

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP-16702-2020

Date of Decision : October 09, 2020

Sohan Lal

..... PETITIONER(S)

VERSUS

State of Haryana and another

.... RESPONDENT(S)

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KUMAR

Present: Mr. Sanjay Verma, Advocate, for the petitioner.
 Mr. Rajesh Gaur, Additional Advocate General, Haryana, and
 Mr. Minderjeet Yadav, Deputy Advocate General, Haryana.

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Sanjay Kumar, J.

The petitioner, a Field Worker in the office of the Director, Health Services, Malaria Department, Haryana, is aggrieved by the action of the authorities in failing to deduct the interest payable on the loans taken by him. The petitioner claims that he availed a marriage loan and a housing loan during the course of his employment. His grievance presently is that the interest payable by him on these loans, which ought to be deducted from his salary, is not being so deducted. His apprehension is that he may be visited with penal consequences at a later date due to such timely non-deduction of interest.

The petitioner got issued legal notice dated 26.06.2020 to the Director, Health Services, Malaria Department, Haryana, the 2nd respondent herein, but complains that the same failed to evoke a response or appropriate action.

Mr. Rajesh Gaur, learned Additional Advocate General, Haryana, takes notice for the respondents and states that he has no instructions in the matter as on date.

However, this Court sees no purpose served in entertaining this writ petition for adjudication on merits as it is for the authorities concerned and more particularly, the 2nd respondent herein, to consider the petitioner's grievance and take appropriate action in relation thereto.

The writ petition is accordingly disposed of directing the 2nd respondent to consider the petitioner's legal notice dated 26.06.2020 on merits and take appropriate action thereon, under communication to the petitioner. This exercise shall be completed expeditiously and in any event, not later than four weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

No order as to costs.

October 09, 2020
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(Sanjay Kumar)
Judge

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No