

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CWP-12892-2022

Date of Decision :02.06.2022

Kiran Anand

..Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Mr. Sushil Saini, Advocate for the petitioner.

Harsimran Singh Sethi, J. (Oral)

Learned counsel for the petitioner argues that though, the petitioner retired from service on attaining the age of superannuation on 30.06.2021 but, the pensionary benefits, for which, the petitioner is entitled for, have not been released to her by the respondents despite there being no impediment in the release of the same. Prayer of the petitioner is for issuance of a direction to the respondents to release all the pensionary benefits of the petitioner forthwith alongwith interest on the delayed release of payments.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner has already raised the said grievance before the respondents by way of submitting a representation dated 08.11.2021 (Annexure P/2), which is still pending consideration with the respondents and the petitioner will be satisfied in case a time bound direction be issued to the respondent No.4 to decide the said representation.

Notice of motion.

On the asking of the Court, Mr. Navdeep Chhabra, DAG, Punjab, who is present in Court, accepts notice on behalf of respondent-State and raises no objection in deciding the representation dated 08.11.2021 (Annexure P/2) in a time bound manner by passing an appropriate speaking order.

In view of the request made, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case or the claim being made by the petitioner in her representation, respondent No.4 is directed to decide the representation dated 08.11.2021 (Annexure P/2) by passing a speaking order within a period of eight weeks from the receipt of copy of this order.

Present writ petition stands disposed of.

June 02, 2022
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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

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