

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

C.O.C.P. No.242 of 2016

Date of Decision: 05.05.2017

ASI No.1014/W Baldev Singh

..... Petitioner

Versus

Sh. C. Roul, IAS, Secretary to the Govt. of Punjab,
Department of Defence Services Welfare, Punjab and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASWANT SINGH

Present: None for the petitioner.

Mr. Anant Kataria, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab
for the respondents.

JASWANT SINGH, J. (Oral)

The petitioner had filed CWP No.15283 of 2015 seeking directions to the respondents to decide the Legal Notice dated 01.06.2015. The said petition was disposed of, vide order dated 29.07.2015 (**Annexure P-1**), with a direction to the respondents to examine the case of the petitioner in terms of the decision dated 13.11.2014 passed in **CWP No.17661 of 2013**, titled as '**Rajinder Singh Versus State of Punjab and others**', within four weeks from the date of receipt of a certified copy of the order. It was also ordered that in case, on examination the authority concerned comes to the conclusion that the case of the petitioner is covered by the above case law, the consequential relief be granted to the petitioner within eight weeks thereafter. Since the needful was not done, hence the present contempt petition.

Upon notice, reply on behalf of respondent No.3 has been filed, wherein it is submitted that after examining the case of the petitioner, the benefit of military service rendered by him during second National Emergency w.e.f. 03.12.1971 to 25.03.1977 towards pension and the period of 05 years, 03 months and 22 days have been counted as qualifying service towards pension, vide order dated 17.05.2016 (**Annexure R-3/1**).

At the time of hearing, learned State Counsel for the respondents submits that the aforesaid directions have already been complied with.

In view of the above, no further action is warranted.

Accordingly, the present contempt petition is dismissed as infructuous. However, if there is still any grievance, the petitioner is at liberty to revive the present contempt petition.

May 05, 2017
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(JASWANT SINGH)
JUDGE

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