

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

**CWP-12422-2019 (O&M)
Date of decision: 10.05.2019**

NARAIN DUTT

...PETITIONER

VERSUS

**THE CHAIRMAN CUM MANAGING DIRECTOR,
UHBVN AND OTHERS**

...RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Ms. Shelja Sharma, Advocate
for the petitioner.

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI, J. (ORAL)

In the present writ petition, the grievance which is being raised by the petitioner that though petitioner retired on 30.04.2016 but the retiral benefits after the retirement were released on 28.09.2018 i.e. are after two and a half years and therefore, keeping in view the principles of law settled by the Full Bench of this Court in A.S. Randhawa Vs. State of Punjab 1997 (3) S.C.T 468, petitioner becomes entitled for interest on the said delayed payment.

Counsel for the petitioner states that for the relief which has been claimed in the present writ petition, the petitioner has submitted to the respondents the representation dated 11.11.2018 (Annexure P-2), which is still pending consideration with the respondents and the petitioner will be satisfied, at this stage, in case a time bound direction is issued to the respondents to decide the said representation dated 11.11.2018 (Annexure P-2).

Keeping in view, an advance copy given to Mr. Charanjit Singh

Bakshi, Addl. A.G., Haryana appears on behalf of the respondents. Counsel

for the respondents states that the respondents have no objection for the grant of prayer as made by the petitioners for deciding the representation in a time bound manner.

In view of the request made, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case or the claim being made by the petitioner, the respondents are directed to decide the representations dated 11.11.2018 by passing a speaking order within a period of three months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order. In case after the decision, it is found that the petitioner is entitled for any monetary benefit, the same shall also be released to him within a period of next three months.

Present writ petition stands disposed of.

10.05.2019
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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes/No
Whether reportable:	Yes/No