

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

**CWP No.12871 of 2020
Date of Decision:-27.08.2020**

Balwinder Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASGURPREET SINGH PURI

Present:- Mr. S.S. Siao, Advocate
for the petitioner.

JASGURPREET SINGH PURI J.(Oral)

The petitioner has filed the present writ petition under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India praying for issuance of direction to respondents No.1 and 2 to release the retiral benefits and pension etc. to the petitioner from the date of his retirement i.e. 27.11.2019 and arrears @ 12% from the due date till its actual payment.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the petitioner had retired on 27.11.2019 and still his retiral benefits have not been given to him. He has further submitted that he had moved a representation dated 07.1.2020 (annexure P-2) to the respondents but the needful has not been done till date. Even there is no inquiry against the petitioner and he has been deprived from his rights for no reasons whatsoever.

Learned counsel for the petitioner also submits that the orders with regard to grant of pension is to be passed by respondents No.1 and 2 as the petitioner has retired from the post of Executive Engineer.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Shireesh Gupta, Sr. DAG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of respondents No.1 and 2.

In view of the above, respondents No.1 and 2 are directed to decide the representation (Annexure P-2) within a period of six weeks from today by passing a speaking order in accordance with law. In case the petitioner is found to be entitled to release of his pension, then the same may be released to him within three weeks from the date of passing of this order alongwith interest @6% from the date the amount become due.

Disposed of.

August 27, 2020
Vijay Asija

(JASGURPREET SINGH PURI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether Reportable

Yes / No
Yes / No