



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

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CWP-3521-2023**Date of decision : 29.08.2024**

Amarjit Singh and others

.....Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE NAMIT KUMAR

Present : Mr. P.K. Goklaney, Advocate for
Mr. Sunny Singla, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Ms. Saguna Arora, A.A.G. Punjab
for respondents No.1 to 3.

Mr. Sarbuland Singh Mann, Advocate
for respondent No.4.

NAMIT KUMAR, J. (Oral)

1. The present petition has been filed by the petitioners under Articles 226 and 227 of the Constitution of India for claiming the following relief :-

“Issuance of a writ, order or direction especially in the nature of mandamus directing the respondents to release LTC, Medical Allowance, arrears of D.A., Medical Reimbursement, Pension etc. which has been illegally withheld by the respondent-department along with interest @ 18% per annum for the delayed payment.”

2. In the written statement filed on behalf of respondents No.1 to 3 it has been stated that the pension/family pension of the petitioners has already been revised as per the instructions of 5th Pay Commission of Punjab and arrears of revised pension/family pension have already



been paid to the petitioners. It has further been submitted that even the pension/family pension of the petitioners have been revised as per instructions of the 6th Pay Commission and arrears of revised pension/family pension have also been paid to the petitioners w.e.f. 01.07.2021 as per Government instructions and the revised pension/family pension is regularly being paid to all the petitioners.

3. Reply on behalf of respondent No.4 has been filed in the Court today which is taken on record and copy thereof has been supplied to learned counsel for the petitioner. In the said reply, it has been stated as under :-

“5. That it is reiterated that there is indeed a major financial crisis, even salaries of the employees are not being paid due to this. However, the answering respondent is trying to arrange funds to fulfill the financial obligation towards the petitioners as per rules.

7. That in view of the same certain payments have been released in favour of the following petitioners :-

Name	Due	Paid	Note
Parveen Bala	33,000/-	12,000/-	Cheque No.001772 dated 27.08.2024
Shinder Kaur	33,000/-	12,000/-	Cheque No.001773 dated 27.08.2024

8. That answering respondent prays for some more time so that funds can be arranged to clear all the dues and fulfill its financial obligations.”

4. Learned counsel for respondent No.4, on instructions from the Executive Officer, Municipal Council, Majitha, submits that the



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remaining dues of the petitioners shall be released within a period of 04 months from today.

5. In view of the above, the present petition has been rendered infructuous and the same is disposed of accordingly.

6. Respondent No.4-Executive Officer, Municipal Council, Majitha, District Amritsar, shall remain bound by the statement given before this Court.

29.08.2024

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(NAMIT KUMAR)
JUDGE

Whether Speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	Yes/No