

HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH, BILASPUR

Contempt Case (C)NO.670 of 2017

R. S. Choudhary S/o Shri Yogeshwar Choudhary, Aged About 64 Years
R/o Village Devargaon, P. S. Gourela, Pendra Raod, District Bilaspur
Chhattisgarh.

... Petitioner

Versus

1. Gourishankar Mishra Secretary, Water Resource Department, Mahanadi Bhawan, New Mantralaya, Raipur Chhattisgarh.
2. Hemraj Kutare, Engineer In Chief, Water Resources Department, Sihawa Bhawan, Civil Line Raipur Chhattisgarh.
3. D. R. Darro, Executive Engineer, Water Resource Division, Jashpur District Jashpur Chhattisgarh.
4. Kanhaiya Singh Maravi, Joint Director, Account, Treasury And Pension, Ambikapur, District Surguja Chhattisgarh.

... Respondents

For Petitioner	:	Shri Vineet Pandey, Advocate.
For Respondents	:	Shri B.Gopa Kumar, Advocate.

Hon'ble Shri Justice P. Sam Koshy

Order on Board

05/04/2018

1. Alleging willful and deliberate non compliance of order dated 03.01.2017 passed by this court in WPS No.1789 of 2016, the present contempt petition has been filed.
2. The counsel for the petitioner today makes a submission that pending the contempt petition, the petitioner has been paid pensionary benefits except for the gratuity amount.
3. Admittedly, the decision which was required to be taken by the respondents pursuant to the above order has already been taken by the respondents and thus, the respondents have substantially complied with the order passed by this court.
4. In view of the fact that respondents have substantially complied with the order of this court, this court does find any reason to proceed

further in the matter initiating contempt proceeding against the respondents.

5. Accordingly, the rule is discharged and contempt proceeding is dropped against the respondents. The earlier order for issuance of bailable warrant stands recalled. No order as to costs.
6. The petitioner is at liberty to seek appropriate relief before the appropriate forum for grant of gratuity amount.

Sd/-
(P. Sam Koshy)
Judge