

WAZIR SINGH..... Petitioner

Versus

DIRECTOR BHAKHRA BEAS MANAGEMENT BOARD AND
ORS..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAGMOHAN BANSAL

Present : Mr. Sandeep Thakan, Advocate for the petitioner.

JAGMOHAN BANSAL, J. (Oral)

1. The petitioner through instant petition under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India is seeking direction to respondent to release pension and pensionary benefits including Gratuity, GPF, Leave Encashment.
2. The petitioner is a retired employee of Bhakhra Beas Management Board. A civil suit between petitioner and his wife is pending before District Court. The wife of the petitioner has claimed 1/3rd share in pensionary benefit of the petitioner.
3. Learned counsel for the petitioner asserts that respondent should release 2/3rd pensionary benefit of the petitioner because wife of the petitioner is claiming 1/3rd. The respondent in the communication dated 17.10.2023 has noted that petitioner should furnish undertaking before Court and thereafter 2/3rd pension would be released. The petitioner instead of approaching the Civil Court where dispute is pending between the parties and is an appropriate Court, has filed present writ petition for the same relief.
4. The petition stands disposed of with liberty to petitioner to approach the Civil Court for the relief sought.

(JAGMOHAN BANSAL)
JUDGE

15.12.2023
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	Yes/No