

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

**CWP No.8975 of 2019
Date of decision : 03.04.2019**

Subhash

..... Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

**CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA

Present: Mr. Puneet Kumar Bansal, Advocate for the petitioner.

TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA, J. (ORAL)

As per pleadings on record petitioner who was serving on the post of Safai Sewak under Municipal Council, Ferozepur attained the age of superannuation on 30.09.2017. Thereafter he was granted extension in service for a period of one year and he finally demitted office on 30.09.2018.

The short grievance raised in the petition is that even though pension has been released to the petitioner but other retiral benefits in the nature of Gratuity, Leave Encashment and Provident Fund have not been released. It is the categorical contention raised by counsel that no departmental proceedings have been initiated or are pending against the petitioner.

Counsel makes a prayer that even a legal notice has already been served and he would be satisfied if writ petition was to be disposed of with a direction to the concerned authority to look into the grievance of the petitioner.

Prayer made by the counsel is found to be just and reasonable.

In view of the above and without even ascertaining the

correctness of the averments made in the petition, I deem it appropriate to dispose of the writ petition with a direction to respondents No.2 and 3 to examine the grievance of the petitioner against the backdrop of a legal notice dated 05.03.2019 (Annexure P-1) and to take a final decision thereupon expeditiously and in any case within a period of six weeks from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order.

Needless to observe that if any payment is found due to the petitioner the same would be released without any further delay.

Disposed of.

(TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA)
JUDGE

03.04.2019

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Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether Reportable

Yes/No
Yes/No