

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

CWP No. 4273 of 2015 (O&M)

Date of decision: 12.03.2015

Suneel Kumar Gulati

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present: Mr. Gitish Bhardwaj, Advocate for the petitioner.

Jitendra Chauhan, J. (Oral)

By way of the instant writ petition, under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India, the petitioner seeks direction to respondent No.2 to release the medical claim of the petitioner which is pending since 2008.

The learned counsel refers to notification No. 21/49/96-5HB5/32733 dated 05.12.1996, issued by the Govt. of Punjab, Department of Health and Family Welfare to all the Heads of the Departments and states that the respondents are under obligation to decide the claim of the petitioner within six months.

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, which is stated to be respondent No.2, to decide the legal notice, Annexure P-11, in terms of order notification dated 05.12.1996, by passing a speaking order, within a period of three months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order.

12.03.2015

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**(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE**