

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

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CWP No.21114-2014

Date of Decision:15.09.2015

OM PAL RATHEE

....Petitioner

VERSUS

STATE OF HARYANA & ORS.

....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE P.B. BAJANTHRI

Present: Mr. N.S Bhinder, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Ashok Chaudhary, Addl. A.G., Haryana.

P.B BAJANTHRI, J. (Oral)

In this petition, the petitioner has sought for quashing of charge sheet issued to him vide letter dated 24.08.2012 at Annexure P-1, letter dated 17.07.2013 at Annexure P-14 and for release of retiral dues.

The petitioner attained the age of superannuation and retired from service on 30.09.2013. His retiral benefits were not settled due to pendency of disciplinary proceedings.

During the pendency of this petition, the disciplinary proceedings ended in exoneration on 05.03.2015. Consequently, the petitioner is entitled to retiral benefits, if he is otherwise eligible. As such, the respondents are directed to settle the retiral dues along with interest @ 9 % per annum within a period of **eight weeks** from the date of receipt of

certified copy of this order, failing which petitioner will be entitled to costs of
Rs. 5,000/-

The writ petition is, accordingly, disposed of.

15.09.2015

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**(P.B BAJANTHRI)
JUDGE**