

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

CWP No. 9094 of 2015 (O&M)

Date of decision: 08.05.2015

Tarlok Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present: None.

Jitendra Chauhan, J. (Oral)

By way of the instant writ petition, under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, the petitioner seeks quashing of the order dated 22.08.2014 ((Annexure P-4) to the extent that respondent No.2 directed the respondent No.3 to calculate the interest as per saving bank account rate on the delayed payment instead of interest @ 12%.

It is averred in the petition that the case of the petitioner is squarely covered by the ratio of law laid down by Full Bench of this Court in **R.S. Randhawa's case**, 1997(3) RSJ 318.

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 reconsider the case of the petitioner in terms of **R.S. Randhawa's** case (supra) and **The Financial Commissioner and Principal Secretary to Govt. of Haryana, Irrigation Department, Civil Secretariat, Chandigarh Vs. Hasan Singh Kanwar**, 2010(1) SLR 788, by passing a speaking order, within a period of four months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order.

08.05.2015

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**(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE**