

Sr. No.155

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

CWP No.36995 of 2019 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 19.12.2019

Dr. Manoj Bali

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and another

... Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN MONGA

Present:- Mr. Naresh Kumar Manchanda, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Ms. Monica Chhibber Sharma, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

ARUN MONGA, J.(ORAL)

1. Petitioner herein seeks issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus directing the respondents to release his dues viz. Provident Fund, Leave Encashment etc. along with interest @18% per annum.
2. In the premise, petitioner caused issuance of a legal notice dated 06.08.2019 (Annexure P-4), but the same has not been adverted by the respondents till date. Hence, the writ petition.
3. Notice of motion.
4. On advance service of the petition, Ms. Monica Chhibber Sharma, Sr. DAG, Punjab appears and accepts notice on behalf of the State.
5. Given the nature of order being passed, there is no necessity to seek return by the respondents as no further proceedings and/or pleadings are required.

6. Without commenting on the merits of the case, the writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents/competent authority to objectively consider the legal notice dated 06.08.2019 (Annexure P-4) and also by keeping in view the contentions stated in the present writ petition by treating it as a supplementary representation and pass a speaking order, in accordance with law.

7. Let the needful be done within a period of 3 months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

8. Disposed of in above terms.

19.12.2019

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**(ARUN MONGA)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether Reportable

Yes/No
Yes/No