

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA  
AT CHANDIGARH

(112)

CWP No. 29578 of 2018

Date of Decision : 22.11.2018

Pardeep Kumar

...Petitioner

Versus

Union of India and others

...Respondents

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

Present: Mr. Raj Kumar Rana, Advocate for the petitioner.

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**Harsimran Singh Sethi, J.(Oral)**

In the present writ petition, the petitioner has prayed that after the death of his father, namely, Sh. Shadi Ram, petitioner became entitled for an amount of ₹63,172/- along with other legal heirs, who also were held entitled for the similar amount.

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that the factum of entitlement of the petitioner of the aforesaid amount has been admitted by the respondents vide letter dated 05.10.2018, wherein, it has been duly depicted that petitioner is entitled for ₹63,172/-. It is argued that despite entitlement, the amount has not been paid to the petitioner and no justification has been given for the non-payment.

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that the petitioner has served the respondents with a legal notice dated 10.01.2017 (Annexure P-3) and later on reminder dated 20.03.2017 (Annexure P-6 (Colly)). Learned counsel further states that the petitioner will be satisfied at this stage, in case a time bound direction is given to the respondents to decide the legal

notice dated 10.01.2017 (Annexure P-3).

Without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case and the claim being made by the petitioner in the present writ petition or in the legal notice dated 10.01.2017 (Annexure P-3), the present writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents to decide the legal notice dated 10.01.2017 (Annexure P-3) served by the petitioner by passing a speaking order in accordance with law within a period of two months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

In case, there is no impediment in the release of the said amount, the said amount will be released within a period of next one month.

The petition stands disposed of accordingly.

**November 22, 2018**  
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**(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)**  
**JUDGE**

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