

IN THE HIGH COURT OF HIMACHAL PRADESH AT SHIMLA

**CWP No.4131 of 2021 and
connected matters.**

Decided on: 29th October, 2024

1. CWP No. 4131 of 2021

Narender Pal and othersPetitioners
Versus
State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

2. CWP No. 4005 of 2021

Sanjay Sharma and othersPetitioners
Versus
State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

3. CWP No. 4121 of 2021

Hardeep Kaur and othersPetitioners
Versus
State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

4. CWP No. 4809 of 2021

Jeet Kumar and othersPetitioners
Versus
State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

5. CWP No. 5374 of 2021

Manorma SinghPetitioner
Versus
State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

6. CWP No. 5442 of 2021

Bhagi RathPetitioner

Versus

State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

7. CWP No. 5443 of 2021

Manju BalaPetitioner

Versus

State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

8. CWP No. 5505 of 2021

ManjushaPetitioner

Versus

State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

9. CWP No. 5508 of 2021

Vijay KumarPetitioner

Versus

State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

10. CWP No. 5544 of 2021

Surender KumarPetitioner

Versus

State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

11. CWP No. 5636 of 2021

Lalita SharmaPetitioner

Versus

State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

12. CWP No. 5694 of 2021

Sunita Kumari SharmaPetitioner
Versus
State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

13. CWP No. 5698 of 2021

Sudarshan GautamPetitioner
Versus
State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

14. CWP No. 5862 of 2021

Kusam KumariPetitioner
Versus
State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

15. CWP No. 5879 of 2021

Shashi AnandPetitioner
Versus
State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

16. CWP No. 6139 of 2021

Reena BangaPetitioner
Versus
State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

17. CWP No. 6142 of 2021

Saroj ThakurPetitioner
Versus
State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

18. CWP No. 6153 of 2021

Kusum LataPetitioner

Versus

State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

19. CWP No. 6859 of 2021

PoonamPetitioner

Versus

State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

20. CWP No. 6861 of 2021

Chander KiranPetitioner

Versus

State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

21. CWP No. 6900 of 2021

Panna LalPetitioner

Versus

State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

22. CWP No. 7323 of 2021

Murari Lal Sharma and othersPetitioners

Versus

State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

23. CWP No. 1254 of 2022

Ranjeet SinghPetitioner

Versus

State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

24. CWP No. 1258 of 2022

Sanjay KumarPetitioner

Versus

State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

25. CWP No. 1262 of 2022

Virender ThakurPetitioner

Versus

State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

26. CWP No. 1264 of 2022

Sunil KumarPetitioner

Versus

State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

27. CWP No. 1268 of 2022

Rakesh KumarPetitioner

Versus

State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

28. CWP No. 1270 of 2022

Kamal KumarPetitioner

Versus

State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

29. CWP No. 1273 of 2022

Murli ChandPetitioner

Versus

State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

30. CWP No. 1274 of 2022

Navneet ThakurPetitioner

Versus

State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

31. CWP No. 1276 of 2022

Shashi BalaPetitioner

Versus

State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

32. CWP No. 1421 of 2022

Jeewna SharmaPetitioner

Versus

State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

33. CWP No. 1422 of 2022

Ghanshyam ThakurPetitioner

Versus

State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

34. CWP No. 1423 of 2022

Rakesh GuptaPetitioner

Versus

State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

35. CWP No. 1429 of 2022

Arvind KumarPetitioner

Versus

State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

36. CWP No. 1430 of 2022

Ajay KumarPetitioner

Versus

State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

37. CWP No. 1431 of 2022

VikasPetitioner

Versus

State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

38. CWP No. 1432 of 2022

Minu SharmaPetitioner

Versus

State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

39. CWP No. 1433 of 2022

Sulochna SharmaPetitioner

Versus

State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

40. CWP No. 11127 of 2024

Klip Singh and othersPetitioners

Versus

State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

41. CWP No. 5617 of 2021

Ravi KantPetitioner

Versus

State of H.P.& Ors.Respondents

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Ms. Justice Jyotsna Rewal Dua

¹ *Whether approved for reporting?*

For the petitioners: Mr. Adarsh K. Vashista, Advocate.

For the respondents: Mr. L.N.Sharma, Additional Advocate General.

Jyotsna Rewal Dua, Judge

Heard.

2. These writ petitions have been filed for grant of following common substantive relief: -

“(i) *That a writ in the nature of mandamus may kindly be issued directing the Respondents to count the services rendered by the Petitioners on contract basis prior to their regularization as qualifying service for the purpose of pension under CCS Pension Rules, 1972 and for the purpose of annual increments, in the interest of justice.”*

3. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that the issue raised in these writ petitions has already been adjudicated in *Budhi Singh & Ors Vs. State of H.P. & Ors.* CWP No. 10911 of 2024, decided on 21.10.2024.

4. Admittedly, the petitioners have invoked extra

¹ *Whether reporters of Local Papers may be allowed to see the judgment? yes*

ordinary jurisdiction of this Court under Article 226 of the Constitution of India without even preferring any representation(s) to the competent authority for the redressal of their grievances raised in these writ petitions.

5. Confronted with above, learned counsel for the petitioners submitted that the petitioners would be preferring representation(s) within three weeks from today. In case such a representation(s) is/are so made, the same shall be decided by the competent authority in accordance with law within a period of six weeks thereafter. The order so passed shall also be communicated to the petitioners.

The writ petitions stand disposed of in the above terms, so also the pending miscellaneous application(s), if any.

Jyotsna Rewal Dua
Judge

October 29, 2024

R. Atal