

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

(216)

CWP-2115-2017

Date of Decision : August 29, 2022

Sushila

.. Petitioner

Versus

Dakshin Haryana Bijli Vitran Nigam and others

.. Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Ms. Jai Shree Kaushik, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. R.D. Bawa, Advocate, with
Mr. Samuel Gill, Advocate, for the respondents.

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI J. (ORAL)

In the present petition, the prayer of the petitioner is for the release of financial assistance to the tune of Rs. 3 lacs, which the family was entitled for after the death of Vinod Kumar keeping in view the policy dated 27.11.2014 (Annexure P-3).

As per the averments made in the petition, Vinod Kumar i.e. the husband of the petitioner, who was working as ALM since January, 2015 unfortunately died on 12.07.2016 after he met with an accident. As per the policy issued by the Government of Haryana for grant of compassionate financial assistance dated 27.11.2014, the family was entitled for the grant of financial assistance to the tune of Rs.3 lacs which benefit is being claimed in the present petition.

After notice of motion, the respondents have appeared and submits that though the Department has no objection in the release of

amount of Rs. 3 lacs but as the petitioner has remarried in the integrum and the children of late Vinod Kumar are being maintained by the grandparents, they are ready to deposit Rs.3 lacs in equal distribution in the name of two children of the late Vinod Kumar being maintained by their grandparents.

Learned counsel for the petitioner raises no objection for the same.

Keeping in view the above, the respondents are directed to release the compassionate financial assistance as being claimed in the present petition and release the same by way of fix deposit in the name of two children of late Vinod Kumar namely Vandana Verma and Deven Verma, who are being maintained by their grandparents as of now.

Learned counsel for the respondents submits that the amount will be deposited equally in the name of two minor children of late Vinod Kumar.

Let the payment in question, which payment is not being disputed by the respondents, be deposited in the name of Vandana Verma and Deven Verma in equal distribution by way of fix deposit within a period of two months from the receipt of copy of this order.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that keeping in view the undertaking of the learned State counsel, the present petition may kindly be disposed of having been not pressed any further.

Ordered accordingly.

August 29, 2022
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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes
Whether reportable : No