

Daya Singh

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJBIR SEHRAWATPresent: Mr. Vivek Sharma Vashisht, Advocate,
for the petitioner.**RAJBIR SEHRAWAT, J. (ORAL)**

This is a petition filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India seeking issuance of a writ of mandamus directing the respondents to grant approval regarding reimbursement of Rs.4,82,000/- in respect of medical claim of the petitioner and release the same to the petitioner at the earliest.

At the outset, counsel for the petitioner submits that, at this stage, the petitioner would be satisfied if the respondents take a decision on the claim of the petitioner as per the legal notice dated 31.12.2021 (Annexure P-6) and pass a speaking order, within a time bound frame.

Notice of motion.

Ms. Harsimrat Rai, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the respondents. Even counsel for the respondents is not averse to the expeditious disposal of the claim of the petitioner.

In view of the above, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2 to decide the claim of the petitioner as per the legal notice dated 31.12.2021 (Annexure P-6) by passing a speaking order; within a period of three months from the date of receipt of the certified copy of this order.

It is further ordered that if the petitioner is found entitled to any pecuniary benefits upon such a conscious decision; then the said pecuniary benefits shall also be released to the petitioner within a further period of three months; from the date of such conscious decision of the authorities.

(RAJBIR SEHRAWAT)
JUDGE

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Whether Speaking/Reasoned : Yes/No
Whether Reportable : Yes/No