CWP No.9521 of 2015

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CWP No.9521 of 2015
Date of Decision: May 14, 2015

Naresh Kumar

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab & others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH

Present: Mr. Rajeev Dev Sharma, Advocate
for the petitioner.

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AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH, J. (Oral):

Petitioner has approached this Court with a grievance that despite he having duly executed to the satisfaction of the respondents the work orders issued to him by the Municipal Council, Tehsil Dera Baba Nanak, District Gurdaspur, the payments which the petitioner was entitled to have not been released to him till date. He had been approaching the respondents for release of the amount due but no response has been received so far. Petitioner has submitted a representation dated 31.03.2015 (Annexure P-4) to the Administrator, Municipal Council, Dera Baba Nanak, District Gurdaspur, highlighting therein the work orders issued to him and the pendency of the claim thereof but no response thereto has been received till date.

Counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner, at this stage, would be satisfied if a direction is issued to the Municipal

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Council, Tehsil Dera Baba Nanak, District Gurdaspur-respondent No.3 and the Executive Officer, Municipal Council, Tehsil Dera Baba Nanak, District Gurdaspur-respondent No.4 to consider and decide the representation dated 31.03.2015 (Annexure P-4) submitted by the petitioner within some specified time.

In the light of the statement made by the counsel for the petitioner, the present writ petition is disposed of without going into the merits of the case or commenting thereon, with directions to the Municipal Council, Tehsil Dera Baba Nanak, District Gurdaspur-respondent No.3 and the Executive Officer, Municipal Council, Tehsil Dera Baba Nanak, District Gurdaspur-respondent No.4 to consider and decide the representation dated 31.03.2015 (Annexure P-4) submitted by the petitioner within a period of four months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

In case, the claim of the petitioner is accepted, the consequential benefits be released to the petitioner, in accordance with law, within a further period of two months.

(AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH)
JUDGE

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