

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

CWP No. 94 of 2015 (O&M)

Date of decision: 17.03.2015

Rajbala

...Petitioner

Versus

Uttar Haryana Bijli Vitran Nigam Ltd. and others

...Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN**

Present: Mr. Naveen Daryal, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Deepak Balyan, Advocate  
for the respondents.

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**Jitendra Chauhan, J. (Oral)**

By way of the instant writ petition, under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India, the petitioner seeks directions to the respondents to count the daily wage service towards qualifying service for the purpose of family pension benefits from 11/1979 to 23.06.1987 and 24.06.1987 to 04.08.1991 with all consequential benefits along with interest @ 18% per annum from the date of accrual till the date of realization.

The learned counsel for the respondents refers to Annexure R-1 and submits that the entire benefits have been released to the petitioner. However, there is no reference of the interest on the delayed payment.

Though the benefits as admissible to the petitioner has been allowed, however, no interest has so far been paid on the delayed payment. In the circumstances, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents to pay the interest @ 8.5% p.a., on the delayed payment within a period of four months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order.

17.03.2015

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**(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)**  
**JUDGE**