

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

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**CWP No.17259 of 2017
Date of decision: 04.08.2017**

Basu Ram Sharma

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMOL RATTAN SINGH

Present:- Mr. R.K. Arya, Advocate
for the petitioner.

AMOL RATTAN SINGH, J. (ORAL)

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner having retired on 31.10.2015, he was paid his retiral benefits after a delay of more than one year.

Consequently, he is seeking interest on account of delayed payment, in respect of which he is stated to have filed a representation dated 10.04.2017 to respondent No.1, a copy of which is annexed as Annexure P-1.

Consequently, this petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents to take a decision on the aforesaid representation, by passing a speaking order, within a period of three months, from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order.

Before deciding the representation, the competent authority shall consider the applicability of the ratio of the judgment of this Court in Charan Dass Vs. State of Punjab and others, (CWP No.8772 of 2015, decided on 11.07.2017), by granting opportunity to the petitioner to make a submission with regard thereto.

04.08.2017
Dinesh Bansal

**(AMOL RATTAN SINGH)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether Reportable

Yes / No
Yes / No