

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

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CWP-10013-2015

Date of decision: 13.05.2019

Jatinder Singh Mohindru

....Petitioner

Versus

National Insurance Company Ltd. & others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE G.S.SANDHAWALIA

Present: Mr.Rajesh Arora, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr.V.Ramasaroop, Advocate, for the respondents.

G.S. SANDHAWALIA, J. (Oral)

Prayer in the present writ petition, filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India, is for issuance of a writ in the nature of Mandamus to grant compensation in terms of Special Voluntary Retirement Scheme-2003, in the light of the judgment passed by the Division Bench of this Court in CWP-13382-2007 titled *Kirpal Singh Vs. National Insurance Company Ltd. & another*, decided on 25.01.2008 (Annexure P-5). It is the claim of the petitioner that the Apex Court also dismissed SLP(C) No.10548-2008 on 10.01.2014.

On 14.02.2019, it was put to the counsel for the respondents that the matter was covered and the case was adjourned to 08.03.2019 and further opportunity was granted by deferring the matter to 11.04.2019.

Counsel for the respondents submits that the matter would be covered by the above-said judgment and he is not in a position to distinguish the same.

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Counsel for the petitioner has further pointed out that in CWP-19548-2014 titled *Amarjeet Singh & another Vs. United India Insurance Company Ltd. & others*, directions were issued by this Court on 18.09.2014 to take into consideration the representations and pass necessary orders for grant of the pensionary benefits, since the employee had completed more than 10 years but less than 20 years of qualifying service. It is submitted that in the said case also, petitioners have been granted the necessary relief.

Accordingly, the present writ petition is also disposed of, with the direction to the respondents to process the case of the petitioner and grant the necessary relief within a period of 2 months from the receipt of a certified copy of this order.

13.05.2019
Sailesh

(G.S. SANDHAWALIA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned: *Yes/No*

Whether Reportable: *Yes/No*