

Court No. - 36

Case :- WRIT - A No. - 18955 of 2023

Petitioner :- Dinesh Kumar

Respondent :- State of U.P. and Another

Counsel for Petitioner :- Chandra Jeet Yeadav

Counsel for Respondent :- C.S.C., Devesh Vikram

Hon'ble Manjive Shukla, J.

1. Heard learned counsel appearing for the petitioner, learned Standing Counsel appearing for the Respondent No. 1 and Mr. Devesh Vikram, learned counsel appearing for the Respondents No. 2.

2. Learned counsel appearing for the petitioner has submitted that petitioner after working on the post of Assistant Teacher in Senior Basic School of District Meerut has retired from service on 31.03.2022.

3. Learned counsel appearing for the petitioner has further submitted that all other post retiral dues have been paid to the petitioner except the gratuity.

4. Learned counsel appearing for the petitioner has invited attention of this court towards representation dated 10.04.2023 submitted by the petitioner to District Basic Education Officer, Meerut, whereby request for payment of gratuity amount has been made but till date the said representation has not been decided.

5. On the other hand Mr. Devesh Vikram, learned counsel appearing for the Respondent No. 2 has raised doubt regarding entitlement of the petitioner for gratuity amount.

6. Be that as it may, once petitioner has submitted a representation to the District Basic Education Officer, Meerut then the said representation should have been decided.

7. In the aforesaid circumstances, without entering into merits of the case, this writ petition is finally ***disposed of*** with a direction to Respondent No. 2 to consider and decide petitioner's representation dated 10.04.2022 contained in Annexure No. 4 to the writ petition, within a period of two months from the date of service of certified copy of this order.

Order Date :- 9.11.2023/Gaurav