

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

(121)

CWP No. 27731 of 2018
Date of Decision : 21.11.2018

Anil Garg

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and another

...Respondents

CORAM: *HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI*

Present: Mr. K.K. Goel, Advocate for the petitioner.

Harsimran Singh Sethi, J.(Oral)

The present writ petition has been filed for the release of pensionary benefits to the petitioner.

The petitioner has retired from services on 31.03.2017. The pensionary benefits of the petitioner were withheld on the ground that there was charge-sheet, which was pending against him. The said charge-sheet was decided on 13.12.2017 and petitioner was censured. Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that again a charge-sheet has been served upon the petitioner on 03.07.2018 alleging that certain losses have been suffered by respondent-Board due to some action or inaction on the part of the petitioner. Learned counsel further contends that this charge-sheet has been served upon the petitioner after one and half year of his retirement and this is only being done to withhold the pensionary benefits.

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that at this stage, the petitioner will be satisfied in case a direction is given to the respondents to

complete the enquiry proceedings as expeditiously as possible within a time bound manner.

Without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, the present writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents to complete the enquiry proceedings in respect of the charge-sheet dated 03.07.2018 (Annexure P-4) expeditiously and preferably within a period of six months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

The petitioner undertakes to co-operate in the enquiry proceedings and will not delay the same by any of his action.

After the enquiry proceedings are over, if it is found that the petitioner is entitled for any monetary benefits, the same should also be released to him within a period of next two months.

The petition stands disposed of accordingly.

November 21, 2018
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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

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