

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

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COCN No.1782 of 2017

Date of Decision: August 23rd, 2018

Nirmal Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

Avtar Singh Kalsi

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH

Present: None for the petitioner.

Ms. Sudeepti Sharma, Additional Advocate General, Punjab,
for the respondent.

AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH, J. (ORAL)

Learned counsel for the respondent has referred to the affidavit dated 20.11.2017 filed by the Chief Engineer (South), Water Supply and Sanitation, Punjab, according to which a speaking order dated 08.09.2017 (Annexure R-1) has been passed in compliance with the order dated 23.12.2016 passed by this Court in CWP No.20938 of 2013. The plea of the petitioner for grant of benefit of 4-9-14 increments has been accepted. Arrear bills of the petitioner have been submitted to the District Treasury Officer vide Bill dated 11.09.2017 amounting to ₹26,325/- for release of payment. Counsel, on instructions from Mr. Deepansh, Junior Engineer, Water Supply and Sanitation Department, Punjab, states that the amount, as referred to above, has been released to the petitioner. This includes the amount of recovery which was effected from the petitioner.

In view of the statement made by the counsel for the respondent, on instructions, the present contempt petition is disposed of.

Rule issued to the respondent stands discharged.

August 23rd, 2018

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**(AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned:

Yes/No

Whether Reportable:

Yes/No