

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH.

COCN No.2874 of 2016

Date of decision: June 01, 2017

Gurbax Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

Shri A.K. Sinha, IAS & others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJAN GUPTA

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

Mr. V. Ram Swaroop, Addl. A.G. Punjab.

Rajan Gupta, J. (oral)

Petitioner alleges violation of order dated 16.09.2016, passed by the writ court. Operative part thereof reads as under:-

“It is further directed that if, after due consideration of the matter, respondent No.4 comes to the conclusion that the petitioner is entitled for the amount being sought to be released, the same shall be released in favour of the petitioner, without any further loss of time.”

In certain connected matters, the concerned departments have released the payment. This court hopes and trust that payment, if due, shall be released to the petitioner at the earliest in any case, not later than six weeks. In case contempt is not purged within the aforesaid period, petitioner shall be at liberty to seek revival of the petition. In that eventuality, this court shall consider imposition of punitive costs, which shall be recoverable from the salary of the officials responsible for delay in releasing the payment.

Disposed of.

June 01, 2017
'Rajpal'

(RAJAN GUPTA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking / reasoned

Yes / No

Whether Reportable:

Yes / No