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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

1. CWP No.19704 of 2015

Ashok Kumar ... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others ... Respondents

2. CWP No.19790 of 2015

Bachan Shah ... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others ... Respondents

3. CWP No.19802 of 2015

Balbir Singh ... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others ... Respondents

Date of Decision: 20.05.2016

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

Present: Mr. M.K. Dogra, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Ms. Puneet Kaur Sekhon, Addl. AG, Punjab.

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

RAJIV NARAIN RAINA, J.(Oral)

This order will dispose of CWP No.19704 of 2015 titled *Ashok Kumar v. State of Punjab and others*, CWP No.19790 of 2015 titled *Bachan Shah v. State of Punjab and others* & CWP No.19802 of 2015 titled *Balbir*

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Singh v. State of Punjab and others as common point of interest is involved in these cases for delayed payment of pensionary dues. The skeleton facts are taken from the lead petition (CWP No.19704 of 2015).

The petitioner applied for and was granted voluntary retirement on January 31, 2015. His retiral benefits including Leave Encashment, GIS, DCRG and GPF amounts have been disbursed to him in the amounts shown in para.3 of the short reply by way of affidavit on behalf of respondent-State but the payments have been delayed by five to ten months for which interest is claimed. Since the payment has been delayed then it is directed that the amounts will earn interest on the expiry of three months from the date of retirement till the payments were made @8% per annum simple. The amount of interest be calculated and paid to the petitioner within two months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order. The computation of interest be supplied to the petitioner so that he may affirm the amount payable as interest so that no further dispute remains.

The petitions are allowed to the extent of interest.

(RAJIV NARAIN RAINA)
JUDGE

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