

COCF No. 1416of 2018(O&M)

Date of decision: 18.12.2018

Hari Ram and others

...Petitioners

Versus

Manjit Singh Narang

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE NIRMALJIT KAUR

Present: Mr. Anureet Bhudwal, Advocate for
Mr. Vikas Chatrath, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Anupam Singla, Advocate
for the respondent.

NIRMALJIT KAUR,J. (ORAL)

Short reply by way of affidavit of Manjit Singh Narang, Managing Director, Pepsu Road Transport Corporation, Patiala dated 17.12.2018 on behalf of the respondent is placed on record. As per the said affidavit interest towards the delayed payment of Leave Encashment and Gratuity has been paid to all the petitioners and with component of GPF interest has been paid to only petitioner Nos.1 to 17 but three time has already been paid to petitioner Nos. 1 to 17, the same is pending for petitioner Nos. 18 to 34.

Learned counsel for the respondent states that it is mentioned in Para No.5 of the affidavit that interest delayed payment of GPF of petitioners from 18 to 34 shall be released within a period of three months.

In view of the above, this Court does not deem it proper to pursue with the contempt petition any further. The same is dismissed accordingly.

Rule issued against the respondent stands discharged.

However, in case the payment of interest towards GPF qua petitioner

Nos. 18 to 34 is not released within a period of three months, the petitioners are at liberty to revive the said contempt petition qua petitioner Nos.18 to 34.

18.12.2018

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**(NIRMALJIT KAUR)
JUDGE**

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