advance copy served)

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**Harsimran Singh Sethi, J. (Oral)**

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is working as Assistant Engineer (Civil) with the respondents but he is not being granted the benefit of further promotion on the ground that the seniority in the cadre of junior Engineer has not been finalized yet though, a tentative seniority list has been issued on 12.04.2022 against which, the petitioner has already raised appropriate objections.

Learned counsel for the petitioner further submits that non-finalizing of seniority list is causing prejudice to the petitioner and hence, respondents be directed to decide the same expeditiously.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that petitioner has already raised the said grievance before the respondents by way of serving a legal notice dated 28.05.2024 (Annexure P/14), which is still pending

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consideration and the petitioner will be satisfied at this stage, in case, a time bound direction is issued to the respondents to decide the said legal notice.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Amar Preet Singh Bains, AAG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State and submits that in case, the legal notice dated 28.05.2024 (Annexure P/14) has been received from the petitioner, the same will be decided in accordance with law and an appropriate order will be passed within a period of 08 weeks from the date of receipt of copy of this order and in case, it is found feasible to grant the relief to the petitioner, the same will be extended to him otherwise, due reasons for not accepting the claim of the petitioner will be mentioned in the speaking order so passed, which will be conveyed to the petitioner.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that keeping in view the statement made by learned counsel for the respondents, present petition may kindly be disposed of having been not pressed any further.

Ordered accordingly.

**August 01, 2024**  
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**(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)**  
**JUDGE**

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