

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

CWP No.12618 of 2020

Date of Decision: 24.08.2020

Shakuntla Devi

..... Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMOL RATTAN SINGH

Present: Mr. P.K.Goklaney, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

AMOL RATTAN SINGH, J. (ORAL)

All cases listed today have been taken up for hearing by way of video conferencing because of the situation existing due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

In respect of her grievance qua non-release of pension and pensionary benefits (as contended) the petitioner is stated to have got issued a legal notice, a copy of which has been annexed as Annexure P-2 with the petition.

Learned counsel submits that a direction may be issued to pass a speaking order after considering the aforesaid notice.

That being so, this petition is disposed of with a direction to the competent authority among the respondents to pass a speaking order on the legal notice got issued by the petitioner on 12.03.2020, and if all/any of the amounts claimed by the petitioner are found due to her, the same be released within a period of 3 months thereafter, with interest thereupon @ 6% running from 3 years prior to the issuance of the legal notice.

August 24, 2020
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(AMOL RATTAN SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether Reportable

Yes
No.