

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

COCP No. 2792 of 2019
Date of decision: 12.9.2019

Swarn Singh and others

.. Petitioners

v.

Sh. Gurlovleen Singh Sidhu

.. Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AVNEESH JHINGAN

Present: Mr. Sunny Singla, Advocate for the petitioners.
Mr. Ankit Aggarwal, Advocate for
Mr. Anupam Singla, Advocate for the respondent.

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AVNEESH JHINGAN, J. (Oral)

The present contempt petition has been filed pleading wilful disobedience of the order dated 8.3.2019 passed by this Court in CWP No. 25006 of 2018. The operative part of the said order is reproduced below:

“Without going into the merits of the case or expressing any opinion to the entitlement of the petitioner in respect of the relief claimed in the present writ petition or in the legal notice, the present writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents to pass an appropriate speaking order on the claim raised by the petitioner in the legal notice dated 17.03.2018 (Annexure P-3) within a period of three months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

In case after the order, it is found by the respondents that the petitioner is entitled for any monetary benefits, the

same should also be released to him within a period of next three months.”

Short reply dated 10.9.2019 by way of affidavit of Sh. Gurlovleen Singh Sidhu, Managing Director, Pepsu Road Transport Corporation, Patiala filed in Court is taken on record, copy is handed over to learned counsel for the petitioner. As per affidavit, payments towards interest on delayed payment of gratuity, leave encashment and GPF have been credited in the respective accounts of the petitioners.

Learned counsel for the petitioners is not in a position to dispute or to affirm the said position.

In view of the above, the contempt petition is disposed of as infructuous.

However, in case the amounts have not been credited in the accounts of the petitioners, they would be at liberty to move representation to the respondent and in such eventuality, the needful will be done within two weeks.

(AVNEESH JHINGAN)
JUDGE

12.9.2019
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Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes/No
Whether reportable:	Yes/No