

CWP-16072-2021

Date of decision: 20.08.2021

Manmohan Singh

.....Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE FATEH DEEP SINGH**Present:** Mr. Manjit Singh Sarao, Advocate
for the 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.

The petitioner has invoked the jurisdiction of this Court in terms of Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India seeking prayer for issuance of appropriate writ in the nature of *mandamus* for issuance of directions to respondent No.4-Bank to strictly implement the orders dated 15.09.2016 (Annexure P-4) of Financial Commissioner, Cooperation, Punjab in Revision Petition No.109 of 2015 and No.10 of 2016 and re-calculate interest @9% to be compounded annually instead of simple interest and pay the difference amount of interest immediately.

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 notices dated 16.12.2016 and 07.05.2021 (Annexures P-6 and P-11, respectively) as representations, 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.

20.08.2021

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**(FATEH DEEP SINGH)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No