

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

CWP No.15996 of 2015 (O&M)

Date of decision: 05.08.2015

Churiya Ram

...Petitioner

Versus

Oriental Bank of Commerce and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present: Mr. Naveen Daryal, Advocate for the petitioner.

Jitendra Chauhan, J. (Oral)

By way of the present petition, the petitioner seeks issuance of directions to the respondents to release the pensionary benefits i.e., pension, gratuity, GIS, leave encashment etc., along with interest @ 18% p.a., from the accrual till the date of realization.

The learned counsel for the petitioners states that petitioner was compulsorily retired on 24.08.2010. The gratuity was released on 23.03.2011. The other pensionary benefits have not been released so far. No interest on the delayed payment has been paid. For the redressal of his grievance, the petitioner has also served a legal notice dated 31.03.2014 (Annexure P-6), however the same has not been decided so far.

Keeping in view the prayer made in the petition, without advertng to the merits of the case, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to the competent authority, to decide the legal notice, Annexure P-6, by examining as to whether the case of the petitioner is covered by the ratio of law laid down in **The Financial Commissioner and Principal Secretary to Govt. of Haryana, Irrigation Department, Civil Secretariat, Chandigarh Vs. Hasan Singh Kanwar, 2010(1) SLR 788 and A.J. Randhawa Vs. State of Punjab, 1998(1) SCT 343**, within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order and if the answer is in affirmative, then the necessary benefits be released to the petitioner within a period of six weeks thereafter.

05.08.2015

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**(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE**