

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

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CWP No.6641-2019

Date of Decision: March 12, 2019

Darshan Singh

.....Petitioner(s)

versus

Shromani Gurudwara Parbhandak Committee,
Amritsar and anr.

.....Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Mr. S.S. Behl, Advocate for the petitioner(s).

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI, J. (Oral)

The grievance, which is being raised by the petitioner in the present petition is that the petitioner was suspended on 05.09.2017 on the basis of a complaint in respect of submission of wrong birth certificate by the petitioner. The charge-sheet was issued on 20.09.2017. No proceedings were initiated after issuance of charge-sheet to the petitioner and he retired on 30.04.2018.

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that on one hand, no final decision is being taken on the charge-sheet dated 20.09.2017 and on the other hand, the benefits for which the petitioner became entitled for after superannuating on 30.04.2018, are being withheld. Learned counsel for the petitioner argues that on both accounts petitioner is suffering and it is becoming very difficult for him to make his both ends meet without there any benefits being extended to the petitioner after his retirement

Keeping in view the above, the present writ petition is disposed of at this stage without issuing notice to the respondents that in case the charge-sheet

dated 20.09.2017 issued to the petitioner has not been finalized, the said proceedings shall be finalised by the respondents within a period of four months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order and in case after the finalization of the inquiry, it is found that the petitioner is entitled for the release of his pensionary benefits, the same shall be released to him within a period of two months thereafter.

Learned counsel for the petitioner undertakes that the petitioner will extend all cooperation from his side for the finalization of the inquiry within the period as ordered. In case, the respondents feel that the petitioner is not co-operating in finalization of inquiry as directed above, they will be at liberty to approach this Court by availing appropriate remedy

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JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned :	Yes
Whether Reportable :	No