

In the High Court of Punjab and Haryana, at Chandigarh

Civil Writ Petition No. 27365 of 2018

Date of Decision: 26.10.2018

Hardeep Singh

... Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Punjab and Others

... Respondent(s)

CORAM: Hon'ble Mr. Justice Shekher Dhawan.

Present: Mr. Suresh Kumar Aneja, Advocate
for the petitioner(s).

Shekher Dhawan, J.

Prayer made in the writ petition is for grant of interest on the delayed payment of retiral benefits.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contended that petitioner retired from services on 28.02.2017 and his retiral benefits including gratuity, leave encashment, provident fund, GIS etc. were released after the delay of more than ten months without any justified grounds and there was no delay on the part of present petitioner. For that purpose, petitioner has moved representation dated 06.02.2017 (Annexure P1) and recent reminder, thereafter, is dated 20.12.2017 (Annexure P4).

Notice of motion.

On asking of the Court, Mrs. Anju Arora, Additional Advocate General, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the respondents. A complete copy of paper-book be provided to her during the course of the day.

In view of above, present writ petition stands disposed of with

the directions to the respondents to look into representation dated 06.02.2017 (Annexure P1) and subsequent reminder dated 20.12.2017 (Annexure P4) and take the required decision thereon, expeditiously and preferably within a period of three months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order.

(Shekher Dhawan)
Judge

October 26, 2018
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Whether speaking/reasoned	:Yes/No
Whether reportable	: Yes/No