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

**CWP No. 18954 of 2018
DECIDED ON: AUGUST 01, 2018**

D.K. ARORA

.....PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

.....RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

Present: Mr. Padamkant Dwivedi, Advocate
for the petitioner.

JASPAL SINGH, J (ORAL)

By virtue of instant petition preferred under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India, petitioner has sought a writ in the nature of mandamus directing the respondents to calculate the arrears of contributory provident funds due to him in accordance with the mandatory provisions of the Panjab University Calendar treating salary as basic pay plus all allowances excluding House Rent Allowance for the period 1984 till the date of his retirement and pay the same forthwith.

2. At the very outset, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that he feels satisfied in case a direction is issued to respondent No.4 to consider and decide the legal notice dated 08.04.2018 (P-17) in a time bound manner.

3. In view of submission made by learned counsel for the petitioner but without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, instant petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.4 to look into the grievances unfolded by the petitioner in the legal notice dated 08.04.2018 (P-17) and to take a conscious decision in accordance with law, rules and regulations particularly view of judgment passed by this Court in CWP No. 25131 of 2014, titled **K.L. Verma vs. State of Punjab and others**, decided on 14.11.2017 (P-16), within a period of three months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

4. However, in case petitioner still feels aggrieved by any of the order(s) passed by the afore-said authority, he shall be at liberty to have recourse to other remedies available under law as well as to approach this Court.

AUGUST 01, 2018
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(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned ***Yes/No***
Whether reportable ***Yes/No***