

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

CWP-15518-2015 (O&M)
Date of decision : 31.07.2015

Santokh Singh Sandhu

...Petitioner

Versus

Chief Manager, Oriental Insurance Co. Ltd. and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present: Mr. Aayush Gupta, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

JITENDRA CHAUHAN, J.

Prayer in the present petition filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India, is for issuance of a direction to the respondents to grant the pension to the petitioner along with arrears of pension from the date of retirement i.e. 27.02.2004.

The learned counsel submits that the case of the petitioner is squarely covered by the ratio of law laid down in SLP (C) 9953 of 2008 decided on 10.01.2014.

Having regard to the nature of the order being passed, there appears to be no necessity to call upon the respondents to file their counter replies/affidavits, at this stage.

In the circumstances, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to the competent authority, to examine the case of the petitioner as to whether it is covered by the ratio of law laid down in

SLP (C) 9953 of 2008 (ibid) and accordingly decide the legal notice dated 09.05.2015 (Annexure P-7) within a period of two months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order. If the case of the petitioner is covered, the consequential benefits be released to the petitioner within a period of two months thereafter.

Disposed of.

31.07.2015

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(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE