

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

CWP No.25851 of 2021

Date of decision: 17th December, 2021

Gurcharan Singh

... Petitioner

Versus

UCO Bank & others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE FATEH DEEP SINGH

Present: Mr. Jagpal Singh, Advocate for the petitioner.

FATEH DEEP SINGH, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner has invoked the writ jurisdiction of this Court in terms of Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India seeking appropriate writ of mandamus for issuance of directions to the respondents to release the provident fund/gratuity of the petitioner along with interest @ 18% p.a. with a further direction to pay the arrear of subsistence allowance for the period he remained under suspension and to decide his appeal at the earliest as well as to decide the legal notice dated 16.12.2019 (Annexure P-3).

Heard.

Notice of motion.

At this stage, Mr. Munish Mittal, Advocate puts in appearance and files his memo of appearance on behalf of the respondents.

Upon hearing learned counsel for both the sides and on perusal of the records, the present petition stands disposed off with direction to the respondents to consider the legal notice dated 16.12.2019 (Annexure P3) as representation of 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 a 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.

(FATEH DEEP SINGH)
JUDGE

December 17, 2021

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