

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

CWP No.12212 of 2020.

Decided on:- August 20, 2020.

Mohinder Pal.

.....Petitioner.

Versus

The State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents.

CORAM: *HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARI PAL VERMA.*

Present:- Mr. Jasbir Singh Mohri, Advocate
for the petitioner.

HARI PAL VERMA, J. (Oral)

The matter has been taken up for hearing through video conferencing due to outbreak of COVID-19.

The petitioner has filed this civil writ petition under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a writ, order or direction especially in the nature of mandamus so as to direct the respondents to grant pensionary/retiral benefits along with interest @ 18% per annum to the petitioner.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that for the relief claimed in the present petition, the petitioner has already submitted a representation dated 28.05.2020 (Annexure P-6) to the respondent No.2 i.e. Director General of Police, Punjab, but the same has yet not been finally decided.

He further states that at this stage, the petitioner would be satisfied in case a direction is issued to the respondent No.2 to decide the aforesaid representation dated 28.05.2020 (Annexure P-6) in a time bound manner.

Notice of motion.

On asking of this Court, Mr. Nikhil Chopra, Additional Advocate General, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the respondents.

Heard.

Without making any observation as regard the claim so made in the present petition, but considering the limited prayer of the petitioner, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondent No.2 to take note of the representation dated 28.05.2020 (Annexure P-6) and to decide the same by passing a speaking order preferably within a period of four months from today.

August 20, 2020
Yag Dutt

(HARI PAL VERMA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes

Whether Reportable: No