

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

Sr. No.133

Civil Writ Petition No.19764 of 2018
DECIDED ON: August 09, 2018

GURDEV SINGH

..PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF HARYANA AND OTHERS

...RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

Present: Mr. Aman Dhir, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

JASPAL SINGH, J. (ORAL)

By virtue of the instant civil writ petition, preferred under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India, petitioner has sought the issuance of a writ in the nature of Mandamus directing the respondents to grant/release his claim with regard to payment of the withheld gratuity to the tune of Rs.50,000/- without any valid reason along with interest @ 18% p.a.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that though a representation dated 19.05.2018 (P-3) was made to the respondents but till date no final decision has been taken thereon. He further submits that he feels satisfied in case a direction is issued to respondent No.3 to decide the above said representation (P-3), in a time bound manner.

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3. Without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, instant petition is disposed of with a direction to respondents to consider the grievances unfolded by the petitioner in the representation dated 19.05.2018 (P-3) and to take conscious decision by passing a speaking order(s), within a period of three months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order.

4. However, if petitioner still feels aggrieved by any of the orders passed by the aforesaid authority, he shall be at liberty to have recourse to the remedies available under law as well as to approach this Court.

August 09, 2018

Ankur

**(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE**

**Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable**

**Yes
Yes/No**