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HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH, BILASPUR**Writ Petition (S) No. 5182 of 2018**

Mehar Singh Sinha S/o Bhagirathi Sinha, Aged About 62 Years, R/o Village Thailitola, Bandha Bazar, Block Ambagarh Chauki, District Rajnandgaon, Chhattisgarh

---- Petitioner**Versus**

1. State Of Chhattisgarh Through Its Secretary, Department Of Panchayat And Rural Development, Mahanadi Bhawan, Mantralaya, Capital Complex, Naya Raipur, Chhattisgarh
2. Director, Directorate Of Panchayat And Rural Development, Indravati Complex, New Raipur, District Raipur, Chhattisgarh
3. Commissioner, Durg Division, Durg Chhattisgarh
4. Collector, Rajnandgaon, Chhattisgarh
5. Executive Engineer Rural Engineering Services, Rajnandgaon, Chhattisgarh

---- Respondents

For Petitioner	:	Shri S. S. Baghel, Advocate
For State	:	Shri R. K. Gupta, Dy. A.G.

Hon'ble Shri Justice P. Sam Koshy**Order On Board****13.08.2018**

The relief sought for by the petitioner in the instant petition is for a direction to the respondents to grant pensionary benefits to the petitioner from the date of his retirement.

2. Record shows that the petitioner was initially appointed on daily wage in the year 1981 and due course of time, the services of the petitioner were regularized on 03.09.2008 and the petitioner finally stood

superannuated on 28.02.2018. Though the petitioner has retired about 6 months ago, the respondents have till date not finalized the pension of the petitioner nor has he been given any pensionary benefits.

3. Given the nature of dispute, this Court is of the opinion that let respondent no.2 take a decision in the case of the petitioner as to whether he is entitled for pensionary benefits or not and an appropriate decision be passed within a period of 60 days from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order. The petitioner in addition to the representation that he has already made would also be entitled to make a fresh representation within a period of 15 days from today and the respondents shall decide the same within the time specified above.

**Sd/-
P. Sam Koshy
Judge**