

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

COC-2497-2020

Date of Decision: 24.11.2020

Jarnail Singh and others ...Petitioners

vs.

Jaskiran Singh ...Respondent

Coram : Hon'ble Mr. Justice B.S. Walia.

Present : Mr. Vikas Chatrath, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. Anupam Singla, Advocate for the respondent.

B.S. Walia, J. (VC)

1. Case is being taken up for hearing through Video Conferencing due to the outbreak of Covid-19 pandemic.

2. Prayer in the petition under Article 215 of the Constitution of India read with Sections 11 and 12 of the Contempt of Courts Act, 1971, is for initiating action against the respondent for intentional, willful and deliberate disobedience of order dated 01.02.2019, in CWP-2864-2019.

3. Learned counsel contends that vide order dated 01.02.2019, CWP-2864-2019, was disposed of by directing the respondent to decide the claim made in legal notice dated 12.09.2018, within three months from the date of receipt of certified copy of the order and in case it was found that the petitioners were entitled to any monetary benefits, the same were ordered to be paid to them within three months thereafter.

4. Learned counsel for the respondent has placed copy of order dated 20.11.2020, passed by the respondent, on record, as per which the petitioners have been released the benefits as per their entitlement and states

that in the circumstances no further orders are called for in the Contempt

Petition and the same may be disposed of as such. Order dated 20.11.2020, is taken on record, copy thereof supplied to learned counsel for the petitioners, who states that in the circumstances, he does not press the Contempt Petition and the same may be disposed of as such while directing the respondent to supply details qua delay entailed in releasing benefits to the petitioners as also by granting liberty to the petitioner to challenge order dated 20.11.2020, in accordance with law.

5. The same is not opposed by learned counsel for the respondent.

6. Accordingly, in the light of the statement of learned counsel for the parties, the Contempt Petition is disposed of as not pressed while directing the respondent to supply details qua delay entailed in releasing benefits to the petitioners within six weeks from today as also by granting liberty to the petitioner to challenge order dated 20.11.2020, in accordance with law.

(B.S. Walia)
Judge

24.11.2020

'Rajesh-PS'

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