

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

CWP No.18002 of 2017

Date of decision: September 01, 2017

Gamdoor Singh

....Petitioner

Versus

Additional Director General of Police and others

....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

Present: None.

JASPAL SINGH, J.(ORAL)

A glance at the case file transpires that even on the last date of hearing i.e. August 16, 2017, no one has come present from the side of the petitioner despite the fact that the case was called twice and today also none has appeared on behalf of the petitioner.

A close scrutiny of the file reveals that the petitioner has sought issuance of direction in the nature of mandamus to the respondents to release the payment of some medical reimbursement with regard to his treatment of knee replacement. Medical bills were submitted for reimbursement thereof which remain unpaid. It necessitated the issuance of service of legal notice upon respondents under Section 80 of Code of Civil Procedure and a response to the legal notice was received to the effect that *“as of now sufficient budget amount has not been allotted to this office in Major Head-2056 in Sub-Head 91-Medical. So the medical bill of your client cannot be submitted to the Treasury, Nabha. When the budget is allotted to this office the medical claim bill will be submitted to the Treasury, Nabha for payment to your client”*.

The non-appearance either of petitioner or his counsel leads to draw an inference that the payment of medical bill might have been released to the petitioner, on receipt of sufficient funds.

Accordingly, instant petition stands disposed of. However, in case, petitioner has not been made the reimbursement of the medical bill regarding which direction has been sought in the instant petition, petitioner shall be at liberty to file a fresh petition.

Disposed of.

September 01, 2017
m. sharma

(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No