

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

Sr. No.104

Civil Writ Petition No. 28695 of 2017
DECIDED ON: December 16, 2017

KAMAL SINGH

..PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF HARYANA AND OTHERS

...RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

Present: Mr. Anil Kumar Gahlwat, Advocate, for the petitioner.

JASPAL SINGH, J. (ORAL)

Through the instant civil writ petition, preferred under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India, petitioner has sought the issuance of a writ especially in the nature of Mandamus directing the respondents to release/sanction the retiral dues/benefits, who stood retired on 31.05.2016 as Junior Engineer from the office of respondent No.5 yet he feels satisfied in case a direction is issued to respondent No.3.

2. During the course of arguments, it has emerged that just prior to the retirement of the petitioner, he was served with two chargesheets vide letter No.2307/7LCU/2015 dated 08.05.2015 and another letter No.5174/7LCU/2015 dated 18.09.2015. Though, proceedings in the chargesheet dated 08.05.2015 referred to above have already been dropped. But the proceedings in another chargesheet dated 18.09.2015 are still pending. It appears that on account of pendency thereof, the benefits are not being released to the petitioner.

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3. Accordingly, instant petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.3 to deal with and dispose of inquiry proceedings with regard to chargesheet dated 18.09.2015, within a period of four months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order.

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

December 16, 2017

Ankur

**(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE**

**Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable**

**Yes
Yes/No**