

**209+112 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

CM-7611-CWP-2021 with
CM-8217-CWP-2021 in/and
CWP-4929-2021
Date of decision: 09.09.2021

Madhu Devi

.....Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE FATEH DEEP SINGH

Present: Mr. Gagneshwar Walia, Advocate
for the applicant/petitioner.

FATEH DEEP SINGH, J. (ORAL)

Due to outbreak of pandemic COVID-19, the instant case
is being taken up for hearing through video conferencing.

CM-8217-CWP-2021

The present application has become infructuous as the
main case is listed today.

Dismissed as having been rendered infructuous.

CM-7611-CWP-2021

In view of the averments made in the application and in
the interest of justice, the same is allowed.

CM stands disposed off.

CWP-4929-2021

The petitioner has invoked the jurisdiction of this Court in terms of Article 226 of the Constitution of India seeking prayer by way of writ of *mandamus* for issuance of directions to the respondents to release the retiral benefits including pensionary benefits, commuted pension, gratuity, leave encashment, provident fund under the revised pay scales along with other admissible benefits with interest at the rate of 18% per annum on account of delayed release thereupon with regard to the services rendered by the petitioner as Class IV Safai Sewak with Municipal Council, Kotaakpura.

Notice of motion to the official respondents.

Ms. Simran Grewal, AAG, Punjab puts in appearance and accepts notice on behalf of the official respondents-State. Copy supplied.

Heard.

Upon hearing learned counsel of both the sides and on perusal of the records, the present petition stands disposed off with the directions to the official respondents to consider the legal notice dated 05.01.2021 (Annexure P-3) as representation moved by the petitioner and decide the same in accordance with law, by passing a speaking order preferably within a period of one month from the date of receipt of the certified copy of this order.

If found entitled and if there is no impediment for the release of payment, the same be granted to the petitioner without any delay, as per law.

The petition stands disposed off accordingly.

09.09.2021
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(FATEH DEEP SINGH)
JUDGE

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