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

CWP No.1772 of 2021
Date of decision: 27.01.2021

S.S.Satnam Singh

..... Petitioner (s)

V/s.

Punjab State Power Corporation Limited and another

..... Respondent (s)

CORAM: - HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KUMAR

Present: Mr. Rajinder Sharma, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. H.S. Randhawa, Panel Counsel for the PSPCL.

Sanjay Kumar, J. (Oral)

The grievance of the petitioner, a retired Assistant Lineman of the Punjab State Power Corporation Limited (for short, 'PSPCL'), is that his pension and other retiral benefits are not being released. He also seeks payment of interest thereon. The petitioner got issued legal notice dated 20.10.2020 to the PSPCL in this regard and the same is still pending consideration.

As it is for the authorities of the PSPCL to address the petitioner's grievance in the first instance and take a decision, no cause is made out for this Court to entertain this case for adjudication on merits.

Upon the asking of the Court, Mr. H.S. Randhawa, learned Panel Counsel for the PSPCL, accepted notice on its behalf and stated that the petitioner's legal notice would be considered and disposed of, given sufficient time.

The writ petition is accordingly disposed of directing the PSPCL to consider the petitioner's legal notice dated 20.10.2020 on its own merits and in accordance with law and take appropriate action thereon. The exercise shall be completed expeditiously and in any event, not later than one month from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

No order as to costs.

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(SANJAY KUMAR)
JUDGE

whether speaking

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whether reportable

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