

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

CWP No.24404 of 2016

Date of Decision: 21.12.2016

Avtar Singh

....Petitioner

Versus

The Punjab State Power Corporation Limited
and others

....Respondents

BEFORE :- HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE DAYA CHAUDHARY

Present:- Mr. J.S. Jaidka, Advocate
for the petitioner.

DAYA CHAUDHARY, J. (ORAL)

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the impugned order of imposition of major penalty has been passed after the date of retirement of the petitioner. The appeal filed by the petitioner is still pending and no decision has been taken thereupon. Learned counsel also submits that no regular inquiry was conducted and only on the basis of show cause notice, the punishment has been awarded to the petitioner and that too after his retirement.

On oral request made by learned counsel for the petitioner, the ***Chief Managing Director, Punjab State Power Corporation Limited, Patiala is hereby impleaded as respondent No.5.***

Since the appeal filed by the petitioner is pending and no action has been taken thereupon so far, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to the Appellate Authority i.e Chief Managing Director, Punjab

State Power Corporation Limited, Patiala-respondent No.5 to decide the pending appeal preferably within a period of three months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

It is also directed to the respondents that no recovery shall be effected from pension of the petitioner till the decision of the appeal.

The petition is disposed of accordingly.

21.12.2016
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(DAYA CHAUDHARY)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes

Whether Reportable

No