

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

Date of decision:17.3.2016

CWP No.11837 of 2013

Dr. Manjit Singh & ors.

... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab & ors.

... Respondents

CWP No.12613 of 2013

Dr. Davinder Singh & ors.

... Petitioners

Versus

Guru Nanak Dev University & ors.

... Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJIV NARAIN RAINA

Present: Mr. Rajesh K. Bhagal, Advocate,
for Mr. Shailendra Sharma, Advocate,
(in CWP No.11837 of 2013)
Dr. BM Singh, Advocate, (in CWP No.12613 of 2013)
for the petitioners.

Mr. Inqulab Nagpal, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Ajaivir Singh, Advocate,
for respondent No.3 (in CWP No.11837 of 2013)

Mr. Amrit Paul, Advocate, (in CWP No.12613 of 2013)
for respondent No.1.

1. To be referred to the Reporters or not?
2. Whether the judgment should be reported in the Digest?

RAJIV NARAIN RAINA, J.(Oral)

1. This order will dispose of above cases bearing CWPs No. 11837 and 12613 of 2013 as common questions of law and fact are involved in them which can conveniently be decided by a common order.

2. A letter dated February 5, 2016 has been handed over by Mr.

Ajaivir Singh, learned counsel appearing for respondent No.3-University, which is retained on record as mark 'A'. It may be noted that it is recorded in the order dated December 21, 2015 that Rs.6,49,33,782/- representing 20% of the balance amount on account of revised pay scales w.e.f. 1.1.2006 has been sanctioned. What is done by the present communication is that it has been disbursed to the petitioners, which renders both the writ petitions infructuous. Claim for interest is rejected since payments were beyond the control of the University and for lack of fund in the Government to make payments running into several crores of rupees.

(RAJIV NARAIN RAINA)
JUDGE

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