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**Calcutta High Court
In the Circuit Bench at Jalpaiguri
Appellate Side**

WPA 2531 of 2022

**Surya Pradhan
-Vs-
The State of West Bengal & Ors.**

Mr. Debajit Kundu,

... for the petitioner

Mr. Subir Kumar Saha (AGP),
Mr. Pretom Das,

.... For the State

Heard learned advocates appearing for the
respective parties.

By this writ petition petitioner has sought relief
of direction upon the respondents/ authorities
concerned to disburse the interest amount towards
gratuity and arrears pension amount in question
from the date of death of the pensioners or date of
retirement of the pensioners till the date of actual
date of payment/disbursement along with interest to
the petitioners. Petitioner submits that the issues
involved in this writ petition is directly covered by the
decision of this Court in the case Januki Rai & Anr. –

vs- The State of West Bengal & Ors. in WPA 2500 of 2022.

Considering the submission of the parties, this writ petition being WPA 2531 of 2022 is disposed of by directing the respondents/authorities concerned to pay to the petitioner interest on gratuity and arrear pension in question with interest at the rate of 8 % p.a. to be calculated from the date when the aforesaid arrear in question became due till the date of such disbursement.

With the observation and direction made above this writ petitions is disposed of.

(Md. Nizamuddin, J.)