

107 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP-14147-2023

Date of decision: 07.07.2023

DALIP KUMAR

...Petitioner

V/s

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK MANCHANDA

Present: Mr. Varun Dhawan, Advocate
for the petitioner.

DEEPAK MANCHANDA J. (ORAL)

Present petition has been filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India seeking issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus, directing the respondents to release the retiral benefits of the petitioner with interest.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that petitioner had retired on 31.01.2023 as Inspector from the Nagar Panchayat Bhagta Bhaika, Tehsil Rampura Phool, District Bathinda. Learned counsel further contends out of total retiral dues of the petitioner, which comes to around Rs. 28,14,722/-, nothing has been paid to the petitioner. Learned counsel further submits that petitioner has submitted a legal notice dated 03.05.2023 (Annexure P-4) to the respondents, which has not been taken into consideration till date and he would be satisfied if necessary directions are given for deciding the legal notice dated 03.05.2023 (Annexure P-4) in a time bound manner.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Rajiv Bansal, Sr. DAG Punjab, who is present in the Court, accetps notice on the asking of the Court on behalf of respondents and does not object to the prayer made by learned counsel for the petitioner.

In view of the above and with the consent of both the parties present petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents to decide the legal notice dated 03.05.2023 (Annexure P-4) submitted by the petitioner within a period of 4 weeks from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order with a further direction that if the petitioner is found to be entitled to claim mentioned in his legal notice, necessary disbursement of funds shall be made to the him within a period of 2 weeks thereafter.

07.07.2023

Ajay Goswami

Whether speaking/reasoned

Whether reportable

(DEEPAK MANCHANDA)

JUDGE

Yes

Yes/No