

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

CWP-1567-2023

Date of decision: 27.01.2023

Suresh Kumar

...Petitioner

Versus

The Director of Elementary Education Haryana and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARNARESH SINGH GILL

Present:- Mr. P.L.Verma, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

HARNARESH SINGH GILL, J. (ORAL)

The present writ petition has been filed for issuance of directions to the respondents to release the one month's salary of the petitioner in lieu of Leave Travel Concession for the block year 2016-19.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that vide letter dated 25.11.2019 (Annexure P-1), sanction for one month's salary in lieu of Leave Travel Concession, had been accorded to the petitioner and other employees, and that even a perusal of the letter dated 13.12.2022 (Annexure P-2) would reveal that the Government has decided to enable the E-billing Portal for Generation of LTC Bills (Block Year 2016-19) of those employees only who had applied for before 31.12.2019 and sanction was also issued by the competent authority for payment of one month's salary in lieu of LTC for the block year 2016-19. Learned counsel further contends that in lieu of Leave Travel Concession for the block year 2016-19, the petitioner had applied for one month's salary well in time, and necessary sanction had been accorded, but one month's salary has not been released in favour of the petitioner.

Notice of motion.

On the asking of this Court, Mr. R.S.Budhwar, Addl. A.G. Haryana, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents.

Without going into merits of the case, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to the petitioner to move a representation before respondent No.2-District Elementary Education Officer, Gurugram, within 15 days from the date of receipt of copy of this order. If such representation is moved by the petitioner, the same shall be decided by respondent No.2 within eight weeks thereafter, by passing a speaking order.

27.01.2023
parveen kumar

(HARNARESH SINGH GILL)
JUDGE

Whether reasoned/speaking?	Yes/No
Whether reportable?	Yes/No