

CWP No. 26490 of 2017

DECIDED ON: NOVEMBER 20, 2017

JATINDER KAUR AND ORS

.....PETITIONERS

VERSUS

PUNJABI UNIVERSITY PATIALA AND ANR

.....RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH.

Present: Mr. Hardep Singh, Advocate
for the petitioners.

JASPAL SINGH, J (ORAL)

By virtue of instant petition preferred under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India, petitioners have sought the issuance of a writ in the nature of Mandamus directing the respondents to pay them unpaid retiral benefits such as gratuity, leave encashment, pension, CPF and other retiral benefits as well as their arrears along-with interest @ 12 % per annum on the delayed payments.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioners has submitted that petitioners stood retired on attaining the age of superannuation but till date nothing has been paid to them. Though, petitioners made a representation dated August 12, 2016 (P-3) but till date no conscious decision has been taken on the same. Petitioners constrained to serve legal notice dated October 03, 2017 (P-7) upon the respondents which did not fetch any reply. Learned counsel for the petitioners further submit that he feels satisfied in case a direction is issued to respondents to consider and decide the afore-said legal notice (P-7) in a time bound manner.

3. Accordingly, instant petition is disposed of with a direction to respondents to look into the grievances unfolded by the petitioners in their legal notice (P-7) and to decide the same in accordance with law and rules and regulations, within a period of three months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

4. However, in case petitioners still feel aggrieved by any order of the afore-said authority, they shall be at liberty to approach this Court.

NOVEMBER 20, 2017
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(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE

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