

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

Sr. No.122

**CWP No.19169 of 2017
DECIDED ON: August 25, 2017**

AJAIB SINGH

..PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

...RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

Present: Mr. H.S. Dhindsa, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

JASPAL SINGH, J. (ORAL)

By virtue of the instant civil writ petition preferred under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India, petitioner has sought the issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus directing the respondents to release the pensionary benefits i.e. pension, gratuity, leave encashment etc. with 18% interest from the date of attaining the age of superannuation i.e. 58 years.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that various representations were made including one dated May 03, 2017 (Annexure P-8) was issued to the respondent No.2 but no final decision has been taken by the concerned authorities till date.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner further submits that he feels satisfied in case a direction is issued to respondent No.2-Director General of Police, Sector 9, Chandigarh to decide representation dated May 03, 2017 (Annexure P-8) in a time bound manner.

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4. Instant petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2-Director General of Police, Sector 9, Chandigarh to look into the grievances unfolded by the petitioner in his representation dated May 03, 2017 (Annexure P-8) and take a conscious decision by passing a speaking order that too, after giving a patience hearing to the petitioner within a period of three months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order. Respondent No.2 is further directed to disburse the said benefits, in case, he comes to the conclusion that petitioner is entitled to it within a period of next 45 days. Factum of interest in view of judgment in case ***A.S. Randhawa vs. State of Punjab & Ors., 1997 (3) SCT 468*** be also considered on delayed payment(s).

5. However, if petitioner still feels aggrieved of the orders passed by the aforesaid authority, he shall be at liberty to approach this Court.

August 25, 2017
Ankur

(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No