

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CWP-186-2018

Date of decision: - 05.03.2019

Jagdish Lal Midha

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present:- Mr. Harpal Singh, Advocate
for Mr. Peeush Gagneja, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Mehardeep Singh, Additional Advocate General, Punjab.

Mr. Surinder Pal Singh Tinna, Advocate
for respondent No.4.

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI, J. (ORAL)

In the present writ petition, the grievance which is being raised by the petitioner is that medical bills were not being reimbursed despite the fact that he was entitled for the same.

As per the facts mentioned in the writ petition, petitioner was working as a Sanitary Inspector in Municipal Council, Abohar, from where he retired on 28.02.1998. He remained under treatment from 01.01.2017 till 09.01.2017 at Max Hospital, Bathinda as an indoor patient.

Counsel for the petitioner states that for the said treatment, petitioner spent ₹3,53,817.39/- and as per the averments made in para

No.4 of the writ petition, the Director Health & Family Welfare had approved the payment of bills of ₹2,54,302 only.

Counsel for the petitioner further states that despite the approval of the said medical bills, no payment was made to the petitioner and hence, he filed the present writ petition.

Upon notice of motion, Mr. Surinder Pal Singh Tinna, Advocate, appears on behalf of respondent No.4 and states that out of the total sanctioned amount, a sum of ₹1,00,000/- has been paid to the petitioner on 28.02.2019 and the remaining amount will be paid to him by 30.04.2019.

Keeping in view the undertaking given for the release of the amount by 30.04.2019, counsel for the petitioner states that he does not want to press this writ petition any further.

Disposed of, as not pressed.

It is made clear that the respondents shall be bound by the undertaking and in case of any default, the same will be viewed seriously.

(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

March 05, 2019
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Whether reasoned/speaking?	Yes
Whether reportable?	No