

Civil Writ Petition No. 27284 of 2015 (O&M)

Date of decision : December 24, 2015

Shashi Asthana

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

....Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE LISA GILLPresent: Mr. Gagan Pradeep Singh Bal, Advocate
for the petitioners.

LISA GILL, J.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that though petitioner's husband would not have been entitled to any of the benefits like leave encashment, medical reimbursement etc. but entitlement to release of his share of contributory provident fund cannot be denied.

While limiting his prayer for release of admissible benefits, if any, towards the petitioner, learned counsel for the petitioner prays that representation dated 15.03.2015 (Annexure P-1) submitted by the petitioner be decided by the authorities in a time bound manner.

Keeping in view the limited prayer addressed at the time of arguments, facts and circumstances of the case but without expressing any opinion on the merits of the controversy, this writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the competent authority to

expeditiously decide representation dated 15.03.2015 (Annexure P-1) submitted by the petitioner, to the extent as above, by passing a speaking order, preferably within a period of four months from receipt of certified copy of this order.

December 24, 2015
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(Lisa Gill)
Judge