

**103 +203 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

**CM-9263-CWP-2016 in/and
CWP-4085-2012 (O&M)
Date of decision : August 05, 2016**

Harshvinder Singh

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KULDIP SINGH

Present:- Mr. R.S. Pandher, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. R.S. Pathania, DAG, Punjab.

Mr. B.S. Sudan, Advocate for

Mr. M.S. Virk, Advocate for respondent Nos.2 to 5.

1. Whether the Reporters of local newspaper may be allowed to see the judgment ?
2. To be referred to the Reporter or not.
3. Whether the judgment should be reported in the digest ?

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Application is allowed as prayed for.

Annexures P-17(colly) to P-21 (colly) are taken on record.

Main Case

Petitioner retired as Head of Department of English from Mata Gujri College, Fatehgarh Sahib on 05.03.2011. It comes out that out of death-cum-gratuity an amount of ₹10,00,000/- has not been paid to the petitioner by the management of the respondent-College.

The ground taken by the respondent-College is that the petitioner failed to submit the No Dues Certificate from the Library.

It was stated that 104 books of the Library were in the possession of the petitioner and that he had not returned the same. During the course of hearing, some books were returned.

Now, the stand of the respondent-College is that only 58 books are with the petitioner.

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that the petitioner is ready to deposit the present market price of the said 58 books.

It being so, the respondent-College is directed to supply the list of 58 books along with the current market price within two weeks and the thereafter, the petitioner shall deposit the current market price of the said books with the respondent-College within one week thereof.

On deposit of the current market price of the said 58 books, the respondent-College shall release the remaining part of the death-cum-gratuity along with other retiral benefits, if these are still lying with the respondent-College.

The present petition is disposed of in the abovenoted terms.

(KULDIP SINGH)
JUDGE

August 05, 2016

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Whether speaking / reasoned Yes

Whether Reportable: No