

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

**(230)**

**CWP-14388-2016**

**Date of Decision: October 14, 2019**

**Jai Gopal Sharma**

**.. Petitioner**

**Versus**

**State of Haryana and others**

**.. Respondents**

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI**

Present: Mr. Bharat Bhushan Sharma, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Charanjit Singh Bakhshi, Addl. A.G., Haryana.

Mr. U.K. Agnihotri, Advocate, for respondents No. 3 and 4.

**HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI, J.(ORAL)**

In the present writ petition, the grievance which is being raised by the petitioner is that a sum of Rs. 1 lac out of his retiral benefits has been withheld by the respondents in an illegal and arbitrary manner without any valid justification and therefore, direction be issued to the respondents to release the said amount of Rs. 1 lac along with interest.

Today, learned counsel for the petitioner has placed on record letter dated 17.09.2019 issued by the respondents which has been marked as Annexure P-A wherein, the petitioner has been informed that a sum of Rs.1 lac will be released to the petitioner in case, he withdraws the writ petition.

Learned counsel for the respondents does not dispute the issuance of the said letter dated 17.09.2019.

Learned counsel for the petitioner prays that he be allowed to withdraw the present writ petition with a further prayer seeking direction to be issued to the respondents to comply with the said letter and release the sum of Rs.1 lac within a period of one month from today.

Learned counsel for the respondents states that within a period of one month from today, the amount will be released to the petitioner.

Learned counsel for the petitioner further requests that petitioner be granted liberty to approach the respondents by filing an appropriate representation claiming the interest on such delayed payments.

Learned counsel for the respondents assures this Court that in case any such representation is filed by the petitioner, the same will be dealt with in accordance with law and an appropriate order will be passed within a period of three months from the receipt of the same.

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that keeping in view the statement made by counsel for the respondents, he be permitted to withdraw the present writ petition with liberties as prayed for.

In view of the above, the present writ petition is dismissed as withdrawn with liberty as prayed for.

**October 14, 2019**  
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**(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)**  
**JUDGE**

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