

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

CWP No. 19894 of 2014

Date of Decision: 17.11.2016

HARINDER SINGH

... Petitioner

V/s

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KULDIP SINGH

Present: Mr. R.K. Arora, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Anshul Gupta, AAG, Punjab.

KULDIP SINGH, J. (Oral)

The petitioner has invoked the writ jurisdiction under Articles 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a writ of mandamus directing the respondents to release full and final payment of GPF of the petitioner alongwith statutory interest thereon in terms of the Rule 13.13 of the Punjab Civil Services Rules.

Brief facts of this case are that the petitioner was removed from service on 28.07.2004 (Annexure P-4). The petitioner approached this Court by way of instant petition for a direction to the respondents to release full and final payment of GPF amount alongwith statutory interest to the petitioner.

From the reply, it comes out that earlier a sum of ₹ 2,56,728/- was paid to the petitioner on 26.11.2004 in respect of final balance of accumulation towards GPF. Now, another sum of ₹ 4,38,037/- in respect of interest on the final payment of GPF has been paid.

Learned counsel for the petitioner pleads that no details are given in the reply to show that as to at which rate of interest the full and final payment of GPF was calculated and released to the petitioner.

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In the circumstances, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents to supply the calculation sheet to the petitioner to show as to at which rate of interest on the full and final payment of GPF was calculated and released to the petitioner, within one month from the date of passing of this order. In case, the rate of interest is found to be lower than 9% per annum, the balance amount of interest shall be paid within next two months.

November 17, 2016
Suresh Kumar

[KULDIP SINGH]
JUDGE

<i>Whether speaking / reasoned</i>	:	✓ Yes / No
<i>Whether Reportable</i>	:	✓ Yes / No