

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

(114)

CWP-18764-2019

Date of Decision: July 12, 2019

Gurdev Singh

.. Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and another

.. Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Mr. Amit Aggarwal, Advocate, for the petitioner.

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI, J.(ORAL)

In the present writ petition, the grievance which is being raised by the petitioner is that though the petitioner retired from service on 30.06.2018 as Inspector from the Municipal Council Goniana Mandi, District Bathinda but despite expiry of one year, no retiral benefits have been released to him.

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that there is no impediment in the release of the pensionary benefits of the petitioner as there are no proceedings pending against the petitioner either departmental or before any competent Court of law, which would entitle the respondents to withhold the pensionary benefits.

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that for the relief which has been claimed in the present writ petition, the petitioner has submitted the respondents with representations dated 18.10.2018 (Annexure P-1) and dated 15.11.2018 (Annexure P-2), which are 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 representations by passing an appropriate speaking order.

Without commenting upon the merits of the case or about the entitlement of the petitioner for the relief which has been claimed by him in the representations dated 18.10.2018 (Annexure P-1) and dated 15.11.2018 (Annexure P-2), the present writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents to decide the representations dated 18.10.2018 (Annexure P-1) and dated 15.11.2018 (Annexure P-2) within a period of three months from the receipt of copy of this order.

In case, it is found that the petitioner is entitled for any monetary benefits after the decision of the representations, the same should also be paid to him within three months thereafter.

(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

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