

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

**CWP NO. 20806 OF 2014
Date of decision: 4.02.2015**

Satyawanti

.....Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

Coram: Hon'ble Mr. Justice Amol Rattan Singh

Present: Mr. Vivek Sharma, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Puneet Kaur Sekhon, Addl.A.G., Punjab.

Mr. Vishnav Gandhi, Advocate
for respondents No. 4 and 5.

Amol Rattan Singh, J.(Oral)

As per letter/communication dated 30.01.2015, produced in Court, addressed by respondent No. 5 to respondent No. 2, the retiral benefits amounting to ₹ 11,99,840/- have been released to the petitioner, which is admitted by learned counsel for the petitioner. However, he submits that no interest on delayed payment has been given to the petitioner.

This petition is, consequently, disposed of, with a direction to the respondents, to calculate interest at statutory rates on the general provident fund and on any other head of retirement benefits where such statutory rate is provided, either in the Punjab Civil Services Rules or the Punjab Financial Rules, as applicable to the State of Haryana, and @ 6% per annum on delayed payment of all other heads of retirement benefits.

The interest shall be calculated running from 01.04.2013 till the date that actual payments were made to the petitioner, under different

heads of retirement dues.

The amount, as directed above, be calculated and be paid to the petitioner, within a period of 3 months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order.

4th February, 2015

Shivani Kaushik

**[AMOL RATTAN SINGH]
JUDGE**