

**Sr. No.142**

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

**CWP No.36798 of 2019 (O&M)**

**Date of Decision: 18.12.2019**

Jasvir Kaur

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and another

... Respondents

**CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN MONGA**

Present:- Mr.Baljeet Singh Sidhu, Advocate  
for the petitioner.

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

**ARUN MONGA, J.(ORAL)**

Petitioners herein seek issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus directing the respondent to release the amount deposited by the petitioner towards Contributory Provident Fund for the period from 01.04.2011 to 31.03.2018 alongwith interest at the rate of 18% per annum accrued thereon.

2. In the premise, petitioner also submitted a representation dated 20.02.2019, contained at 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 to objectively consider the representation dated 20.02.2019 contained at Annexure P-4, and also by keeping in view the contentions raised 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 a certified copy of this order.

8. Disposed of in above terms.

**18.12.2019**  
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**(ARUN MONGA)**  
**JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned  
Whether Reportable

Yes/No  
Yes/No