

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

CWP-5710-1997 (O&M)
Date of decision : 06.05.2015

S.N. Juneja

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and another

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present: Mr. Anil Khetarpal, Sr. Advocate,
with Mr. Sandeep Bansal, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Saurabh Mohunta, DAG, Haryana.

JITENDRA CHAUHAN, J. (Oral)

By way of the present writ petition filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India, the petitioner has prayed for release of all pensionary benefits.

The petitioner, who was a retiree, has since died, is being represented through his legal representatives.

The learned counsel for the petitioner states that though, the entire payment has been released, but the same has been released belatedly. Thus, the learned counsel states that no interest has been paid on the delayed payment. He states that the case of the petitioner is covered by *The Financial Commissioner, Haryana Vs. Hasan Singh*

Kanwar, 2010(1) SLR 788.

In the circumstances, the present petition is allowed and the petitioner, through his legal representatives, is held entitled to interest @ 8% p.a. on his retiral dues, from the date of his retirement till the date of payment of the retiral dues. The amount be paid to the legal representatives on furnishing succession certificate issued by the competent authority, within a period of four months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

The writ petition is allowed in the above terms.

06.05.2015

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(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE