

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

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**RSA-680-2015 (O&M)
Date of decision:24.04.2018**

State of Punjab and others

...Appellants

Versus

Mandeep Kaur

.... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE P.B. BAJANTHRI

Present: Mr.Bhupender Beniwal, AAG, Punjab.

Ms. Sonia G.Singh, Advocate for respondent No.1.

P.B. BAJANTHRI, J. (ORAL)

CM-1960-C-2015

This is an application for condonation of delay of 74 days in filing the appeal. Heard. In view of the reasons mentioned in the application and affidavit, same is allowed.

Delay of 74 days in filing the appeal is condoned.

Main case

Short question for consideration in the present appeal is whether is there any delay in settlement of Sh. Avtar Singh's arrears of pay with reference to placing him under suspension and its revocation during the

period from 09.05.2007 to 28.06.2007 or not? Sh. Avtar Singh was placed under suspension w.e.f. 26.06.2007 and it was revoked on 13.12.2007. Further absence period from 09.05.2007 to 28.06.2007 has been regulated in accordance with Rules. Whereas arrears of pay for the aforesaid period has been settled on 30.04.2009. Thus, there is delay from 26.06.2007 to 30.04.2009 insofar as settling the arrears of pay by the appellant. Perusal of the records as well as statement made by learned counsel for the appellant they have not satisfied as to why there is delay of about 2 years in settling arrears of pay. Thus, there is no infirmity in the trial as well as appellate court judgments dated 21.01.2013 and 01.09.2014.

Accordingly, appeal stands dismissed.

24.04.2018

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**(P.B.BAJANTHRI)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasons

Yes/No

Whether Reportable:

Yes/No