

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

**CWP No.35952 of 2019 (O&M)
Date of decision : December 11, 2019**

Narain Singh

..... Petitioner

Versus

**The Punjab State Cooperative Supply &
Marketing Federation Ltd. and another**

..... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present:- Mr. Amit Sharma, Advocate for the petitioner.

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI J. (ORAL)

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that there are certain recoveries which are pending against the petitioner and the petitioner is ready to discharge the said liability.

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that after the petitioner retired from service on attaining the age of superannuation on 30.04.2018, the petitioner has already submitted representation to the respondents on 10.03.2019 stating that whatever the recoveries are to be effected from him be adjusted from his retiral benefits and after adjustment of the amount of recoveries, whatever amount petitioner becomes entitled for, be released to him but no benefits, for which the petitioner has become entitled after his retirement has been released by the respondents so far.

Learned counsel for the petitioner further states that the amount which the petitioner is entitled for as a pensionary benefits including the

amount of arrears on account of the revision is much more than the recoveries, which are to be effected from the petitioner.

Learned counsel for the petitioner prays that a direction be issued to the respondents to release the amount of pensionary benefits after adjusting the recoveries.

Counsel for the petitioner states that for the relief which has been sought in the present writ petition, petitioner has submitted a representation dated 10.03.2019 (Annexure P-7) to the respondents, which is 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 representation by passing an appropriate speaking order in accordance with law.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Naresh Gopal Sharma, Advocate for Mr. Mehardeep Singh, Advocate has appeared for the respondents and accepts notice, keeping in view the advance copy given.

Counsel for the respondents states that the respondents have no objection in deciding the claim of the petitioner as being made by him in the representation dated 10.03.2019 (Annexure P-7) in a time bound manner by passing a speaking order as per the settled principles of law for the release of the pending benefits after adjusting the amount of recoveries.

In view of the above, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case or the claim being made by the petitioner, the respondents are directed to decide the representation dated 10.03.2019 (Annexure P-7)

by passing a speaking order within a period of three months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order.

Present writ petition stands disposed of.

(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

December 11, 2019

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Whether speaking / reasoned	Yes	Whether Reportable:	No